

Melbury Osmond Parish Council

Annual Meeting of Melbury Osmond Parish Council (AGM)

Tuesday 27th May 2025, 7.00pm at Melbury Osmond Village Hall

Minutes

27.05.01 Welcome and apologies

Present: Cllr Paley, Cllr Ward, Cllr Smith, Cllr Coverdale

Apologies: Dorset Cllr Kippax

Parishioners present; Wendy Wheeler, Marg Hayter, Sarah Ward
(possibly Barbara Waine?) and John Senior

27.05.02 Election of Officers

Chair RP (prop RW, seconded MS); temp clerk RW (prop RP sec MS)

Cllr MS (prop RP sec PC), Cllr PC (prop RP sec MS)

27.05.03 Approval of financial statement and Annual Governance

Approved by all councillors and signed by RP & RW

RP expressed his thanks to John Senior for auditing the accounts.

27.05.04 Any Other Business

J. Senior requested to know who was the parish footpaths officer. RP is currently fulfilling this role, but will be contacting David Armstrong about the role. The footpath running over the Meads is overgrown and requires cutting back. The owners of various hedges bordering the Meads also need to cut back where the footpath is being impeded. MS will inform various parties involved.

J. Senior raised the possibility of MOPC joining Evershot PC and wants MOPC to debate the pros and cons of such an arrangement. MOPC will look into this proposal.

Meeting closed at 7.14 pm

27.05.05 Date of the next Annual General Meeting

Tuesday 12th May 2026