

WEBSITE UPDATE

A clearer website for our whole community

We have refreshed the Oakley Village Pub Ltd website to make it easier for everyone in the village to understand OVPL, follow its work and find important information. The new site also gives shareholders a secure, straightforward way to access information intended specifically for them.

What has changed

- **Clearer navigation and page layouts** make the website easier to use on computers, tablets and phones.
- **Public General Updates and Governance pages** bring community updates, policies and key society documents together as organised document libraries rather than blog posts.
- **A dedicated shareholders' area** keeps shareholder updates, meeting papers and questions in one secure place, with documents presented in a clear order.
- **A simpler account-creation process** gives existing shareholders clearer instructions, improved password guidance and easier access to their information.
- **Better management behind the scenes** lets authorised OVPL volunteers add, remove and organise documents consistently, helping information stay current and easier to maintain.

Why we have made these changes

The website needed to serve the wider community as well as existing shareholders. These changes give villagers a clearer view of how OVPL works, what it is doing and where to find official documents. They also improve transparency, accessibility and the long-term management of OVPL's digital records, while protecting information that should only be available to shareholders.

Membership numbers will be provided at the AGM

Existing shareholders will receive their membership number at the AGM. It will be used when creating an online shareholder account, so please keep it safe. Further instructions will be provided at the AGM.

Explore the site - and get involved

Everyone in the village is encouraged to explore the refreshed website, read the latest documents and learn more about the community ownership of the Chandos Arms. Existing shareholders will be able to create or sign in to their account once they have their membership number. If you are not yet a shareholder, the website also explains how you can join OVPL and help support the long-term future of our village pub. For help or questions, contact hello@oakleyvillagepub.ltd