

Hartlepool Model Flying Club

**Minutes for the meeting held on
WEDNESDAY 19th February 2025
at Stranton Social Club**

1. Due to Stranton Social Club being unexpected closed the meeting didn't take place.

We didn't find out about the closure until we tried the front door and saw the notice! We will make enquires about this and I'll let you know what's happening for the March meeting. We will either be there or I'll let you know of a different venue.

The following points below were due to be brought up at the February meeting and are there for your information.

2. Chairman's report

Nothing to report

3. Secretary's report

The BMFA has a new Rewards Scheme. The previous one had to be bought into and gave access to discounts at various retailers. The new one is supposed to be free and available to all members. I've sent 2 email to the BMFA about this and finally got a reply today. I'm told the new system will be going live in the next week or so. There will be a Rewards button on the JustGo menu and it will be self explanatory at that point ... so I'm told :o)

4. Treasurer's report

Following payments to BMFA etc. our finances stand as follows.

Cash at the bank = £881.94

Cash in hand = £777.85 (£500 from this for field rent)

Total = £1659.79

Total - Field Rent = £1159.79

There are still 5 Club fees to collect - £125

5. Welfare officers report

Nothing to report

6. BMFA delegate's report

Nothing to report

7. Club business

• Flying Field Update

No information available. Hopefully we can report on the state of the field by next meeting.

• Membership 2025

BMFA and Club fees are now over due. BMFA is £49 and Club £25

We currently have 21 paid members including those who have spoken to me intending to pay

If you are not intending to rejoin our club this year please let me know and I won't start pestering you for money.

• Flyer ID Information from BMFA

Our Club currently only has **14** members who are legal to fly so far this year.

If you have a Flyer ID and haven't yet sent the information to Bob please do so ASAP.

If you haven't got a Flyer ID and the Operator ID on your model you can't fly at the club field

If you've got a Flyer ID then good, if you haven't please sit the BMFA RCC test and get one.

- **BMFA Achievement scheme**

Anyone wanting to take the BMFA A or B competency certificate please see Mike or Bob.

- **Club Merchandise**

We have club hats, caps & sun hats for sale after the meeting.

- **Events on the club website**

This year's new events will be posted on the club website as soon as I can find them. The winter Indoor flying season is taking place at Peterlee and Nissan at Washington. Ask for details if you're interested.

- **Next Months Activities**

Next months meeting will be Wednesday 19th March.

8. AOB

Meeting closed at