

Slough, Windsor and Maidenhead Branch

Dear Supporter of the Parkinson's SWM branch,

On behalf of the SWM Branch committee, I would like to notify you of changes in the branch membership process and fees. The changes are as follows:

- All memberships will renew on 1st January 2026 and will be valid for 12 months. Any existing membership lapsing before 1/1/2026 will be extended to that date.
- Membership fees will be referred to as Parkinson's UK SWM Branch subscription fees to differentiate from Parkinson's UK membership which is free.
- Parkinson's UK SWM Branch subscription fees for 2026 will be charged at £15.

With some memberships dating back to more than 20 years, many have different renewal terms and fees, which have not been reviewed in recent years. This has created additional admin work and therefore it is time to harmonise and make the process more efficient. Hence the changes detailed above.

Please remember that the £15 SWM Branch subscription fee gives you access to latest information [including newsletters and research updates], to various physical activities funded by the branch [e.g. Hydrotherapy, Physiotherapy, Yoga, Boxercise] and to regular social events [coffee mornings, summer cream tea, Xmas lunch]. Most importantly, it opens the door to interaction and experience sharing with fellow people with Parkinson's and carers in your area.

We hope you will consider joining the Parkinson's UK SWM branch and thank you for support.

Bernard Delahaye
Branch Chairman