

Dalton Book Club
Minutes of Meeting - 22 July 2026
The White Horse Inn

Those Present: K Johnson, D Oliver, D ~~IE~~ Armstrong,
S Entwistle, W Proctor, M Ross, J Dawes,
J Imlach, A Moore, W Phillips
Apologies: A Davidson (still in France)
Absent: G Agassi, L Schofield, J Schofield

The meeting opened at 8pm. The first number drawn was 1, by Mr Oliver

The club was collected. Fines of 5 pence each were paid by Mr Armstrong and Mr Imlach for not returning their books

The wh.p was set at £2 as Mr Moore reported that he is holding £9 in reserves which may be encroached upon

Club Business - Mr Dawes requested a ruling as to whether his second retirement constituted entering into an office of profit, 3 hands were raised in favour, 4 against and 3 abstentions, so the Nays had it. Members noted that Mr Dawes and Mr Johnson had yet to pay their subscriptions. Mr Moore advised that numbers were light for the next Club Dinner on 12 August at the Estuary Bistro in Grange over Sands with only 6 people booked so far. Mr Armstrong offered 1st in his motor vehicle for those who desired them.

Members were asked to consider venues for the subsequent meal - the Squeamish Dinner - in November. Hatfields Restaurant,

the chocolate room and Micha's Thai Kitchen are all located in Dalton and open for consideration at the next meeting.

Members thanked Mr Johnson and Miss Ennis for undertaking their new offices of President and Secretary respectively - the latter thanked the former for his considerable assistance with her role and dept multitasking.

The meeting closed at 8:50 PM

The date of the next meeting is 26 August 2026.