



**Minutes of the 559<sup>th</sup> Committee Meeting of the West Sussex Centre  
of the Caravan and Motorhome Club held 7.00 pm Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June via  
Zoom**

**1. Apologies for absence:** Dave Wightman, Lee and Janette Mitten.

**2. Attendees.**

Rob Bayes Chair (RB), Keith Wood Vice Chair (KW), Nick Harris Secretary (NH), Sam Wood Treasurer (SW), Carol Wightman Rally Secretary (CW), Janine Aylmore (JA),

RB thanked those present for attending.

**3. Minutes of the previous meeting.**

The minutes of the 557<sup>th</sup> and 558<sup>th</sup> were agreed with minor amendments by RB.

**4. Matters Arising.** NIL

**5. Actions from minutes 558.** Nil

**6. Notification of any other Business.**

JA-Bookings.

**7. Secretary's Report.**

Since last meeting we have had 137 new members, 28 re registered, 34 re joined, 6 resigned and 157 not renewed to centre.

Membership numbers are now. 1 life member, 1038 lead down from 1079, 855 joint down from 899, 20 family no change and total 1914 down from 1999.

31<sup>st</sup> May, email from CAMC relating to new laws on recycling in Wales.

**8. Treasurer's Report.**

£10500.94 in current account. £3.42 in reserve account. All payments up to date

**9. Hon Rally Secretary's Report.**

2025 rallies.

Paddock Wood 6-8 June. Declined. Landowner thinking of selling up.

Fishbourne 12-15 June. CW apologised for the confusion about this one. RB stated CW has nothing to apologise for. Agreed by all.

White House Farm 25-29 July. Confirmed.

Nil booked for January, February or March yet.

AGM. 26-28 September North Hall. Confirmed

The hall cost at Midhurst has gone from £50.00 to £165.00. CW has asked for this to be reconsidered.

Rallies during Jan-March were discussed. The only site available with hard standings is Brighton. Possible visit in February.

Easter Rally at Laughing Fish. JA volunteered to be Rally officer.

2026.

It is possible that the Cuckoo fair may be back on.

#### **10. Southern Centres. (SC)**

Nil to report.

#### **11. South East Region. (SER)**

Nil to report. Meeting next week.

#### **12. Committee with responsibilities: -**

- a. Rally Book 2025. On hold.
- b. Web site. JA reported on her difficulties with getting info on the new system. KW explained that this cannot be changed for this year but next year the old system will be back.
- c. Centre Equipment. DW reported he is taking kit out this weekend for both the Holiday Rally and Stedham.
- d. Plaques. Nil to report
- e. Health and Welfare. Nil to report
- f. New Members Committee. Possible entertainment at rallies discussed. Ecclesden Farm rally could be under threat.

#### **13. AGM 2024.**

Various options discussed but nothing decided. Ferring for 2025 mentioned. Deferred.

#### **14. Lap Top.**

NH reported that the current centre lap top is many years old. A few years ago we paid £300.00 to retrieve the memory onto a hard drive which has now also failed and many records have been lost. This was discussed. Agreed that RB will investigate and purchase a new lap top that will be ready to go hopefully by next meeting.

#### **15. AOB**

JA- Bookings. Dealt with at agenda point 12.b.

#### **16. Date and venue of next meeting.**

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024. Method/venue TBA

Nick Harris. Secretary

Meeting ended 8.25pm