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THE SOCIETY'S ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND AMARNA STUDY DAY

At the Society's AGM, held in the Brunei Theatre at the School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, on Saturday 11 December 2010, Dr Karen Exell and Mr John J Johnston were elected as Chair and Vice-Chair respectively of the Society. Dr Maria Cannata, Dr Aidan Dodson, Dr David Jeffreys, Dr Martina Minas-Nerpel, Ms Margaret Mountford, Ms Susan Royce and Dr Alice Stevenson were all elected as Trustees. The Trustees' page of the EES website has been updated with [brief biographies of the members of the new Board](#).

In the morning before the AGM a very successful Study-Day 'Empire, Heresy and Reformation: new research on the Amarna Period' was held in the Brunei Theatre, with talks from Dr Aidan Dodson, Dr Joyce Tyldesley, Mr Stephen Cross and Ms Joyce Filer. The AGM was followed by the Society's Annual Lecture given by Dr Stephen Harvey on 'Recent work at Abydos: the Tetisheri Pyramid and a new 'protective wall''. The lecture was followed by a wine reception in the foyer to the Theatre.

A few photographs of the day's events can be seen at on the [Society's website here](#).

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Exclusive Christmas and New Year offers on our publications and merchandise are available through our online shop. Click on the links below to check out these amazing offers:

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[To view this wonderful Christmas Offer please click here.](#)

For more information please contact Steve Partridge: steve.partridge@ees.ac.uk

SUPPORT THE EES THIS CHRISTMAS

Time is running out! With 128 years of experience in the Delta, the EES is exploring important sites that are under threat. With your help in Spring 2011 we are sending two teams to Egypt to undertake critical research.

[For more information on the projects click here.](#)

There has never been a better time to support the EES's fieldwork as during the run up to Christmas you can **DOUBLE YOUR DONATION!!** Simply donate through the [Big Give website here](#) and they will match-fund any donation whilst they still can – so get online now and donate!

This Christmas your donation could help us twice as much!!

For further information please contact Victoria Perry: victoria.perry@ees.ac.uk (Tel: 07899 995357)

EXCLUSIVE MEMBERSHIP OFFER

Are you a friend of the EES and want to support us further? There's never been a better time to join the Society and directly support our fieldwork and research with this new exclusive membership offer!

For a limited time only when you join as a Full Member* you will receive a free ticket to the Society's exclusive **Private View of the British Museum's 'Book of the Dead' Exhibition on the 10th January 2011**. This event is only available to EES Members and will give our supporters unique access to this extremely popular exhibition after the Museum has closed its doors to the public.

[Join now](#) and you will also receive a complimentary copy of our 125th Anniversary Edition of the internationally renowned *Egyptian Archaeology* magazine as well as 3 months free membership to the Society.

(Offer is for the subscription year 1st April 2011 – 31st March 2012. Subscribers to this offer receive free access to the Society's Library and all membership discounts on publications and events for the period 1st January 2011 – 31st March 2011).

To join the Society and receive your free ticket just visit our [website here](#) and quote "e-Newsletter BOTD Offer" in the "How did you find out about us?" box when prompted.

For further information about the Society's subscriptions or this membership offer please contact Roo Mitcheson: roo.mitcheson@ees.ac.uk (Tel: 0207 242 1880).

*Offer available when you join as a Full Member or Joint Member of the Society (adding on additional journal offers will not affect this membership offer).

Best wishes for the festive season,
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