

Nominations for Trustees

The following are standing for election as trustees at the AGM on 17 November 2025. There are sufficient vacancies to allow all of them to be elected.

Current trustees standing for re-election

Susie Dunham

Susie moved to Bristol in 2005 and has lived in Bedminster since 2016. She first came into contact with the city farm when her son joined the wonderful farm nursery. Susie loves the proximity to nature and sense of community that the farm provides for the local area and is privileged to support this to flourish, as a trustee. Susie's professional experience is in the sustainability field, across public, private and third sectors.

Jon Lund

Jonathon has been a resident of South Bristol for over 15 years and currently lives in Knowle. He has a two year old son. Both love the Farm and visit here most weeks. He also has a 13 year old and a 10 year old who have many happy memories from the Farm. Jonathon is passionate about the value of community assets such as the Farm and has enjoyed seeing how the Farm has grown and evolved but stayed true to its core mission.

Jonathon is a senior finance manager, working in the NHS in Bristol. He applied to become a Trustee because he has reached a point in his professional career where he wants to start giving back some of his time, experience and skills to his local community. Jonathon brings a wealth of experience to the Board and will be providing support to the senior leadership team in areas of business and financial strategy and in the role the Farm plays in supporting and enriching the South Bristol community alongside public services such as NHS and social care.

New trustees standing for election

Ben Thomas

Ben is a Senior Associate at the London-based law firm, Bates Wells, which is a market leader in the charity and not-for-profit sectors. Having trained at a big corporate law firm, Ben now advises all sorts of charities and non-profits, from small amateur sports clubs all the way through to international charities. He moved to Bedminster in 2024 and Ben's daughter uses the Farm's facilities regularly.

Louisa Mafeld

Louisa has volunteered at Windmill Hill City Farm for nearly four years, supporting the Animal Care for Wellbeing programme. After over a decade in the corporate world, she changed direction post-pandemic, joining JHF Youth Charity as a youth mentor and now works as Programme Lead. She is grateful to be part of the farm community and has a long-standing love for animals- especially goats!



Karina Joseph

Karina is a long-standing resident of Windmill Hill and proud mother of two daughters who attended the WHCF Nursery. She is committed to addressing global environmental, health, and development challenges.

Karina works as a Bid Manager and Social Value Lead. Before this she worked in decarbonisation in the social housing sector and for an education NGO. Her experience in international development, sustainability and local engagement equips her with valuable insight to guide the charity in its mission to create a positive impact.