

BURTON SALMON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on 23th May 2018 at 7pm in the Village Hall, Main Street, Burton Salmon.

1/18 Present - Cllr Foster, Cllr Wroe, Cllr Anderson, Clerk Meir, District Councillor Mackman and County Councillor Pearson.

Apologies – Cllr Raine and Cllr Holmes

2/18 Reports from Councillors –

2/18.1 Village Defibrillator – The Defibrillator is managed by the Community Heartbeat Trust and to date, it has not been used. It continues to be checked regularly by Lesley Crawford, who the Parish Council thanked for this work. The Parish Council are in the process of organising a training event so more residents can get involved and it is hoped that this will be held soon.

2/18.2 Village Hall – The purchase of the village hall was completed and it is now managed by the Village Hall Trust. The hall has been decorated, new blinds have been put up and a new sign is being purchased. Further improvement projects are planned and some funding may be available from coalfield regeneration grants.

Booking are up with regular school bookings, dance and pilates classes and further community events are planned including a dog show and “Rock Salmon”

More volunteers are needed to help with the running of the hall.

2/18.3 Burial Committee – Further maintenance work has been done to the eastern boundary wall and the cemetery has been kept very tidy. The Burial Committee are holding their AGM next week.

2/18.4 Planning – No report provided.

2/18.5 Finances – The 2017/18 Receipts and Payments Account details total expenditure for the year of £7,114, from income received of £8,045. This has increased the funds to carry forward to £8,444. Reserves are required to fund the replacement of obsolete street lights as they become faulty.

3/18 Matters raised by Parishioners – No parishioners present.