# **STAR PROGRAMME 2014-2015**

### **Monday 1st December 2-00 PM in the Methodist Hall:**

On Monday 1st December, <u>Stan Miller</u> will be telling us about his 'Encounters with Science'.

Some very interesting historical and personal reflections on the development of modern science including the beginnings of The Royal Society.

## **Monday 6th January:**

NO MEETING WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY 6th JANUARY BECAUSE OF THE CHRISTMAS/NEW YEAR HOLIDAY PERIOD.

## Monday 2nd February 2-00 PM in the Methodist Hall:

On Monday 2nd February 2015, **Graham Payne** will be telling us about some common human parasitic diseases in his talk 'A Can of Worms'.

I enjoyed Graham's first talk and judging by the feedback that I received, I was not the only one. Many people have requested a follow-up by Graham and this looks like being better than last time.

### **Monday 2nd March 2-00 PM in the Methodist Hall:**

On Monday 2nd March 2015, **<u>David Highley</u>** will be presenting his talk 'Britain's Minerals Industry – Past, Present and Future'.

It will chart the importance of minerals to UK plc, discuss some sustainable development issues and trends in the production of selected minerals in the energy, construction, industrial and metals sectors of the industry.

He will link the various minerals with the geology of the UK and this is partly linked with a recently published report that he has been involved with.