

**Minutes of The Annual Parish Meeting held on  
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2026 at 7pm at The Village Hall,  
The High Street, Wanborough**



**Cllrs present:** John Emmins, David Hayward, Colin Offer, Gary Sumner, John Warr (Chair of this meeting)  
**In attendance:** Laura Evans (Clerk), and five members of the public  
**Min ref:** APM/18.5/26

**1. Welcome & Introductions**

Cllr John Warr welcomed all attendees to the meeting and noted that, due to an emergency, Cllr Kathy Glanville was unable to attend. In the absence of the Chair, Cllr John Warr chaired the meeting.

**2. Apologies**

Cllr Richard Bellamy and Cllr Nathan Morse

**3. Updates from local organisations and groups**

A report from the Wanborough Toddler Group had been received, outlining how the grant funding provided by the Parish Council had been utilised.

Cllr John Warr reminded those present that grant funding is still available and encouraged local groups to submit applications.

**4. Parish Council updates**

Cllr John Warr led a presentation on Parish Council activity over the last year, this was supported by committee chairs (this can be found online at [www.wanborough.info](http://www.wanborough.info)) or by clicking on [Annual Assembly presentation May 2026.pptx](#)

There are currently vacancies on the Parish Council, should anyone be interested in joining.

**5. Open discussion to share ideas**

It was suggested that Thames Water be approached for a contribution towards the allotment fencing project, particularly as their station is adjacent to the site.

A suggestion was made for an extra dog waste bin at Lotmead.

Wiltshire Wildlife Trust- Trees for climate funding is still available for any local organisations.

Parish Council 5 Year Strategy – No responses have yet been received. Cllr John Warr asked those in attendance for their views on how best to share the strategy and encourage responses. It was suggested that an online survey be created.

**6. Questions**

Footpath 44- The Rights of Way Officer at SBC is establishing the correct route for the footpath and should be completed by the end of year.

The meeting closed at 8:02pm