

South Hill Parish Council

Minutes of the South Hill Annual Parish Meeting held in the Parish Hall, Golberdon on Tuesday, 19th May 2026 at 7.00pm.

Item No.		Action by
1	<p>Welcome and those present: Parish Councillors - Cllrs. A Budd (Chairman), P Tunnicliffe, G Hardman, R Squires, D Hicks, P Hartley.</p> <p>Mrs J Hoskin (Parish Clerk) Three members of the public.</p>	
2	<p>Apologies for absence were received from Cllr J Gale (Cornwall Council).</p>	
3	<p>Councillors Declarations of Interest on items to be discussed. None.</p>	
4	<p>Reports from Parish Council –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Chairmans report. The Chairman reported on the unsuccessful expression of interest CIL funding application for the building of a pavilion on the recreation field. The Council will now explore alternative funding sources. 	
5	<p>Reports from parish organisations-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ St Sampsons Church, South Hill. Judith Ayres gave a presentation on the “Restoring Community Space Project” at St Sampsons Church giving an insight into the seven years of fundraising for restoration work that included the restoration of the bells to an electronic system, work to windows, guttering and the living churchyard. The current project to create a community space in the Manaton chapel was almost complete. Repair work to the tower roof, naïve roof and ceiling were projects for the future. ○ South Hill Connection. It was noted the South Hill Connection continued to be available online. ○ Community Orchard. Ali Humphreys reported on the ongoing work at the orchard with the planting of a time capsule, planting additional fruit trees, and installation of a shelter and water butt. Work continued with the planting of wildflowers and plans for the creation of a pond. Thanks were given to the volunteers who helped make this project happen. ○ SHARE. David Skelton gave an update on SHARE and attendance at a future screening of the Peoples Climate Emergency film. The organisation was investigating the formation of a local energy club to help residents with energy initiatives and getting the best prices. ○ Golberdon Housing Working Party. David Skelton reported the group would be looking at various options for the houses and the number of properties to be built. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Redmoor Mine. Councillors welcomed Emily (Cornwall Resources Sustainability Manager) to the meeting. Emily gave an update on the investigation work at Redmoor Mine and the work planned to extract tin, tungsten, copper and silver, with most of this work being underground. Tungsten was the main product, established as the second highest grade tungsten in Europe. Inert waste would be brought to ground level. Environment and ecological studies would be carried out over the next two years along with noise surveys. 	
6	<p>Questions from parishioners and public.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Golberdon field. Councillors noted a report of problems with the outfall drainage pipe at their field in Golberdon. Information to be sent to the Clerk. 	
7	<p>Any matters to be taken back to the Parish Council for consideration at a future meeting.</p> <p>Recreation field. Councillors gave permission for the use of the field for a car boot sale on the 6th June 2026 and the horticultural show and fun day on the 15th August 2026. Both community events.</p>	
8	<p>To close the Meeting. There being no further business the Chairman thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 7.45pm.</p>	

Dated.

Signed.