#### Membership

Membership of the Society is open to any person or corporate body that has an interest in, or connection with, the Kingdom of Bhutan and wishes to support the aims of the Society.

# **2023 Membership Fees (Annual)**

Individual: £20 Household: £25 Corporate: £50

(Household covers 2 members at the same address.)

# **Joining information**

If you wish to join the Society, please complete the application form with your details, and email or post to the Membership Secretary:

Marion Young, Bhutan Society Membership, Ochtergaen, Lettoch Road, Pitlochry, PH16 5AZ

Email: membership@bhutansociety.org

Bhutanese citizens who are studying in the UK are normally eligible for free Honorary Membership.

Once your membership form has been accepted, you will be provided with payment details to set up your subscription.

## **Application for membership**

Please use block capitals. I / We wish to join the Bhutan Society. Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Type of member: Individual / Household / Corporate Please tick if you would like email notification of events and relevant information for members. Please tick if you would like to receive the Society Newsletters by email only. Connections or interests in Bhutan: Occupation: Date: \_\_\_\_\_



#### Society events and activities

A varied programme of talks and events are held throughout the year on topics relating to Bhutan. These may be held online or in-person, usually in London.

The Society celebrated its 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with a reception at the Inner Temple in November 2022.

Recent illustrated talks and discussions held online include: The Himalayan stupa at Harewood House, Projects supported by the Bhutan Society Trust Fund (a registered charity separate from the friendship Society), Linguistic and cultural links in the Eastern Himalaya, Members' experiences from living in and visiting Bhutan.

Members receive the Society's Newsletter three times during the year.

Annual dinners or receptions and social events are open to all members and their guests; Bhutanese citizens currently in the UK are most welcome too.

The Society's website contains an archive of previous events, useful information about Bhutan (such as key dates in the calendar) and information about future events.

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# The Bhutan Society of the United Kingdom

The Society was founded on in 1992 in response to the growing connections between the two countries. The Society held its inaugural meeting in London on Bhutan National Day, 17 December 1992.

## The Aims of the Bhutan Society

To encourage and promote knowledge and understanding of the Kingdom of Bhutan, its history and its culture.

To encourage cultural and educational links between the peoples of the Kingdom of Bhutan and the United Kingdom.

To act as a link between all people, particularly those in the United Kingdom, who are interested in, or who have connections with, the Kingdom of Bhutan.

To promote and foster good relations between the peoples of the Kingdom of Bhutan and the United Kingdom.

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