

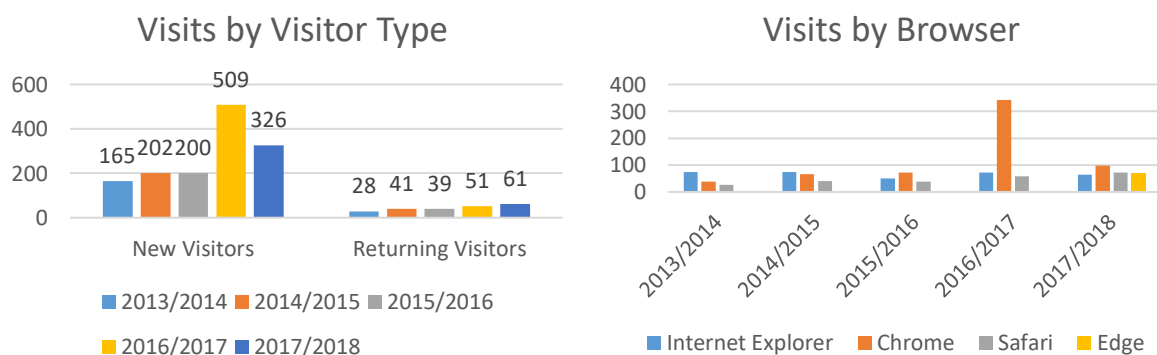
Webmaster's Report

The society website has now been operational in its new format for over 1 year and has continued to be added to over this time. All members have been allocated a member number and temporary password (which should have been changed to something known only to the member).

At this point in time **22** members have not yet changed their password. This needs to be addressed as a matter of urgency to provide some form of security to the system.

The library option within the website is still under development and is still being populated. A complete review of the library is currently in progress and as it proceeds the database will be updated with those books which have been checked as accurate. So far it holds around 425 publications. Still lots to add. David is now estimating that there are around 800 publications.

Usage of our current website continues to be healthy as can be seen from the graphs below which show that on average our website receives 27 new visitors every month.



The analysis of Browsers used to view the website shows a considerable swing away from Internet Explorer to Google Chrome. A new browser (Microsoft Edge) is also now being used as an alternative to Internet Explorer. The new site has already been developed to take this into account and should operate successfully across all browsers.

On the 25th May the General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) come into force which will have an impact on each member of the society. GDPR is a really positive step towards you having more control over how your data is used and how you're contacted. The changes will also help to better protect your personal data. We will shortly issue a privacy notice and ask you for permission to hold certain information for use only by other members of the society.

Finally, I would like to ensure that our website is still an evolving website, so I would ask members to give consideration to any features that they would like to see available on the website and discuss this with me, whereupon I investigate how their request can be fulfilled.

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