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Hartpury Annual Parish Meeting

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held at 7.30pm on the 28th May 2024 at Hartpury Village Hall following the Hartpury Village Hall Meeting.

Present:

Cllr Cllr R Gregory, Cllr M Clarke, Cllr C Davies, Cllr K Freeman, Cllr R Pett

16 members of the public were present.

The meeting was chaired by Cllr A McGhee and the minutes were taken by the Clerk.

1. Welcome

The Chair welcomed those present and the meeting opened at 7.30pm

2. Apologies for Absence

Apologies were received from Cllr R Watson
County Councillor P Robinson, District Councillor P Burford and District Councillor C Williams

3. Matters Arising

There were no matters arising.

4. Report from County County Councillor – P Robinson

Cllr P Robinson sent his apologies.

5. Report from District Councillor – P Burford

Cllr P Burford sent his apologies.

Report from District Councillor – C William

Cllr C Williams sent his apologies.

6. Report from Police

The police were unable to attend the stats will be added to the minutes when received.

7. Parish Council Chairman's Report and Finance

The Parish Council Chairman gave a report to the meeting and gave a brief summary of the finances for the year and the earmarked reserves, copies of both reports are attached to the minutes and will be included in the reports attached to the minutes on the website

8. Reports from local groups

Drama Group – a representative attended the meeting and read out on behalf of the Drama group, a copy of the report is to be sent to the Clerk and will be attached to the minutes and added to the website.

Little Oaks Nursery - Little Oaks were unable to attend, a report could not be submitted at this time.

Primary School – The Headteacher was unable to attend the meeting and a report could not be submitted at this time.

Friends of the Primary School - Hartpury School Headteacher was unable to attend the meeting and a report could not be submitted at this time.

Hartpury Heritage Trust and Hartpury United Charities – a representative was unable to attend but submitted reports for the groups which were read out by the Parish Council Chairman, copies of the reports are attached to the minutes and will be included in the reports attached to the minutes on the website.

Methodist Church – The Methodist Church is sadly no longer operating and this will not appear on future agendas.

Hartpury PCC and Church – The Vicar was unable to attend due to attending another meeting, a report was provided by Jim Chapman and was read out on behalf of the PCC and Church and will be attached to the minutes and added to the website.

Hartpury College and University – The Principle was unable to attend due to other commitments, no report could be submitted at this time.

Hartpury WI – The WI were unable to be represented at the meeting and no report could be provided at this time.

Village Hall – The Chairman attended the meeting and gave a report on the Village Hall, a copy is attached to the minutes and will be included in the reports attached to the minutes on the website.

Hartmore School - Hartmore School were unable to attend the meeting, a report could not be provided at this time.

Walking for Health – a representative attended the meeting and gave a report on behalf of Walking for Health.

3 Shires Rally – a representative attended the meeting and gave a report on the planned 3 Shire Rally due to take place in September. They advised that on this will run from the 14th to the 15th of September and that on the evening of Saturday 15th September there will be a spectator evening at Castle Morton Common followed by the rally on Sunday 16th September.

Full details are/will be available nearer to the time via the Rally website.

The Parish council were advised that applications can be made later in the year for the benefit of the Parishioners/Parish.

Speedwatch Group

A representative for the group attended the meeting and gave a report on the activities undertaken so far and the results, submissions of the results are also made to Gloucestershire Constabulary.

9. Public Question Time

It was noted that the bridge on the footpath at the Orchard Centre has two broken slats which have been reported to the footpath team but will be highlighted again.

The growth from Pear Tree Cottage on Corsend Road needs to be cut back or reported to Highways to pursue.

Thanks were given to the previous Chairman and it was advised to the meeting that fellow Councillors did provide a card and gift by way of personal donations.

10. Closure of Meeting

The chairman thanked all for attending and the meeting closed at 8.15pm.