

Notice of Pontesbury & Rea Valley u3a AGM 2026

Dear Pontesbury & Rea Valley u3a members,

Notification of the Annual General Meeting



AGM 2026

MY LIFE AS A MICRO-ARTIST

Between heartbeats and hilarity: the extraordinary life of world-famous micro-artist and celebrated speaker, Graham Short

AGM & OPEN MEETING
Members & non-members welcome

Wednesday
15 July 2026

Time
2.00 PM

Minsterley Parish Hall
A488, SY5 0EH

Free entrance
Refreshments available
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The AGM will be kept short

learn, laugh, live **u3a** Pontesbury & Rea Valley

This is to give notification of the date of Annual General Meeting (AGM) which will be held on **Wednesday 15th July 2026** at an in-person event, commencing at **2pm**, at **Minsterley Parish Hall** in the Callow Room.

We need to have sufficient numbers attending for the meeting to proceed so we would be grateful for your presence, which is important to the ongoing continuation of our u3a. We will try and keep the business end as short as possible before world-famous micro-artist and celebrated speaker, Graham Short will entertain us with a presentation on **"My Life as a Micro-Artist"**. Afterwards we will have the chance to catch up with wine, coffee, tea, cakes and biscuits.

Nominations for Committee members

All members of the committee, whether existing or new, must submit themselves for re-election or election at the AGM, with the Specific Officer roles of Chair, Vice Chair, Treasurer and Secretary requiring to be voted on. All existing committee members have agreed to continue on the committee in their existing roles.

Therefore, the following members have indicated they are willing to put themselves forward for re-election/election at the AGM as follows:

Member	Officer Roles	Committee
Steve Anderson	Chair	Existing
Adrian Windows	Vice-Chair	Existing
Joan Lee	Treasurer	Existing
Sue Anderson	Secretary	Existing
Pat Frost		Existing
Caroline Wright		Existing
Neil Bates		Existing
Nigel Ingham		Existing

The AGM is also the opportunity for us to welcome new committee members – fresh faces are vital to our u3a, bringing new ideas and enthusiasm. If you wish to put yourself forward for nomination, please find attached the relevant nomination form for the election of committee members, which must be submitted to the Secretary by **Wednesday 17th June 2026**. This is not an onerous task, you will always be supported in whatever role you take on and we have good fun.

Submission of Proposed Resolutions

u3a members are invited to submit proposed resolutions with supporting statements to the Secretary by **Wednesday 17th June 2026**. These can only be accepted if they are proposed and seconded by two u3a members. The proposer and seconder of a proposed resolution must be prepared to be present at the Annual General Meeting and to speak in its support, otherwise it will be withdrawn.

Any Other Business

u3a members are also invited to submit any items to be raised, with supporting explanations, to the Secretary by **Wednesday 17th June 2026**.

Agenda

A detailed agenda plus details of committee nominations and proposed resolutions received for the AGM, will be circulated to all members by **Wednesday 24th June 2026**.

Documentation

Please find attached:

- the Chair's Report for 2025-6
- the Annual Accounts for 2025-6
- the Minutes from the last AGM
- Nomination of committee members form 2026
- Proposed resolution form 2026

If you have any queries, please contact the Secretary, Sue Anderson.

Date: 22 April 2026

Sue Anderson

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