

LEICESTER SECULAR SOCIETY

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The Oldest Secular Society in the World
Formed in 1851



SPRING NEWS 2007

THE WAIT IS OVER! SPRING-SUMMER PROGRAMME PUBLISHED

“The best ever” says Michael Gerard

Lots of variety in the new programme, in topics and times and days of events. Almost certainly something for you so if you don't normally come along, give it a try and play an active role in your Society. Programme enclosed.

Society Incorporation

After the positive Half AGM decisions our lawyers recommended some technical changes to facilitate the transition, some clarifications and a rearrangement of sections to improve the flow of the Articles. No changes of substance are involved. The Committee has accepted these and is now working on the details of the transition to incorporated status.

One of the provisions in the new rules was to have been the use of proxy voting at general meetings but this was rejected by the HAGM as a majority felt it would discourage attendance and involvement. Sorry to those who asked for it.

Not long now.

Harry

**The next meeting of the
Committee is to be held
at 7.30pm on Tuesday
8th May 2007**

Will Committee Members who have still not submitted their confirmation forms to become Directors of the new company please do so without further delay. To either Lyn or Allan.
Thank you



“While my argument ... is aimed at faith itself, the differences between faiths are as relevant as they are unmistakeable. There is a reason, after all, why we must now confront Muslim, rather than Jain terrorists, in every corner of the world. Jains do not believe anything that is remotely likely to inspire them to commit acts of suicidal violence against unbelievers. By any measure of normativity we might wish to adopt (ethical, practical, epistemological, economic, etc.), there are good beliefs and there are bad ones—and it should now be obvious to everyone that Muslims have more than their fair share of the latter.”

Sam Harris, “The End of Faith” 2004

Do you agree? Answers by email to harry.perry1@btinternet.com