

MINUTES OF THE 2024/5 AGM OF THE ASSOCIATION OF EASTERN MOTOR CLUBS

18th March 2025

Held virtually through a Zoom call

The meeting commenced at 20.15

Attendance

Members

34 were present representing 29 clubs as follows

Tony Hewitt Chairman / Kings Lynn MC

Matt Endean Vice Chairman / CMC / MSUK Committees

Chris Musselle Treasurer / CCC

Stanley Graham Wickford AC

Steve Casey Training/ MCAC

Simone Birch ALRC/Leics. Rutland. Land Rover Club

John Boot West Suffolk MC

Jeremy Carr Suffolk Land Rover Owners Club

Dave Clark Weald MC

Laura Cooledge Eastern Counties Motor Club

John Davie Green Belt MC

Rob Davies Mogfriends

Phil Foster Lincoln Motor Cycle and Car Club

Clive Grounds Cambridge CC

Chris Gwilliam RSR Motorsport Safety

Liz Jordan Maidstone and Mid Kent MC / ASEMC

Stuart Kingham Wickford AC / Safeguarding

Tony Michael Web / Comp Sec / CMC

Dan Pearson Anglia Motor Sport Club

Clive Taylor Naylor Car Club

Pete Walters Speed Championship/ HCAAC

Mark Wagstaff Eastwood and District MC

Dave Whyman Sutton and Cheam MC

Kevin Peake ALRC

Ralph Coulson Essex Land Rover Club

Suze Rogers Chelmsford MC

Abi Tether Volkswagen Drag Racing Club

Chris Deal Greenbelt MC

Amanda Lewis - Anglian Rover Owners Club

Pete Boyce Blackpalfrey MC

Paul Barrett CMC Rally Chshp.

Anthony Chamberlain - Suffolk LROC

Ian Marshall Santa Pod Racers Club

Stephen Laing Borough 19

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Apologies

Rob Cook Green Belt MC, Mike Biss Boundless CSMA, Brian Millen Blackpalfrey MC, Andrew Bisping ASCSMC, Chris Barningham BRSCC East Anglia, Don Randle LRLRC, Kevin Dyras Midland Off Road Club, Graeme Williams Equipe Classic Racing, Mark Banham Kings Lynn and DMC, Brian Hemmings Secretary

Approval of the Minutes of the 2023/4 AGM

Acceptance of the minutes of the 2023/4 AGM was proposed by Wickford AC (Stuart Kingham) and seconded by Herts County Auto and Aero (Pete Walters) This was unanimously agreed by the meeting and the minutes were therefore accepted.

Chairman's Report on the previous year

Tony, as new chairman, introduced himself and thanked the clubs that have joined us in the last 6 months. On a positive note the association is experiencing quite an expansion with us now having over 60 clubs across a diverse range of disciplines. It's a learning process for the committee to become familiar with all of these and Tony and team will be aiming to visit as many clubs as possible throughout the coming year to see where the association can add value and support all member clubs effectively.

Treasurer's Report

Accounts have been circulated for 2023/4; Chris Musselle asked the meeting for 2 things:

- To approve the accounts overall, which show a healthy return. There being no detailed questions the accounts were proposed and unanimously agreed
- As an association we pay 50% shares to the ASEMC for the rally and speed championships. Chris asked for confirmation to proceed, this was proposed Maidstone and Mid Kent (Liz Jordan) Seconded Wickford AC (Stuart Kingham). and unanimously agreed

Election of Officials for 2024/25

To confirm from the last AGM, elected officials for 2024/2025 are:

Chair Tony Hewitt

Vice Chair Matt Endean

Secretary Brian Hemmings

Treasurer Chris Musselle

Competition Secretary Tony Michael

Rally Championship Administrator Paul Barrett assisted by Stanley Graham

Speed Championship Administrator Pete Walters

Safeguarding Officer Stuart Kingham

Confirmation of Subscription rate for 2026

The treasurer recommended that the subscription for 2026 should be discussed and agreed at the delegates meeting in Oct/Nov. This was unanimously accepted by the meeting, proposed by Matt Endean and seconded by Steve Casey.

Resolutions

There were no formal resolutions.

Notification of Next AGM

The next AGM will take place in March/April 2026 (covering reports on 2025). A calendar including this change will be created and circulated There being no further business the Chairman thanked the attendees and closed the meeting at 20.15