

Civil Service Motoring Association

Minutes of the 65th Annual General Meeting of the Peterborough Group

Date: 4th March 2026.

Venue: The Club Room, Peterborough Milton Golf Club, Milton Ferry, Milton, PE6 7AG.

Present: 28 members & 2 guests.

Meeting opened at 7.30pm.

Apologies: Mr. & Mrs D. Dykes.

Minutes of the AGM 2024: Were accepted by the meeting as a true and accurate record.

Proposed Mr. M. Wabe, and seconded Mr. T. Gowler.

Matters Arising: The Groups and Committees Charter were sent to Brighton.

Group's Annual Report Mr. G. Hadnam, Chairman.

Once again we have had an exceptionally good year with the usual, variety of interesting talks. 2 by Mike Wabe, a regular at our events at Milton, with good attendances for both talks. We had a visit to one of the local Mosques which was well attended and everyone found interesting as indicated by the number of questions asked! One of my favourite talks was by Louisa Evens about Talbot House

I enjoyed the train ride to the Grainstore Brewery in Oakham and visit to the Castle there, good food, drink and company, which is just what this group is all about in my opinion.

2 other regular events, the barbecue and treasure hunt were also well supported as were the usual 2 lunches at PARCS.

Most of our Committee attended the Volunteer Recognition event in Stratford-Upon-Avon and it was great to come home with several awards.

Finally, I would like to thank the Committee for their support during the past year and all of you, the members, for attending our events, without which the group would not be so successful.

Geoff Hadnam (Chair)

The report was accepted by the meeting, proposed Mr. P. Morris and seconded Mr. J. Taylor.

Treasurers Annual General Meeting Report 2026

Please note that this report is for year January 2025 to December 2025.

A good year as far as I have been concerned. We have not used the full quota that we had budgeted for, due mostly to the fact that I had anticipated an increase in the cost of room hire which did not happen, also we carried forward quite a large amount last year, also in anticipation of increased room hire, which again did not happen.

We do like, and have been fortunate in being able to make refunds on events where members were unable to attend, even at short notice, but we fear that this may not be as possible in future as, due to harsher trading conditions, our suppliers are becoming less generous in this respect.

I would like to thank all the committee for their assistance but, in particular Marjorie and Maureen, whose assistance has made my job so much easier.

We would very much welcome interest from members in achieving succession on the three key committee posts as we are all getting older.

Tony Mason

Hon. Treasurer Peterborough Group

The report was accepted by the meeting, proposed Mrs. A. Smith, and seconded Mrs. A. Taylor.

Election of Officers: Chairman: Mr. G. Hadnam Nominated: Mrs. M. Hadnam.

Treasurer: Mr. A. Mason Nominated: Mrs. M. Hadnam.

Secretary: Mr. R. Thomas Nominated: Mr. A. Mason.

Election of Committee: Mrs. M. Hadnam Nominated: Mr. P. Morris.

Mrs. S. Gowler Nominated: Mr. T. Gowler.

Mrs. M. Mason Nominated: Mr. R. Thomas

Mr. T. Gowler Nominated: Mrs. S. Gowler.

Mr. P. Morris Nominated: Mr T. Gowler.

Mrs A. Smith Nominated: Mr T. Gowler.

All were voted elected en-bloc to the committee. Proposed Mr. B. Satwick and seconded Mrs. F. Rookes.

Groups Charter: The Groups and Committees Charter will be signed by the chairman when the revised versions are received from Brighton.

Any Other Business:

Mr. T. Gowler proposed a vote of thanks to the officers which was unanimously carried by the meeting

The meeting closed at 7.42pm.

Signed.....(Chairman)

Date.....

R. J. Thomas (Secretary)

The meeting was followed by a talk from Mike Wabe on "The Lethal Lawyer".

Events for 2025 - Appendix 1

Date 2025	Event	M	G	TA
Wed 8th Jan	Talk on Kings Lynn	24	6	30
Wed 5th Feb	A Man of influence	25	4	29
Wed 5th Mar	AGM – Coffee by Mike Wabe	22	3	25
Wed 16th Mar	Parcs, noon	29	0	29
Wed 2nd Apr	Bird impressions talk by Nick Penny	26	4	30
Wed 21st May	Visit to a Peterborough Mosque	24	4	28
Sat 14th Jun	Picnic at Burghley House with visit	15	4	19
Wed 23rd Jul	Treasure Hunt	32	4	36
Wed 13th Aug	BBQ Milton,	19	3	22
Wed 3rd Sep	Talk - Talbot House, Poperinge	25	5	30
Sat 20th Sep	Brewery lunch +visit to local land mark	19	0	19
Wed 1st Oct	Bawdsey Radar - The Eyes of the Few	30	3	33
Wed 5th Nov	The Gunpowder Plot – Stuart Orme	26	3	29
Tue 25th Nov	Parcs - £20 per person	29	0	29
Wed 3rd Dec	Christmas Carol – Mike Wabe	29	3	32
Total Attendees in 2025		374	46	420
Total number or events 2025				15
Total members who attended at least one event				56
Total members who attended at least three events				37

Milton Golf Club Events


Peterborough Group

Provisional Events for 2026 - Appendix 2

Date 2026	Event	M	G	TA
Wed 7 th Jan	First Aid in the Home	15	2	17
Wed 4 th Feb	Beetle Drive	24	2	26
Wed 4 th Mar	AGM – The Lethal Lawyer Mike Wabe	28	2	30
Tue 17 th Mar	Parcs –booked for noon			
Wed 1 st Apr	Florence Saunders: Pioneer of District nursing in Peterborough			
Wed 6 th May	10-pin Bowling			
Wed 3 rd Jun	Molecey’s Mill visit - £5 per person, start 6pm			
Wed 10 th Jun	Visit First War site, Bury St Edmunds,			
Wed 1 st Jul	BBQ style meal Milton, cost tba			
Wed 5 th Aug	Treasure Hunt – venue tba			
Wed 2 nd Sep	”Talbot House the continuing story”			
Sat 19 th Sep	Brewery lunch + visit			
Wed 7 th Oct	Nelson Talk			
Wed 4 th Nov	Talk by Nicola Sandal			
? Nov	Parcs -to be booked when possible			
Wed 2 nd Dec	Festive Quiz & Music			

Milton Golf Club Events

Peterborough Group AGM Treasurers Report 2025

Income 2025

Brought Forward	£1,781.99
Imprests	£1,040.00
Imprest Rewarding Volunteers	£180.00
Parcs Restaurant 1	£525.00
Burghley House visit	£297.00
BBQ	£285.00
Parcs Restaurant 2	£480.00
Brewery visit (meal)	£170.00
Total	£4,758.99

Expenses

Room hire	£750.00
Speakers	£560.00
Travel & subsistence	£799.56
Advert at Milton	£66.00
Parcs Restaurant 1	£52.00
Burghley House visit	£329.00
BBQ	£70.00
Parcs Restaurant 2	£580.00
Parcs Restaurant (refunds)	£60.00
Brewery visit (meal)	£170.00
Newsletter	£55.36
Rewarding Volunteers	£150.00
Postage	£88.75
Events Treasure Hunt	£13.75
Carried Forward (Bank)	£341.57
Total	£4,758.99

Tony Mason Treasurer of Boundless Peterborough Group