



## FACING THE FUTURE AT THE BWPDA AGM



This years Annual General Meeting of the British Wood Preserving & Damp-proofing Association was held on the 6<sup>th</sup> May at the Imperial War Museum, RAF Duxford, Cambridge.

Howard Marsh (formerly of Timberwise (UK) plc) remains the Association's President for a second year. During his first year of presidency, Mr Marsh has concentrated on discussing the future direction of the Association with members and has developed a proposal for the Property Care section for the next ten years. These proposals were presented at the AGM and the plan is now with members for comment.

Dr Chris Coggins remains as Deputy President of the Association and will retire the position of Director at the next AGM to take up the post of President. David Buckley

(Protectahome) remains Hon. Treasurer and Les Meikle (Wise Property Care Ltd) was elected as Vice President. George Hockey (Trace Remedial Building Services) was elected to Council.

After the AGM, members were invited to pre-lunch drinks and then a splendid buffet lunch. During the course of the lunch, Michael Bromley, Training & Certification Manager for the BWPDA awarded Patrick Doyle, a freelance surveyor, with the CSRT Award, which is presented annually to the most outstanding candidate in the Certificated Surveyor in Remedial Treatment examinations. To take advantage of being at such a unique venue, a draw was held for the prize of a trip for two in a De Haviland Rapid over the Cambridgeshire countryside, which was won by Ian Gibson (Ian Gibson Associates Building Preservation).

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