

DALTON BOOK CLUB

JULY 2023 MEETING AT THE WHITE HORSE

PRESENT: WIFE PROCTOR, MICHAEL ROSS, DAVID OLIVER, ADRIAN HADGE,  
JOHN IMACH, MATTHEW HALL, LEAN BEUTLER, DEBEK, JERAY, KETHA  
JOHNSON, ALASTAIR DAVIDSON, HARRY MILLER (HON)

PROLOGUES: DAVID ARMSTRONG, JOHN DAVES, WILL PHILLIPS, RUSSELL

HAYLEY

1) The Meeting was called to order at 8:00pm and the box was  
taken round for the Draw. Mr Miller was first with No 2  
10 books were loaned. The whip was set at £2 and the drinks  
order was taken £28.90

2) Club Business: Mr Moore reported that he had provisionally  
booked the King Alfred Hotel or Wainey for the November  
Dinner. There was some consternation from a Member who  
had not been at the Meeting who the venue was suggested.  
After considerable discussion it was agreed to change venue in  
favour of the Star Laurel in Ulverston. Mr Moore to investigate.

3) A.O.B: Ms Bentley proposed Mr James Gordon Schofield for  
Membership and read out his personal statement. There  
was general agreement that the sendal very suitable. Voting  
to take place at the August Meeting.

Mr Proctor raised the possibility of Meeting starting at 7:30pm  
instead of 8:00pm. There were also suggestions of 7 and 7:15pm.  
After a time it became apparent that a consensus would  
be hard to reach and Mr Oliver formally proposed that  
it remain at 8:00pm. Mr Davidson seconded and carried by  
Members against lightly changing the status quo. Carried by  
9 for with 2 abstentions. To be raised again at next A.G.B.

In his new role as Book Buyer, Mr Johnson entered the  
Month's two new books which will be available to borrow  
from August.

4) The Next Meeting will be on 23-1 August.  
5) The Meeting was closed at 9:15pm