

Sustainable Morchard
Committee meeting
11th March 2026

Present: Stephen W, Paul Tu, Julie, Sheila S, Toni R, Sarah B, Paul Ti

Minutes of previous meeting (11/02/26) agreed as accurate record.

Finances: £930 in account. £31 owed to hall. £10 owed to Bunk for printing.

Review of seed swap. Very successful. Usual coffee morning attendees plus lots of others. Raised £137, £30 down on last year, but raising money is less important than making connections and generating interest. Discussion concerning cakes (cost, free or donations) unresolved.

Need to get our own noticeboard. The borrowed noticeboard was damaged. SW will speak to Wendy about this. SW has suitable material at home to make a board. He will investigate this. Shop bought boards cost £80-150 for three-sided board.

Film show (14/04/26) Bunk will produce posters. Stephen L has copy of poster promoting film produced by film company.

Hall booked from 6.30 - 9.30. Wilding film will start at 7.00 pm. Bunk will introduce the evening. Short refreshments break, followed by stork film. Nick and Clare Withers will be asked to take a short Q and A session.

Steve will provide tea, coffee, sugar and milk.

Toni will contact MM for diary entry. Paul Tu will place advert in MM.

The technology will be tested during our next committee meeting (08/04/26).

Plant swap Start growing plants. Robert of Lydcott nursery keen to support plant swap with vegetable and flower plants.

Flyers will be printed to distribute at coffee mornings.

Will be discussed more fully at next meeting.

Toni/Sheila will ask Sarah G for tray boxes.

Morfest Rubbish (recyclable and non-recyclable) will go to Sarah's bins.

Our role as a group will be setting up bins and signage before the event and helping with the clear up afterwards.

Toni and Sheila will discuss the use of plastic beer glasses at the next Morfest meeting. We shall consider offering to buy 200 glasses at c £160, and clean dry and store at Sports Club.

AoB Paul Tu will compile a list of email addresses of village organisations to promote SM events

Next meeting: Wednesday 8th April, 7.00 pm Memorial Hall.

Chair: Paul Ti

Minutes: Julie

