

## THE POWYS SOCIETY CONFERENCE 2015

The Hand Hotel, Llangollen

Friday 21st August to Sunday 23rd August

### SIGNS AND WONDERS

For the 2015 Conference we will return once more to the Hand Hotel, Bridge Street, Llangollen. The conference will start at 4 pm **Friday 21st August** and end after lunch on **Sunday 23rd August 2015**. Please decide on the option you prefer on the form opposite and send this to Anna Pawelko, 23 Linden Road, Gloucester, GL1 5HB at the latest by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2015 *with a non-refundable deposit of £30*, cheques made out to 'The Powys Society'. NO CASH PLEASE. In the current *Newsletter* you will find further details of the Conference.

The Hand Hotel, which always looks after us well, is still, after many years, a favourite with most of us. As those know who have attended conferences here, the hotel is set above the river Dee with spectacular views of Dinas Brân and very near the town centre. Once a coaching inn on the old Watling Street route to Ireland, it combines antique charm with modern amenities; most rooms were refurbished in 2010. All the rooms are in one (rambling) building, both single and double according to need, and all with private facilities. Note that the hotel does not have lifts! As before we will be using the Dinas Brân suite for our reception and meals, and the Denbigh Room for lectures. The popular bar is open most of the time. Everything in the bustling little town is easily accessible.

Please return the form opposite as soon as possible. It always helps the organisers to know numbers early. If you wish to pay the full amount at this stage feel free to do so. We will be in touch nearer the time with those who book, sending further details and a request for the remaining fee.

Our conference organisers on the day will be Anna Pawelko and Louise de Bruin, to whom you should address any queries.

Louise de Bruin can be contacted on 01258-817825, and Anna Pawelko at 23 Linden Road, Gloucester, GL1 5HB, tel: 07887 668587. Email: helenapawelko@hotmail.co.uk. If you wish to stay any extra nights before or after the Conference, you can contact the hotel directly (tel: 01978 860303).

## BOOKING FORM FOR THE 2015 LLANGOLLEN CONFERENCE

Name:

Address:

Postcode:

Tel no:

e-mail:

The full period of the Conference will be from **4 pm on Friday 21st August to 3 pm on Sunday 23rd August 2015**. Please tick one of the options below and return the form with the deposit to Anna Pawelko. (*Note that student members are entitled to a 20% reduction on these rates ... check with the organisers if in doubt.*)

'We' indicates double occupancy of a room, charged per person.

- I/We wish to attend the whole Conference, with all meals  
[cost **£195 per person**] .....
- I/We wish to attend only for a 24-hour rate over Friday night  
(dinner, b&b, coffee, lunch, tea) [cost **£100 per person**] .....
- I/We wish to attend for a 24-hour rate over Saturday night  
(dinner, b&b, coffee, lunch, tea) [cost **£100 per person**] .....
- I/We wish to attend one or more events, plus coffee or tea  
[cost **£10**] .....

*Please indicate here any dietary requirements and if you need a room as easy of access as possible.*

The AGM of the Society will take place at 11 am on Sunday 23rd August 2015 in the Denbigh Suite, The Hand Hotel, Llangollen. All members are invited to attend, whether or not they are taking part in the Conference.

*The Powys Society is a registered charity, No 801332.*