

Girling Angling Society

Website:- GirlingAS.co.uk

Committee Meeting Minutes from 17th of September 2025

Attendees;- Peter Fawke, Frank Bagley, Roger Middleton, Andy Lacy.

Apologies;- Andy Coles

Membership

- **Full Membership;-** We currently have 33 full members.
- **Associate Membership;-** We currently have 6 Associate Members.

Financial Statement May 2025

- **Income;-** Full £900 / Associate £125 plus bookings of £170.
- **Expenditure;-** This season the cost of both Insurance & the Website have increased & we have the addition of monthly Bank Charges which is around £50 per annum. We also recorded a loss in peg fees, needless to say we recorded an overall loss & the Committee have been considering their options.

Cost of Full Membership in 2026

- The Committee agreed to propose at the AGM an increase in Full Subscriptions to £35.

Club Prize Money

- **2025;-** The Committee decided the level of Club Prize Money this season for the 20 sponsored matches will be £500. That's £25 / match split £10 / £8 / £7 similar to last season. This decision adds to the financial loss in 2025. This is in addition to end of series prize money (£200) & Cutters Cup sponsorship (£150).
- **2026;-** Next season the Committee agreed to limit the level of sponsorship to £500 although this can only be sustained with the proposed increase in Full member subscriptions.
- At the meeting the Committee decided to drop the F&F which due to increasing costs has become unsustainable.

Peg Fees

- To offset losses in peg fees the Committee agreed that if you book on to a match on a Thursday as usual but subsequently fail to turn out the member will be expected to pay for the peg fee. This change will be put to the AGM for your approval.

2026 Venues

- The Committee agreed the full series of matches for 2026, thanks for your suggestions. The list will be published after the venues are booked.