

Agenda

Date: 17 December 2025

Ipswich Ramblers

	Present: Chris Ambrose, Rich Ambrose, Rob Young, Paul Buckles, Ann Buckles, Phil Bull	Actions <i>(inits)</i>
	Apologies: Lionel McKay, Helen Howe	
1	Minutes of last meeting	
	The minutes of the meeting held 22 September 2025 - agreed	
2	Matters Arising / Actions completed if not covered elsewhere in agenda	
	Contents of returned first aid kit from Rumana need checking, and check if purchase of crepe bandages has happened. If not, purchase for first aid kit. Bank signatories are now Lionel, Chris and Paul	CA/RA
3	Chairs Report / Area Matters	
	Area zoom meeting 6.1.26 Area AGM 31.1.26 Lavenham Village Hall – to be advertised to Ipswich Ramblers meeting + short walk Chris and Richard will attend Richard shared Area Secretary's impressions from recent attendance at	RA CA RA/CA
4	Finance Report	
	Lionel sent latest report £387.14 in a/c	
5	Membership Report	
	313 members: 17 new 13 leavers in last 3 months Chris will become Assistant Membership Secretary, as this will give access to membership list – will update volunteer roles with Ramblers Head Office	CA
6	Footpath Report	
	Helen & Paul reports all quiet on footpath issues	
7	Holiday	
	21 people currently on the list – have all been contacted with information about Evesham	
8	Future events and programme	
	Soup walk – Hazel Brierley arranging ?April 15 th (committee meeting to follow) Cake walk – July (committee meeting to precede walk & cakes)	
9	AOB	

Date of next AGM - 4th November 2026 Walk leaders who could self-publish – Rob Young, Ian Gosden, Jo Mann – CA to arrange with Ramblers HO Walk leaders who haven't updated their records to get letter in January asking them to train or be removed from list. What to do with notice board – no longer needed. Can be sold or donated to charity – inform Jo We need new walk leaders – send letter via Mailchimp reminding of ease of training and possibility of buddies. Mention the routes already on the website. 31 names on Christmas Meal – menu will be available a few days in advance	CA CA
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Date of next meeting: following soup walk 15th April 2026 (tbc)

GDPR – Committee members consented to their names being included in the minutes above.