



The South West Early Music Forum

**Agenda for Virtual Annual General Meeting
to be held on Saturday 4th September 2021 from 2.30pm on Zoom**

1. Present

2. Apologies

3. Chairman's report

4. Treasurer's report

5. Previous events

Cancelled because of Covid-19

21 March 2020	Workshop for Voices and Instruments	Sherborne
18 April 2020	Workshop with Peter Syrus	Glastonbury
1-3 May 2020	Bristol Early Music festival	Bristol
9 May 2020	Baroque Orchestra Workshop	Culmstock
27 June 2020	Workshop and AGM	Thornbury

The AGM was subsequently held on Saturday 22 August 2020 via Zoom

Zoom sessions in 2021

2 January	Various music for participation, organised by Clare Griffel
6 February	Bruce Saunders: "Building a concert programme"
6 March	David Allinson: "Polyphony shouldn't be taken for granted"
3 April	Chorales from St Matthew Passion, practical session organised by Clare Griffel
1 May	2 conversations about strings: (a) "Making an instrument": Agnieszka Nalazek, interviewed by Marilyn Pocock; (b) "Contrasting modern and period instruments": Jacqui Robertson-Wade and Michael Williamson
7 May	Bristol Early Music Festival: talks and performances online
5 June	Philippa Waite: "Introduction to Baroque Dance Rhythms – Gavotte and Gigue" Active participation was encouraged. Attendees included some from Germany.

6. Forthcoming events

2021

- 25 September Baroque Playing Day arranged by Dick Little & Debbie Nicholas – POSTPONED
16 October Peter Syrus: Masses and Motets of Jacob Obrecht; St John's Church, Glastonbury
arranged by Venetia Caine
(postponed from May 22 and June 26 because of Covid restrictions)

2022

- TBC Renaissance Wind Day with Tim Bayley in Gloucester Cathedral in March/April 2022,
arranged by Simon Pickard
24 September Baroque Playing Day arranged by Dick Little & Debbie Nicholas – PROVISIONAL – details TBC

7. Election of Officers

Currently, these are as below.

All are willing to stand.

Those co-opted need to be formally confirmed.

Clare Griffel	Chairman
Jonathan Tribe	Honorary Treasurer
Althea Hamlyn	Secretary
Fenella Spiers	Membership Secretary: <u>retiring</u>
Jenny Tribe	<u>Co-opted</u> as Membership Secretary from April 2021
Rick Fitzsimmons	<u>Co-opted</u> as Diary Editor from January 2020
Sara Scorey	Web Editor: <u>retiring as a Trustee</u>
Heather Gibbard	Somerset representative
Elizabeth Gowers	Dorset representative
Peter Crispin	Cornwall representative
Sonia Jackson	Gloucestershire representative
Marilyn Pocock	<u>Co-opted</u> as Devon representative from February 2021
Vacant:	Wiltshire representative

8. AOB as notified to secretary (secretary@swemf.org.uk or 2 Church Lane, Berkeley, GL13 9BN)
in advance of meeting

9. Date of next meeting

