

BERKSHIRE CENTRE CARAVAN AND MOTORHOME CLUB.

Minutes of the meeting held on 28th April 2026 by Zoom.

The Chair opened the meeting at 19:30.

Present

Chair	Phil Tidbury	Committee	Stuart Bradley
Vice Chair	Mark Parker		Steve Moulds
Secretary	Jane Tuthill		Greg Saunders

1. Apologies

Ian Grover

2. Rally at Dinton Pastures, 10-12 July 2026

Phil and Jo visited the new venue last July and agreed the site fee. Jo subsequently received an email in October about elsan disposal. After multiple attempts to contact Dinton Pastures, Steve finally received an email this week stating that an additional cost would be incurred for providing a tank for elsan disposal. Additionally, the rally would have to finish by 11:00am on the Sunday due to the field being needed for setting up another event.

After discussion the Committee unanimously agreed to cancel the booking in view of having to leave early and the additional charges being raised after the contract had been signed. Phil to contact Dinton Pastures.

Action: Phil

3. St Patrick's Rally at Colleton School, 20-22 March 2026

Phil (as Rally Secretary) had received an email from Colleton School alleging the Centre had forcibly opened and damaged the pool room door (which was behind a padlocked gate) in order to gain access to a water supply. Jane explained the sequence of events. On arrival the tap to the side of the bin store was not working so she contacted the school. The headmistress arranged for the cleaners' cupboard to be left open all weekend to use the water tap in there. Additionally, the site controller phoned Jane to instruct how to turn on the water supply in the bin store. This was unsuccessful due to pipework being missing. Jane to reply to the school to outline the facts and categorically deny causing any damage to the pool room door.

Action: Jane

The Chair closed the meeting at 20:02