The Maldon Society

**Notice of AGM on Thursday, 1st May 2025**

**At 7 pm in the United Reformed Church, Market Hill**

*The agenda and relevant papers are distributed directly to members before the meeting. Please bring your own copies to the meeting if you wish to refer to them. Please raise queries or comments in advance of the meeting if you can – these are always welcome.*

**AGENDA**

1. **Committee Report (copy attached)**
2. **Minutes from last AGM held on Thursday, 2nd May 2024 (copy attached) – Approval needed**

Please advise if these need correction, in advance of the meeting if possible.

1. **Treasurer’s Report and presentation of accounts (copy attached) – Vote needed**
2. **Appointment of Independent Examiner for 2025/26 – Vote needed**
3. **Election of committee for 2025/26 – Vote needed**

The following people are standing for election to the committee and have been nominated by Wendy Howell and Bobbie Marchant (both are members)

 Chairman and Archives Manager – Peter Holmes

 Vice Chairman and Membership Secretary – Jane Senior

 Treasurer – George Bunting

 Secretary and Heritage Co-ordinator – Dorreen Linton

 Planning Secretary – David Fell

 Talks Co-ordinator – John Rogers

 Minute Secretary – Janet Watson

 Committee member - Mike Turner

The Committee are augmented by Wendy Howell our Oral History Manager, Ian Linton our Website Manager and James Reece-Ford our Technical Assistant

1. **Further Questions or comments from members**

Member comments and suggestions are always welcome (in advance if possible)

**Date of next year’s AGM** is Thursday, 7th May 2026

**Presentation**

At the conclusion of the AGM, a presentation with photographs and voices will be on the subject of War Time in Maldon WWII. This talk will be given by well known local historian, Stephen Nunn. The talk looks at preparations for war on the Home Front, the establishment of Civil Defence Forces, the impact on local people, the role of RAF Bradwell Bay, air incidents and local aircraft crashes. The material is supported by research and aviation archaeology and concludes with surviving evidence of the sacrifice made by Maldon people and VE Day celebrations.