



**Results of the Questionnaire filled in  
by Science & Technology members on 20th January 2016**

**Number of Respondents: 33**

**How often do you look at the Science & Technology website?**

Frequently: 3      Occasionally: 27      Never: 3 (of which 1 'will do now!')

**When would you prefer to have meeting Refreshments?**

At start: 0      Half way through (as now): 30      Never: 3

**What technology topics would you like Presentations to feature?**

**Climate:** Conservation; Meteorology; Tidal projects; World wind systems.

**Computing:** Computer design; Computer safety (firewalls, viruses)

**Food & Drink:** Agriculture; Food production; Food technology; Science of wine.

**Medical:** Various procedures and health.

**Science:** Geography; Nature; Physics; Tectonic plates.

**Technology:** Astronomy; Buildings; Clocks & Time; Space.

**Transport/Engineering:** Aviation (2); Ships (3); Cars (2); Navigation; Steam railways; Merchant shipping; Lifeboats (2); Trains; Planes; Motor industry; Civil engineering projects: Steel; Gas; Oil; Chemicals; Highways & traffic management.

**Visits:** Fawley Oil Refinery; Tank Museum; Signal Museum; Bletchley Park.

**But 8 Respondents** liked the variety and selection of topics as currently provided.

**What do you like most about Purbeck U3A meetings?**

Variety of Topics: 13      Variety & Social: 10      Social: 6      No comment: 4

**Would you occasionally like a change from the single presentation format?**

Yes: 13 [see below]      No: 15      No comment or maybe: 5

**If 'Yes' then what other formats might we consider?**

Two talks: 8      Discussions: 3      Panel of 'experts': 1      Visits: 1

# Survey of Presentations in Categories given at S&T Meetings since inception in 2007 until 2016

By John Churchill

Category	Presentations
Agriculture	4
Astronomy	7
Climate	4
Electronic related	10
Geology	7
History	2
Medical	8
Nuclear power	2
Physics; Chemistry; pure science	11
Psychology	7
Transport related	12
Warfare related	10
Zoology; flora; fauna	14