

Panel Henwyn Tyller hag Arwodhyow Place-name and Signage Panel

Dydh / Date: Dy'Gwener 16ves a vis Me 2025

Le / Venue: Friday 16th May 2025

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- 2. Kovnotyansow / Minutes
- 3. Materow ow sordya / Matters arising
- 4. Materow Ughella / Strategic Issues
- 5. Arwodhyow yn stretow / Street signs
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- 7. Negys aral / Any Other Business
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Paperow a vern / Background papers

- Kovnotyansow kuntelles a veu synsys 25/04/2025 / Minutes of the meeting held 25/04/2025 – Previously circulated
- Outstanding Street names
- Missing St Levan names

Ober A-dheu / Future Work

- Penwith Place Names
- Finish Parishes
- Intermediate Names



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Kovnotyansow an kuntelles synsys: Dy'Gwener 16 mis Me 2025

Draft Minutes of the meeting held: Friday 16 May 2025

Attendees: J Edmondson; K George; L Jenkin; C Lake

In attendance: S Rogerson

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1 Diharesow / Apologies

T Moyle; R Sheaff

2 Kovnotyansow / Minutes

Minutes of the meeting dated 25 April 2025 were read and agreed as correct.

3 Materow ow sordya / Matters arising

Parkvedras Terrace, Truro = **Terras Park Karvodres**

Amended from "Parkarvodres" to help make the elements clearer.

4 Materow ughella / Strategic issues

None

5 Arwodhow yn stretow / Street signs

Hillside View, Lostwithiel = **Gwel an Mena**

6 Henwyn tyller / Placenames

Black Carn (SW360222) = Pedn Du

Carkease Cliff (SW401224) = **Als Karkeys**

Located on Cribba Head. May contain <kar> and <ke> 'hedge'.

Extant remains of a stone structure recorded at Cribba Head

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which may be a cist.

Carn Barra = DEFERRED

Deferred for further research to determine whether the element could be <bar> 'loaf' due to its shape as a coastal mark. An alternative meaning was <barrow> 'summits'.

Carn Base (SW309197) = Karn Bas

Containing <karn> 'carn' and <bas> 'shallow'.

It is a rocky shoal, with a depth of 9.9m, lies about 2 miles S of Longships, near the W edge of a bank. (source: https://www.govinfo.gov/)

Carn Guthensbras (SW364217) = Karn Kudhen Vras

Containing <kudhen> 'hidden place' + <bras> 'large'.

Carn Boel = Karn Bool

Weatherhill suggests "axe-shaped crag" for Carn Boel.

Carn Lês Boel (SW355232) = Karn Les Bool

A cliff castle located on the opposite side of Mill Bay (Nanjizal) from Carn Boel. Possibly <les-> 'false', as in <lesvroder> 'step-brother'.

Carn Mellyn (SW449237) = Karn Melyn

Located on west side of Lamorna Cove. Thought to contain <melyn> 'yellow'.

Carn Scathe (SW373216) = Karn Skath

Carn Stone = OMITTED

One mention notes the following: It is only a few metres in extent but the Lee Mean rock, awash at low water, lies 100 metres eastward of the Runnel and the Carn Stone, with 2.2 metres over it, 200 metres northwest.

The exact location wasn't identified.

Runnel Stone = **Men Fros**

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Chair Ladder = **Golva Harry an Lader**

Recorded historically as "Tutton Harry an Lader" c1680. The "tutton" may be 1700 thieves cant from Middle English *tuten* 'to peep, peer' (source: egwwritings.org). There are also was also similar words for a "toting-hill" and "tote-hill", which is an observation place; see: Warbarrow Tout, Dorset.

Chyanhor (SW381245) = Chi an Hordh

There is an unnamed house and garden on the St Levan tithe apportionment (plot 95). Based on the location of nearby fieldnames "Chyanhor Field" and "Chyanhor Downs", this may be the location of the Chyanhor.

Trebehor = **Trebugher**

The settlement of Trebehor is first recorded in 1284 when it is spelt "Trebuer". This would imply the term <bugher>, an alternative term similar to <bughwas> 'cowboy'.

Gamper (SW345256) = **An Gemper**

May be related to <kemper>, a 'meeting of currents'. There would be eddies expected at these locations due to the streams. The historical "Gamper Sees" c.1880 could be referring to the joining streams.

It appears to be the name for the entire bay area at Sennen and St Levan.

7 Negys aral / Any other business

None

8 Dydh an kuntelles nessa / Date of next meeting

Friday 20 June 2025, 10-12.30pm; Microsoft Teams meeting