

**Minutes of the Yorkshire Group Committee Meeting
Held Sunday 7th June 2026
Online**

Meeting opened: 6pm

Members present: Sean Sowley, Elaine Jakeman, Jean Sowley, Heather Castle, Bob Muskett, Paul Green, John Young

Apologies: Eoin and Sarah Dugdale, Malc Core, Chris Stephens

Minutes from previous meeting: Minutes were discussed and agreed.

Actions Updates

Appendix D Yorkshire Supplement

Read by the rest of the committee and happy to move forward and present at the AGM

Chairmans Chain

Chain to be available at the AGM

Online Payments

Bob is looking at a variety of online options, Bob said that the current deposit payment system seems to work fine and does not have any extra costs.

The committee agreed that they have made a few changes this year that some members may have found challenging (online booking/deposits etc) so maybe hold off any further changes at this time.

Rally Fees

At previous AGMs members have questioned how we set rally fees. So Paul thought a discussion was worth having. Prices are going up and certainly for 2027 we have advance notice of many price increases.

Elaine said that flat rates are fine but if a Committee run rally like Easter or other bank holidays where there are obvious extra costs should be at a different rate. Maybe a cost per rally like New Year?

Paul liked the flat rate but there are advantages that people know how much a venue costs.

Mike and Paul to discuss rally prices for 2027 at a later date.

Rally Checklists – Committee attendance

Malton – hosted by Eoin and Sarah. Bob may be attending. They have a hostpack.

Pateley Bridge – hosted by Mr Joyce Eoin and Sarah & Paul will be attending

Thornesians. Jean and Sean hosting,

Host Packs

3 new hostpacks made up and given out at the National. That should be 8 packs. That should mean that any committee attending can assist or can give to host if required.

Treasurers Report?

Nothing to report other than having some issues catching up with the auditors

Rally Officer Report?

Chris provided a report which was read out by Mike in her absence. Cut off point for rallies to be organised and presented to the membership is no longer set in stone as things changes but will be good for the end of the year. Mike would like to have the list ready for end of September.

AOB

Nil

Date & Time of Next Meeting

Sunday 5th July 6pm