

CARAVAN AND MOTORHOME CLUB HOME COUNTIES REGION

Meeting 16 November 2022 – Precis

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1.	<p>Actions and Matters Arising from the Minutes of the Regional AGM on 8 October 2022:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Facebook advertising for the Windsor Horse Show: Whilst it was still unclear why the problems with the 2022 event had occurred, the Chairman had met the Social Media Manager, Kieran Moggs at the NEC show in October and had discussed the issues. Kieran had confirmed that he was happy to support the 2023 event and the Chairman had already sent him information and approved photographs that could be used on the Facebook pages.• Costs of the EHU equipment: It had been confirmed that the costs for transporting the EHU equipment would again be shared in 2023, with Bucks paying for the transport to Windsor and the costs for transferring the equipment to Northamptonshire to be funded by ClubFest.• Life Membership: It was confirmed that Honorary Members had to renew every 3 years, but it was recommended it would be worthwhile checking each year that their Centre membership was still valid.
2.	<p>Club Business:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Booking Capability: Went live at the beginning of September – quite a few issues to start with, many of which have now been remedied through regular software upgrades.• Sites:<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lady Margaret's Park has reopened after refurbishment• Cheddar phase 2 should be completed by end of December• Baltic Wharf currently open until end of year – as ever, more extensions possible• 11 new CLs added to network this year, but offset by 12 closures.
3.	<p>Secretary's Report:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rally Search Function: The Secretary reported that she had not received any further feedback but had discovered the search function was now working but only up to the end of December.• Club Magazine: Centres and Regions had been asked by the Magazine team to submit information that could be used on the Events Diary and Centre Lines pages. It was pointed out, that without suitable content, the space in the magazine may be lost. There was a 2 – 3 month lead time and the Chairman added that he had recently submitted information about the Windsor event which should appear in the January edition. Information should be sent to magazine@camc.com• Independent Member: There was currently a vacancy for a non-centre representative on the Regional Council. Please contact the Secretary for more information – secretary@homecountiesregion.co.uk
4.	<p>Website & Facebook pages:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wendy Goddard was introduced as the new Social Media Champion. All were encouraged to use the new e-mail address to contact her and hopefully more rallies and events could feature on the Facebook pages – socialmedia@homecountiesregion.co.uk• Lorna was thanked by the Chairman for her hard work in getting the Facebook pages up and running and all wished her well in the future.
4.	<p>Regional Events:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Next year's Question Time would take place at the Silverstone Interactive Museum NN12 8TN on Saturday 25 March 2023, starting at 11am. Buckinghamshire Centre planned to run a rally over that weekend at Stoke Bruerne – see www.buckscaravan.co.uk for more details.
5.	<p>Next Regional Meeting: Wednesday 22 February 2023</p>