

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting

Marcle Bridge Club

25th April 2025

1. Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Mike Gander, Richard Williams, Sarah Wenden, Ian McAlroy, Sue Munday and Pat Jenkins

2. Chair's report

Richard Berrington asked the meeting for approval of the minutes for last year's AGM which was given. Richard Rutter asked where these minutes could be read, and it was stated that they were available on the website.

Editor's note: At the time of the AGM meeting, they were available by clicking the AGM news notice, but as this meeting has now been held, the notice has been removed. However, the AGM minutes (and all other minutes) can still be viewed by any member if they log in to the Members Only area.

Richard expressed his gratitude to all those who have ensured the smooth running of the club over the past year. These include the committee, our directors and scorers, all those arranging or cooking club lunches, and the many other helpers setting out tables, washing tablecloths and clearing away. The meeting endorsed this view with an appreciative clapping of hands.

The club has become cashless during the year, with payments now made by bank transfer. This has been well received by the majority of members. Carol and Steve have put in the extra work to allow for the one or two that continue to pay cash.

3. Treasurer's report

Carol Simpson presented the annual accounts which have been approved by Mike Gander. Printed copies had been made available to all members at the meeting, and will accompany these minutes.

There were no questions.

4. Election of Committee

There incumbent committee had all agreed to stand again, and with there being no other nominations, the current committee was deemed re-elected.

5. Member's motions

No motions had been received.

6. Any other business

Sue Evans asked about the holding of Teams events, which had been agreed at last year's AGM. Steve Betteley replied that we had held Teams sessions whenever there was a fifth Friday in the month, with a sole exception where the Teams session was held one week later.

There being no other business, the meeting was closed.