

Forum of Scottish Line Societies
Fourth Scottish Railway History Conference
Perth, Saturday 1st October 2022

We are glad to confirm that the Scottish Railway History Conference will take place at the Station Hotel, Perth on Saturday 1st October 2022. It is timed to allow travel from as far afield as Elgin and Ayr by train on the day. The programme for the day, which has the theme 'Modernisation', is shown below. Please book by 3rd September.

10.00	Registration, tea and coffee	14.15	Andrew Boyd and Andrew Harper: "Glasgow Suburban Electrification and the Blue Trains"
10.40	Introduction and Welcome	15.00	Refreshments
10.45	Jim Summers: "The Emergence of ScotRail"	15.30	John Ross: "Diesel Rail Buses Progress and Problems"
11.45	Ian Souter: "The Rises, Falls and Rises of Suburban Rail Services"	16.15	Ian Middleditch and Keith Fenwick: "Modernisation in Pictures, a photographic survey"
12.30	Buffet Lunch	16.45	Conference Summary
13.30	John Paton: "Station Modernisation over the Years".	17.00	Close

The cost for attendance is £23, to include morning and afternoon refreshments and buffet lunch.

Dinner in the evening will be at the Station Hotel – 3 courses for £26. Dr Becky Peacock, Director of the Museum of Scottish Railways at Bo'ness, has kindly agreed to be our after-dinner speaker.

Rooms are available at the Station Hotel at the rate of £135 per double £110 per single per night. Bookings should be made privately through the Hotel but quoting FSLs Conference.

TO BOOK: Please complete the form below in all cases and send it to Ian Middleditch, 90 Ardrossan Road, Seamill, West Kilbride, KA23 9LX. In case of query, email: perthconference@plumpudding.org or call 01294 822006. Bookings will be acknowledged to your email address, if applicable; otherwise, please enclose an SAE if you require confirmation. Please ensure that bookings are made in time to arrive by 3rd September.

PAYMENT: Either by cheque to accompany the booking form, or by electronic funds transfer to sort code 801506, account 00128806, giving "G&SWRA" as the Destination, and your surname as the Reference.

I wish to book ____ place(s) at £23 for the Scottish Railway History Conference at the Queens Hotel, Perth, on Saturday 1st October 2022 and ____ place(s) at £26 for the Conference Dinner.

/ ** I enclose a cheque made payable to "G&SWRA" / ** I have made payment by electronic funds transfer / for the total sum of £_____ [** Delete as applicable]

Name _____

Address _____

Postcode _____ Telephone _____ Date: _____

Email _____

If booking for more than one person, please give the other name(s) on the back of this form.