

## **Open Morris Secretary's Report**

During the past year in my post of Open Morris secretary my duties have been to support the other Open Morris committee members in their roles. This has been done remotely as the committee is now spread throughout the country. We have had one face to face meeting this year. My main tasks over the previous year have been:

- I have attended and minuted meetings of the Open Morris committee and Open Morris officials including one in person, the Officials meeting after the JMO day of dance in Exeter.
- I have helped with the AGM, producing the minutes for last year's meeting and helping to organise this year's meeting, and have made plans to host a hybrid AGM for 2024.
- I have attended JMO meetings as required.
- I have helped connect our newest Open Morris Side in Cornwall with people in the folk community who have been able to help them on their Morris Journey.
- The highlight of the year was attending the JMO Dday of Dance in Exeter organised by Beltane Morris.
- I have also manned the Secretary's email account sending and replying to emails.

Hetty Bevington Open Morris Secretary *October 2023*