

Liberal Democrats for Electoral Reform AGM 2025: Membership Secretary' s Report

LDER membership has maintained a healthy state during this year: many have renewed their membership, and we have also welcomed some new members. We currently have around 215 members. Thank you to everyone who has recently joined us or renewed membership.

There has also been an increase in the number of people signing up to receive our newsletters and updates. There are 2170 on our current mailing list for members and supporters.

Thank you to those of you who helped staff the exhibition stalls and at the fringe events in Harrogate and Bournemouth: as always, this presence at conference plays an important role in growing the membership and encouraging party members interested in hearing more from us to join our mailing list.

As mentioned at last year's AGM, we have been conducting regular surveys to follow up with new members and subscribers - special thanks to Georgina Maynard from our Campaigns Team for her valuable input on this. It has been very helpful to gather views on what we can do further our campaign. For example, there was a good deal of interest in topical Zoom meetings for members and supporters, which we plan to make a regular feature of our activity in the coming year.

We are always happy to hear from those who would like to join LDER. Membership gives you the right to vote at our AGM and to stand for our executive, and your subscription gives us the essential funds we need to run our campaigns. You can join via our website here:

<https://www.lder.org/join-us>

When you join, you should receive an e-mail with the option to sign up to receive our regular e-newsletters and stay up to date with the campaign. To make sure we are GDPR compliant, we do need to request specific, separate permission for this: thank you for your patience and understanding about this two-step journey. If you would like to hear from us regularly and are not yet on our mailing list, you can sign up here:

<https://www.lder.org/sign-up-for-updates>

If you wish to check your membership status or have any other membership-related matters to raise, please do get in touch at info@lder.org or helenlder@gmail.com

Helen Parker, October 2025