

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HELD ON SATURDAY 21 MARCH 2026 AT 14.30 AT GREAT BARTON VILLAGE HALL

Twenty three people attended the AGM of the Coeliac UK, Bury St Edmunds Group at Great Barton Village Hall, Elms Close, Gt Barton IP31 2NR. The meeting took place in the smaller room.
(Incidentally, the larger room was in use by the Suffolk Bee Keepers Association)

Apologies: Liz Cox

Minutes . of the AGM held on 8 March 2025 were proposed by Deidre Dobson and seconded by Janet Ely and were accepted.

Matters arising. None

Reports (a) Group Leader: Jane Mitton reported on the year's activities : 4 coffee mornings on 23 January, 24 April, 24 July and 23 October. General group meetings were also held on 8 March, 14 June, 27 September and 6 December 2025. Jane thanked the Committee for their work, the baking group and all those who donated raffle prizes.

(b) Treasurer's Report : copies of the Annual Accounts AGM Statement 2025 were handed out. The Treasurer's report was proposed by June King and seconded by Susan Little and were accepted.

The Committee was then dissolved.

Election of Officers :- There was one nomination for Group Leader. Jane Mitton was proposed by Deidre Dobson and seconded by Jo Tregear and unanimously agreed.

Treasurer -- Patrick Mitton was proposed by Susan Watson and seconded by Jo Tregear and agreed.

Secretary -- Liz Cox was proposed by Gareth Peck and seconded by Janet Ely and agreed.

Committee Members -- Reg Cox, Susan Watson, Stewart Chambers and Alan Bray, proposed by June King and seconded by Judy Tan were re-elected en bloc.

Any other business :- Jane mentioned some events for the coming year such as coffee morning on Saturday 18 April and a Group Summer picnic at Lynn Cardale's on 6 June. Jane also mentioned that due to CoeliacUK direction, all our future events would be publicised by Coeliac UK and not necessarily by a local group.

The business side of the meeting concluded and was followed by two table quizzes before enjoying tea and cakes and the raffle.