



# HAMBLETON

ATHLETICS & RUNNING CLUB



## 2023 AGM Summary & Call to Action for Volunteers

Thank you to everyone for coming along to the AGM – not only an important procedural meeting, but also a great chance to socialise with HARC buddies. Thanks again to Nige and Diane at Institution for hosting.

There was a proposal to increase the number of committee members from nine to ten (by the addition of another general committee member). The members present at the AGM voted unanimously in favour. I am pleased to announce your club committee for 2023/24:

- Membership Secretary – Alice Inglis
- Secretary – Anna Bonner
- Treasurer (Vice Chair) – Graham Finlay
- Chair – Gemma Wardle
- General Committee Members – Chris Lees, Ruth Hancock, Sara Sherwood, Nige Haresign, Lynn Inglis, and Becky Williams.

It is lovely to welcome Lynn and Becky to the committee; they are sure to be positive and valuable members of the team, and we are grateful to them for volunteering. I would like to thank the rest of those named above – all of them have now been serving on the committee for more than two years and are still keen to volunteer their time and skills to help develop and maintain our club.

Once decided, the specific roles to be held by each committee member (Head Coach, Welfare etc) will be communicated to club members. We also need to fill the following 'Volunteer Roles' which can be held by any club member (committee or non-committee):

- Buddy Coordinator
- Grants & Funding Officer
- Kit Coordinator
- Mental Health Champion
- Parkrun Liaison
- Route Planner
- Social & Fundraising Events Coordinator

If you missed the chance to volunteer for a non-committee role before the AGM, it's not too late! For further details of what each role involves, please check the Role Outlines document and/or contact the current role-holder for a chat. If you can contribute in one of the roles, please email Anna ([secretary@harc.uk](mailto:secretary@harc.uk)) by Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> March. If you would like to volunteer more generally on an ad-hoc basis, contact any committee member at any point in the year, with details of how you'd like to help.

Thank you for your support, and for making HARC a club of which we can all be proud!

*Gemma*