

Broads Local Access Forum

Agenda 20 May 2026

Arrival from 9.30am. Meeting starts at 10.00am

Yare House 62-64 Thorpe Road Norwich, Norfolk NR1 1RY

Introduction

1. Apologies for absence and welcome
2. Declarations of interest
3. To receive and confirm the minutes of the Broads Local Access Forum meeting held on 19/11/2025
4. Summary of actions and outstanding issues following decisions at previous meetings- to note the schedule.

Items for discussion

5. **Halvergate Marshes Bridleway Loop** - Update from BLAF member Christine Cane
6. **Norfolk County Council - PROW Footpaths update** - Update from Norfolk County Council
7. **Potter Heigham Staithe re-piling and mooring space** - Report by Waterways Project Officer
8. **Active Travel England Report** - Report by Waterways and Recreation Officer
9. **Integrated Access Strategy Annual Report** - Report by Waterways and Recreation Officer
10. **Potter Heigham and Ludham Marshes NNR CROW Restriction Review Report** - Report by Waterways and Recreation Officer
11. **BLAF Annual Report 2025/26** - Report by Waterways and Recreation Officer
12. **Access for All report** - Report by Waterways and Recreation Officer

Other matters

13. Any other business
14. To note the date of the next meeting

Broads Local Access Forum membership

Member	Address	Phone number	Email	Interest
Richard Atkins	Riverview Cottage Off Church Lane Surlingham NR14 7DF	01508 538083	richard.p.atkins@btinternet.com	Paddle sports/ walking
Keith Bacon	Woodcroft Wood Street Catfield NR29 5DF	01692 581314	keithbacon@broadland.net	Archaeology and landscape heritage
Chris Balls	New member May 2026 - Confirming details			Waterborne recreation
Harry Blathwayt	20 Broad Reaches Ludham NR29 5PD	01692 678644	Harry.blathwayt@north-norfolk.gov.uk	Broads Authority
Natalie Butler	New member May 2026 - Confirming details			Archaeology and landscape heritage
Christine Cane	The Roundhouse 160 Tuttlles Lane West Wymondham NR18 0JJ	01953 606019	christine.cane@bhsvolunteer.org.uk	Equestrian riding and driving
Mark Collins	New member May 2026 - Confirming details			Waterborne recreation
Peter Dixon	The Smea Hickling NR12 0YL	078509 30486	Peterjbdixon@hotmail.com	Broads Authority
Geoff Doggett	68 Pilgrims Way Harleston Norfolk IP20 9QE	01379 853464	geoffdoggett@gmail.com	Waterborne recreation/nature conservation
Tony Gibbons	19 Blithewood Gardens Sprowston NR7 8PS	01603 400973	tonygibbons.ndaa@gmail.com	Angling

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Edward Gilder	30 The Hills Reedham Norwich NR13 3AR	0777188 3406	edwardgilder@yahoo.co.uk	Cycling/ archaeology and landscape heritage
Tim Harris	Catfield Hall Catfield NR29 5DB	01692 580220	tim@catfieldhall.com	Nature conservation / archaeology and landscape heritage
Duncan Holmes	127 Lower Street Salhouse Norfolk NR13 6RX	0739356 6749	duncanholmes123@hotmail.com	Waterborne recreation/angling
Patricia Holtom	7 Market Place Loddon Norfolk NR14 6EY	0779649 1063	pat@holtom.org.uk	Tourism and local business/walking
David Lilley	26 Burnt Hill Way Oulton Broad Lowestoft Suffolk NR33 8PF	0773824 4595	lilleyd@live.co.uk	Angling
Peter Mason	7 Brick Kiln Gardens Catfield Gt Yarmouth NR29 5DW	01692 583152	peter.mason120780@gmail.com	Walking/tourism and local business
Katie Phillips	c/o Broads Authority Yare House 62-64 Thorpe House Norwich NR1 1RY	01603 610734	outdoorskatiep@gmail.com	Walking/nature conservation
Darren Reeve	New member May 2026 - Confirming details			Waterborne recreation
Jane Wallis	New member May 2026 - Confirming details			Waterborne recreation
Darren Wynne	New member May 2026 - Confirming details			Waterborne recreation

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Christopher Yardley	Larkhill Cottage Priory Lane Ingworth NR116PG	01263 479691	Ci.yardley@tiscali.co.uk	Waterborne recreational users/ nature conservation

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