

# Member Information

## Membership and the charity

Histon & Impington Green Spaces' [Constitution](#) establishes two categories of membership: trustees and ordinary members. The trustee board provides governance and strategic guidance. Day to day operations are managed by supporters through a committee structure ([Organisational Structure](#)). Trustees are members who have put themselves forward and been elected to the role at an AGM<sup>1</sup>. All members can vote at an AGM.

Information about the conduct of the AGM will be circulated to all members via email in advance. All papers for the AGM will be made available to members in sufficient time to allow for proper consideration prior to the meeting.

The charity has a number of [Policies](#) which set out the best practice in key areas as we seek to manage risk and engender a fully collaborative and friendly way of working so that all our volunteers can enjoy making their contribution to the charity's progress.

Should you be interested in becoming a trustee or in joining a committee please contact the Membership Secretary in the first instance and the committee chair will be happy to discuss how you could contribute.

The charity's Vision ([Our Vision](#)) sets out a high level road map. The trustee board is responsible for strategic planning, deciding on near and longer term targets for activities that match the charity's objects as registered with the Charities Commission.

## Member benefits

For all comments, questions or suggestions please contact the Membership Secretary by email to [membership@higreenspaces.org](mailto:membership@higreenspaces.org).

There is currently only one category of membership – single adult – and no membership fee.

As there is currently no membership fee, we do not follow an annual renewal process. This means that you will remain a member until you choose to resign. If annual fees are introduced then this will change.

The AGM is a private event open only to members.

The charity may from time to time organise special events and social gatherings for members. Suggestions on improvements to the membership offer are welcome and should be addressed to the Membership Secretary.

## Thank you for joining!

We understand that each member's engagement with the charity and their involvement in its activities may be unique and we want to create a space for everyone to participate in their own capacity to further the aims of the charity.

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<sup>1</sup> When first registered the charity constitution allowed for unelected trustees. Until the first AGM is held the trustees remain unelected.