

Ending War: a recipe

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This 45-page booklet by Robert Hinde, MAW President and deputy chair (recently chair) of the British Pugwash Group, is an excellent overview of the nature of war, its causes, the factors that maintain it as an institution, its machinery and the morality and legality of war. The final chapter discusses what can be done to prevent war including suggestions for what the individual can do. The conclusion ends with the words: 'There are too many people who are against war and do nothing about it. Of course everybody cannot do everything, but everyone can do something' (like joining Pugwash or MAW perhaps!)

The book is well suited to use in schools and MAW is considering what financial support can be provided to promote its use there. Copies can be obtained (price £5 inc p&x in the UK and £6 abroad) from the British Pugwash Group, Flat A, Museum Mansions, 63A Great Russell Street, London WC1B 3BJ. Cheques should be addressed to the 'British Pugwash Trust'. It is also available at www.pugwash.org.

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