

Minutes – Boundless Motorcycle Group AGM & Committee Meeting
13.00 hours on Wednesday 19th February 2025
Held at The Bird In Hand, Bath Road, Knowl Hill, Reading, RG10 9UP

In attendance :

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| Allan Goddard | (AG) | Chairman |
| Ron Still | (RS) | Secretary |
| Martin Down | (MD) | Group Member |
| John Barnes | (JB) | Group Member |
| Derek Cheesman | (DC) | Club Member |

1. Apologies for Absence :

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| Richard Ashcroft | (RA) | Committee Treasurer |
| Pete Gregory | (PG) | Deputy Club Leader |

Nick Colombo, Roger Greenwood, John Turner, Dave Youngman, Richard Shymansky, Paul Christain.

Motorcycle Group AGM

Chairman's report to the AGM.

It's a real pleasure to report to our Club and the Motorcycle Committee that 2024 was genuinely a popular and successful year with excellent support throughout our 'riding exploits'. All our Ride Outs, Tours, Displays and two-wheeled Activities have been very well supported by our Members, throughout the entire 'riding season'.

As always, this is in no small part to the ever active Motorcycle Group Committee members and all the 'supporting' Group Members that muck-in to assist us throughout the year – our grateful thanks to every one of you.

For 2025 we're planning the usual mixture of events and activities; our twice-monthly mid-week Motorcycle 'Ride-outs' (with TVG) from March until October continue to be very popular, and we're hoping to present both a mini UK tour and a foreign tour somewhere in the EU. There will also be an ever popular annual return visit to the amazing Sammy Miller's Museum at New Milton in Hampshire, (yet another day 'exclusive to our club') which we've enjoyed mid-summer over the past four years now.

So, as we've always aimed to do, we'll continue to try to provide something 'attractive; entertaining, and FUN for our Motorcyclists, both Socially and when 'riding out on the straight'n'narrow (or curvey !) – hopefully you can all continue to regularly join us and enjoy !!!!

Allan Goddard – Boundless by CSMA Club: Motorcycle Group - Chairman.

AGM continued.

The meeting attendees aired their views on the past year's activities and a general discussion was held, this included plans for 2025.

No new nominations for the committee posts had been received so current committee members were invited and agreed to continue in their current roles as follows :-

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| Chairman | - | Allan Goddard AG |
| Treasurer | - | Richard Ashcroft RA |
| Secretary | - | Ron Still RS |
| Members | - | Pete Gregory PG (Deputy Club Leader), John Barnes JB & Martin Down MD . |

Committee Meeting cont.

2. Minutes of the previous meeting: 13th November 2024.

The minutes were reviewed and agreed to be a true and accurate record of the meeting.
Proposed by **RS** seconded **AG**.

3. Matters arising from Minutes of the Previous Meeting (not covered elsewhere on agenda)

Nothing relevant has arisen since the last meeting.

4. Recent Correspondence

16/11/24 – ACU News 08th November 2024.

20/12/24 – Boundless, Membership Communities Communique, December 2024.

09/01/25 – BMF News, 090125. Includes update on Hackney Council court case.

5. Boundless Business

Affiliation to the BMF has been completed by **RA** for 2025, the affiliation code is **CLB25HYB**.

6. Treasurer's Report

The Motorcycle Group budget is currently £1478.55, travel costs for the recent AGM/meeting have yet to be debited.

7. ACU Business

We remain affiliated to the ACU, the Brighton Office is the point of contact and they will deal with future renewals.

The committee expressed disappointment at the cancellation of future National Road Rallies, many Motorcycle Group members participated and enjoyed these events.

8. BMF Business

Affiliation to the BMF has been completed by **RA** for 2025, the affiliation code is **CLB25HYB**.

BMF Briefings have been received as shown in recent correspondence, these have been circulated to committee members.

9. Recent Events

None.

10. Future Events

1. **RS** is organising a tour to France/Belgium taking in the classic race meeting in Chimay, it will be entered on the Motorcycle Group page on the website shortly.
2. An early June 2025 UK tour to Bishop Auckland is being organised by two members of Boundless but it is not being organised through Boundless.
3. **AG** is looking to organise a Group visit to the National Motorcycle Museum in Birmingham, it is planned for 28th June 2025.

11. National Events (not motorcycle related)

Events are currently being planned, details will be in Boundless Magazine and on main website.

12. Member Contact (via CSMA Club Magazine, Motoring Ahead, Website, Facebook, etc.)

No update available.

13. Walter Horne Spirit of Motorcycling Award

Recently presented to Allan Goddard by **RA** at the Haynes Motor Museum visit.

14. Any other Business.

Ongoing - A member, Brian Ley, in the Sussex area is keen to set up a local motorcycle group through Boundless. It was thought that a meeting with some committee members can be arranged to look into the request.

15. Date and Venue of Next Meetings

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday 28th May 2025 at the Bird in Hand, Bath Road, Knowl Hill, Reading, RG10 9UP. It will commence at 13.00 hours, lunch will be available at 12.00 hours.

The meeting closed at approx. 15.15 hours.

ACTION POINTS SUMMARY

New Action Points – None.

Closed Action Points – None.

Ongoing Action Points – None.