

MHS MEMBERSHIP REPORT AS AT 1 JANUARY 2023

MHS has 436 members (last year was 444, a decrease of 1.8%). Of these:

- 11 (3%) are honorary members.
- 158 (36%) are joint members.
- 267 (61%) are single members.
- 233 (53%) are Gift Aiders.

During the past year, 93 people have either left or been removed (compared with 81 in the previous year) and 85 have joined. Geographically, the distribution is as follows:

- 39 (9%) live overseas:
 - 7 in Australia.
 - 1 in Canada.
 - 2 in China.
 - 2 in South Africa
 - 1 in New Zealand.
 - 9 in Europe.
 - 17 in the USA.
- 223 (51%) live in the West Midlands (down from 55% last year):
 - 8 in the Birmingham area.
 - 4 in Coventry.
 - 5 in Cheshire.
 - 4 in the Dudley area.
 - 3 in the Gloucester area.
 - 90 in the Hereford area.
 - 71 in South Shropshire.
 - 8 in North Shropshire.
 - 3 in the Telford area.
 - 8 in the Wolverhampton area.
 - 19 in the Worcester area.
- 78 (18%) live in Wales (up from 15% last year):
 - 33 in South Wales.
 - 38 in Mid-Wales.
 - 7 in North Wales.
- 96 (22%) live elsewhere in the UK (up from 20% last year).

Mike Beazley

Treasurer, Mortimer History Society

mike.beazley@hotmail.co.uk