

Cambridgeshire Mammal Group



Annual General Meeting - 2024

Here's a short report on the 2024 Annual General Meeting - 6 March 2024.

The Group's 2024 AGM took place at Cottenham on Wednesday 6 March - in many ways the same format and items as in previous years.

The Minutes of the previous year's AGM and the Chairperson's Report had both been circulated in advance and were accepted. The accounts for the year ending 31 December 2023 likewise - a small surplus for a change! The Membership and Finance Officer drew attention to the need to raise the number of members and to raise some funds. Since last year the Group has been asking for expenses and a donation to Group funds when asked to conduct any sort of survey - this has been successful to date and must continue.

The usual Reports (about badger sett surveying, the website, our social media content and the nuse of our WhatsApp group) came next - all accepted with some discussion about each.

Then the Group heard about known events in 2024 - about a dozen in hand - not all with precise dates yet. Some discussion followed about how to persuade more members to volunteer to lead and help at events - see the updated 'Events' page on this website.

Elections of new Officers was next - most importantly the Group elected a new Chairperson!!

The 'retiring' Chairperson had been Chairperson for five years or so and had served in several other posts over the last 30 years plus, but is continuing as Minutes Secretary and Training Officer for at least one more year. The other Officer posts mostly kept the same holder, for at least one more year.