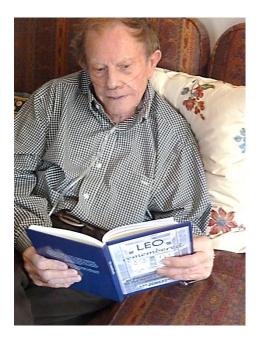
'LEO Remembered' published!



Pictured here is Peter Bird, the first biographer of LEO who inspired us to create our new publication: 'LEO Remembered – by the people who worked on the world's first business computers'.

Peter is shown holding his own presentation copy of the book.



On Friday, 25th November, Peter Byford, the Society's Chairman, and Hilary Caminer, Secretary and editor of the anthology, travelled to see Peter at home in Wokingham. They presented him with the book – which had been kept a special secret from him. Peter was very pleased and later wrote to us saying:

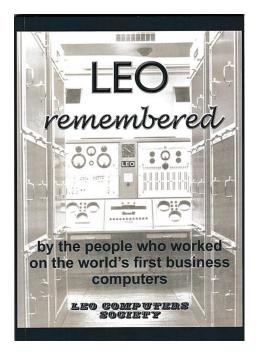
'It came as a complete surprise and an extremely thoughtful gesture. You have all been so kind and thoughtful and my family, friends and neighbours, who have seen it, all think what a good lot of people you are and what a nice gesture it was.'

The book, published with kind support from the AIT Trust, is now available for sale from the society (£6 including UK p and p).

We also have some copies of Peter's own book 'LEO, The first Business Computer' for sale (£13 incl.Uk p and p.) Please ask us to quote for postage abroad.

Full details of how to order are being sent to Society members by email and are repeated here on the following pages.

LEO COMPUTERS SOCIETY



LEO Remembered, by the people who worked on the world's first business computers

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We are selling the book for £5 – or £6 including UK postage and packing – to raise money for the Society's many activities. We can quote you prices for overseas postage.

During the summer, over 50 of you contributed to this book of reminiscences - a slender paperback crammed with memories of working with LEO at home and abroad. The book is dedicated to Peter Bird, author of the very first history of LEO and we are sure it will be of interest to all our members and friends.

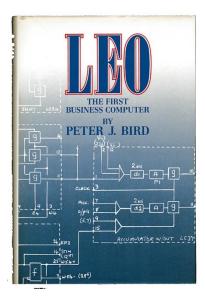
In 'LEO Remembered', there are stories of things going well – and sometimes of the machines playing up, of royal visits, of practical jokes, of LEO careers and friendships, of fires and floods, of trade behind the Iron Curtain ...and much more. The book is illustrated with archive photographs. Many colleagues (we count nearly 70) are name-checked and we are sure that the book will provide a great source of enjoyment and nostalgia as well as justifiable pride.

Georgina Ferry, author, 'A Computer called LEO' has said of the book:

'The human side of LEO's unique contribution to the history of computing comes to life in this captivating collection of reminiscences, testifying to a sense of collective endeavour among the LEO community.

And....!.

We are pleased to announce that in addition we now have a supply of Peter Bird's original history of LEO.



LEO, The First Business Computer by Peter J. Bird

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