

Sorfolk Branch

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Dear colleague,

May I take this opportunity to wish you a happy new year and bring to your attention the two main events that the Norfolk Branch of The Mathematical Association has organised for the spring term in 2003. As usual, we have organised what we hope will be an interesting combination of an informative lecture, and then a more interactive workshop led by a member of the UEA School of Education.

There is no need to book for either meeting. As always, there is no charge for members attending and only a nominal charge to cover expenses for others. Students are always welcome.

It is possible to join the Association at any meeting, or at any other time by contacting the treasurer, Mrs. Anna Dunlop on 01603 455308, or myself. Please also remember that details of all our current branch activities are available on the national website at <u>www.m-a.org.uk</u>. The site also displays a number of informative and stimulating publications that The Mathematical Association produces which you might be interested in, and sample copies of most of these are available at all our meetings.

WEDNESDAY 5th FEBRUARY 7.30 pm Notre Dame High School

Surrey Street, Norwich (Location maps are available on request)

'STRESS AND STRAIN: THE DYNAMICS OF CONTINUOUS MATERIALS' DR. NIGEL SCOTT of UNIVERSITY OF EAST ANGLIA

SATURDAY 1st MARCH 10 am to 1 pm School of Education, University of East Anglia. A workshop led by SUSAN CRAMP HEAD OF SECONDARY MATHEMATICS, UEA SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

'NATIONAL NUMERACY STRATEGY'

This is a workshop designed for participants to hear about the latest developments and initiatives in this area of education, particularly during secondary stages. It is also a chance to experience a flavour of some of the methods of delivery currently being employed and others considered for the future.

DO NOT FORGET the **MA National Conference**, hosted by Norfolk this year, at The University of East Anglia, from Saturday 12th April to Tuesday 15th April.

Best wishes for the term,

Administration Secretary.