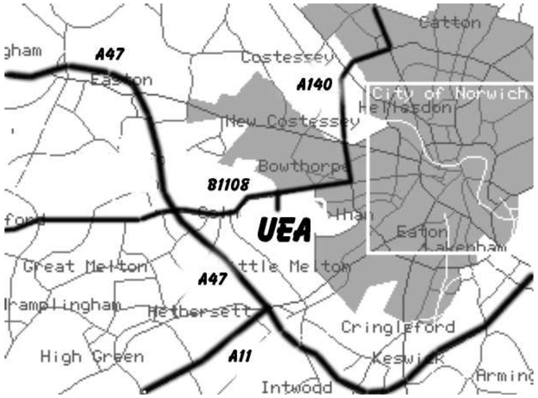
Getting to Meetings

Because our region is so large and public transport is particularly slow on Sundays (when most ALUG meetings are held), we have to recommend using a car, which also allows you to bring equipment along for demonstrations and experimentation. If you are travelling by train or bus, if the stop isn't near to the venue, you can ask on the email list for a lift for the last part of the way.

UEA Norwich



Nearest rail station is Norwich. Buses connect the station and city centre with UEA.

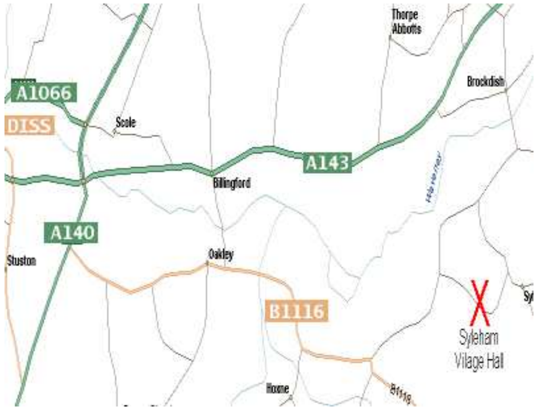
By road:

- From Ipswich and the south follow A140, then A47; King's Lynn and the west, Gt Yarmouth and the east follow A47; Thetford and Newmarket follow A11, then A47 Swaffham;

  From the A47, take the B1108 marked Colney and UEA junction, following signs for UEA. After two sets of lights, turn right immediately after pelican crossing.
- North Norfolk head for Norwich and turn right onto A140 Outer Ring Road; From the Outer Ring Road, follow signs at B1108 roundabout marked University, continue straight over another roundabout and take turn on left before crossing marked University.

Park in the main car park and consult maps by pedestrian exits for Union House. You may find it helpful to obtain access to campus temporarily for unloading.

Syleham Hall, near Diss

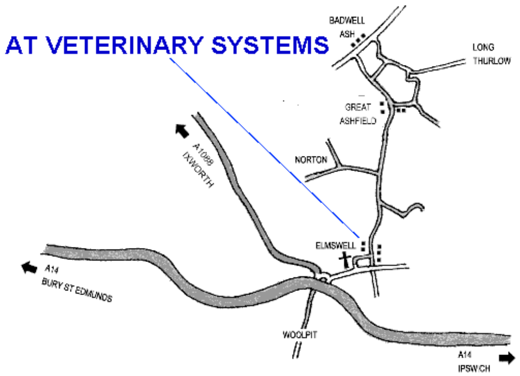


Nearest station is Diss, 8 miles away (get taxi or lift from station).

By road: From Norwich and the north follow A140; Colchester, Ipswich and the South follow A12, A14, A140; Lowestoft, Gt.Yarmouth and the east follow A146, A143, A140; Bury St. Edmunds, Thetford and the west follow A143, A1066, A140; Mars, Jupiter and Alpha Centauri follow Inter Galactic Subspace Route 6791/B and keep taking the tablets...

From A140 Ipswich-Norwich Road take B1118 towards Stradbroke, through villages of Oalkey and Hoxne for about 3.25 miles. Just after the 30mph restriction for Hoxne take the left hand fork at series of bends ignoring sign "Syleham and Wingfield Alternative Route for Heavy Vehicles" for about 1.25 miles. Take the first right hand turning signposted "Village Hall" Syleham Village Hall is approx. 0.5 miles on your Right.

Elmswell, near Stowmarket



Nearest rail station is Elmswell, at the end of the road! You may have to get a train to Stowmarket or Bury and get a lift, though.

By road, leave A14 on A1088 signposted Ixworth. At roundabout take 3rd exit signposted Elmswell. Turn left immediately after Elmswell Church and follow the road into the village. Turn left at the T-junction. Go over the railway line and turn immediately left (just before the Fox Pub). Follow this road and Elmtree Business Park will be on your right-hand side. Look for the penguins.

Let ALUG come to you!

See the ALUG.org.uk web site for details of what we need for a meeting venue. If you can help, it is really appreciated.

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