



Gloucestershire Local History Association

Annual General Meeting and Members' Forum

Monday June 15th 2026 at 2.00 pm at The Heritage Hub



Refreshments from 1.30

Agenda

2.00

Welcome and Apologies.

GLHA business

Minutes of the GLHA AGM held June 16th 2025

Minutes of the GLHA Forum held March 9th 2025

- **Matters arising.**

Chair's Annual Report.

Members will be emailed a written report before the meeting. The Chair will draw attention to main points and answer any questions. There will also be an update on recent activities.

Treasurer's Annual Report.

Members will be emailed a written report and a copy of the Annual Accounts for the year ending 31 March 2026 before the meeting. The Treasurer will draw attention to the main points and answer any questions. There will also be an update on recent activities.

Agreement of the Accounts

Report of enquiries received via email to GLHA by Janet Hudson

Election of committee members for 2026 – 27

We would welcome nominations for the committee. Please send nominations to the Secretary before June 13th. Member Groups will be notified of nominations received.

The Committee 2025 – 26 were:

Janet Hudson (Stonehouse History Group)

Peter Jackson (Painswick LHS)

David Jones (Maisemore LHS)

John Putley (Glos Archives)

Sally Self (Cheltenham LHS)

David Scriven (Cheltenham LHS)

Mary Sullivan (Forest of Dean LHS)

Vicki Walker (Stonehouse History Group)

Willing to stand.....

Peter Jackson (Painswick LHS)

David Jones (GSIA)

John Putley (Glos Archives)

David Scriven (Cheltenham LHS)

New nominations received – Eileen Allen (Swindon Village)

Election of Chairman, Treasurer and Secretary for 2026 - 27

The Officers 2025 – 26 were:

Chairman – Sally Self (Cheltenham LHS)

Treasurer - David Scriven (Cheltenham LHS)

Secretary - Vicki Walker (Stonehouse History Group)

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Future of GLHA

Report from Glos County History Trust. David Aldred (Trustee)

Report from Glos Archives. John Putley (Community Heritage Officer)

Any other business

Short break

3.00 (approx)

Announcement of the winner and runner-up for the Bryan Jerrard Award 2025

The shortlist has been sent to all member groups and is available on the GLHA website.

followed by

**Heather Collins from Chalford Parish Local History Group
will present
Researching old maps**

In October 2024 Roger Carnt gave a presentation to his group on 'Chalford Parish in Old Maps' and the following year CPLHG published a full colour book *Old Maps of Chalford*, which Janet Hudson has reviewed for GLHA <https://gloshistory.org.uk/book-reviews/>

Roger broadened his selection of maps when he gave another talk on maps in Oakridge, only a few miles from Chalford, but the mapping was significantly different. The county maps produced after Saxton can be of use but for most areas the first detailed accurate maps were produced in the 18th century by Isaac Taylor. However, you can be lucky - Chalford for example has some scraps of maps dating from 1603!

The talk will describe not only the maps he found for Chalford and Oakridge but also across the county. He will be on holiday in June, but his friend Heather Collins (one of the key co-authors of *Old Maps of Chalford*) will be giving his presentation.

Meeting to finish approx 4.00 pm