

Minutes of the BATC General Meeting

Held at the Midland Air Museum on Sunday 2nd August 2026 at 11:30am

A copy of the slides for all presentations are available at
https://wiki.batc.org.uk/images/6/68/CAT_26_GM_2026.pdf

Apologies

Apologies for absence received from Tony G3UIS and Ian G8XZD. It was noted that 50 paid up BATC members were present.

Previous minutes

The Minutes of the 2024 General Meeting were accepted unanimously as previously published.

BATC update and report

Gareth Evans G4XAT made the Chair's report on behalf of the committee.

Treasurer's report

Dave Crump gave the Treasurer's report and presentation of the accounts.

G3VZV asked whether the committee believed the decision taken at the 2024 GM of maintaining the cash and shop stock assets at a constant level was correct. The treasurer stated that he believes it was not the correct decision and that the committee should have the freedom to manage the club accounts as they see fit.

Following some discussion G3VZV proposed a motion to cancel the previous decision. This was seconded by G0MJW and carried unanimously.

Award presentation

The Grant Dixon award was presented to Noel Matthews G8GTZ for dedicated service to BATC and the ATV community

Contest awards were presented as follows:

Award	Trophy	Certificate
2025 Christmas Ladder	Clive Reynolds G3GJA	Runner up: Graham Jefferies M1ASR
2025 Christmas Repeater	East Yorkshire Repeater Group GB3EY	South Yorkshire Repeater Group
2026 IARU ATV Contest UK Fixed	Leader: Dave Robinson G4FRE	Runner up: Gareth Evans G4XAT
2026 IARU ATV Contest UK Roving	Leader: Noel Matthews G8GTZ	Runner up: Rob <u>Swinbank</u> M0DTS

Election of Committee members.

6 members were NOT due for re-election

Dave Crump G8GKQ

Frank Heritage M0AEU

Clive Reynolds G3GJA

Phil Crump M0DNY

Tony G3UIS

Jen G4HIZ

G8GTZ, G8XZD are due re-election

2 vacancies for committee members due to G8GQS and G4XAT retiring from committee

2 nominations had been received as follows:

Duncan Rossiter G7VVF

Proposed by Dave, G8GKQ

Seconded by Gareth G4XAT

Chris Smith G1FEF

Proposed by Noel G8GTZ

Seconded by Dave G8GKQ

It was proposed to have a block vote for election of committee members.

Proposed by Dave G8GKQ and seconded by Phil G8XTW. Accepted

unanimously by the meeting.

The 4 members were then elected unanimously to the Committee.

Note club officers & roles are confirmed at subsequent committee meeting

The meeting closed at 11:45

Post meeting Q+A

There was some discussion about how to increase on air activity and the committee will consider how we can promote activity days to get more people involved,