

NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS – **NOTICE OF 2026 SMU3a 15th AGM**

- NOMINATIONS REQUESTED

Date of issue: 1st July 2026

This is the formal notice that nominations are requested for election to the Shepton Mallet u3a Committee at the **Annual General Meeting to be held on Thursday 20th August 2026 at 10.00am for 10:30 am at The Salvation Army Hall, Shepton Mallet.**

Vacancies to be filled at the AGM : Officers:

Chair, Vice Chair, Treasurer, Secretary • Ordinary (non-officer) trustees: up to a total of 8

Constitution allows max. 12 trustees (4 officers plus 8 ordinary trustees).

Nomination requirements: A nomination must be made on the official nomination form and must be signed by

- the Nominee confirming their consent;
- a Proposer who is a paid-up member; and
- a Secunder who is a paid-up member. •

Nominees must be paid-up members for 2025–2026 and must not be disqualified from acting as a trustee under clause 19 of the constitution.

See Nomination form below:

Deadline for receipt of nominations:

Completed nomination forms must be received by the Secretary no later than **23 July 2026** (deadline for receipt). Forms received after that date may not be accepted for inclusion in the ballot or candidate list.

- **How to submit nomination forms:**
- Email: info@sheptonmalletu3a.org.uk or jennyshort@inspir-ed.net
- Post: Secretary SMu3a, 30, Nightingale Grove, Shepton Mallet, BA4 5PZ
- Hand to any Committee member.

The Secretary will post paper copies to those not using e mails.

*NB: The following existing members of the Committee **may** well be prepared to stand again as Trustees but **not necessarily to their current role within the 25/26 Committee**. However, all need to be formally nominated to do so as all trustees are elected annually.*

Tina King, Denise Bailey, Jenny Short, Janet Sherwin, Anthony Warner, Paul Roberts, Josh Hartley

Form for the Nomination to Committee August 2026

This nomination form must be signed by the **person wishing to stand, their Proposer and Seconder and must include their membership numbers if known.**

Name of Nominee		Membership No.
<i>I, the above-named consent to my name being put forward for ballot to SMu3a Committee 2026/2027</i>		
Signeddate.....		
Print name of Proposer	Signature of Proposer	Membership No.
Print name of Seconder	Signature of Seconder	Membership No.

Please email, post or hand to the Secretary by Thursday 23rd July

jennyshort@inspir-ed.net Tel 07782 256 322

Mrs J Short

30, Nightingale Grove

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If you wish to have further information before agreeing to a nomination, then please phone or email.