

**Minutes of the Snowdrop Valley Committee Meeting held on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup>  
December 2025 at 6.45pm in the Edwin Beckett Room, Moorland Hall**

**Present: Committee Members** Cllr Eric Norman (Chair), Cllr Jon Levenson, Jim Winzer, John Anson

Item	Minutes	Action
	<b>Public Question Time.</b> No members of the public were present, and no public comments were made.	
25/58	<b>Apologies for absence.</b> Apologies were received from Cally Elston	
25/59	<b>Declarations of Interest.</b> Cllr Eric Norman, The Rest & Be Thankful Inn.	
25/60	<b>To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 18<sup>th</sup> November 2025.</b> These were approved and signed.	
25/61	<p><b>Update on volunteers and discuss whether volunteers are needed on market days if volunteers are short.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The market days are on the 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> of February during Snowdrop Valley. Cllr E. Norman will cover the market days from the pub and Cllr Levenson will direct people from the market.</li> <li>- Cllr Levenson will put Jim in contact with a couple of new volunteers.</li> <li>- Cllr Levenson will draft an email to be sent to Councillors asking for them to volunteer.</li> </ul>	Cllr Levenson
25/62	<p><b>Final updates before the event takes place.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- A letter was circulated from Red Stag Safari regarding the taxi service asking for a daily charge to be paid by the Snowdrop Valley Committee for the taxi service. After discussion it was agreed to not pay a daily charge, but volunteers will share the details of Red Stag Safari and Exmoor Wildlife Safari for anyone looking for a taxi service to make arrangements directly with them.</li> <li>- Cllr E. Norman and Jim will circulate the resident's letters and passes in the New Year.</li> <li>- The team are on the case with tidying up the valley and removing any trees where necessary. Cllr E. Norman will be walking all the paths with them to check them.</li> <li>- Cllr E. Norman has been in discussions with highways to try and resolve the best way forward for the A396 road closure that needs to take place at the same time as Snowdrop Valley.</li> <li>- An email was received from an ENPA ranger concerning the safety of some of the trees on the paths. Cllr E. Norman will ask Phil Farmer who is a qualified tree surgeon to examine the paths and any dangerous trees will be removed before the event.</li> </ul>	Cllr E. Norman, Jim,  Cllr E. Norman
25/63	<b>Items for consideration on the next agenda.</b> No items were put forward.	
25/64	<b>Date of next meeting.</b> It was agreed to have a meeting for the volunteers in January and if possible also a brief committee meeting beforehand.	

There being no other business, the meeting closed at 7.10pm

Signed:

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