

Minutes of Woodchester Annual Parish Meeting held at 7pm on Thursday 12th May 2022 in Woodchester Endowed School Hall.

Present

Cllr Lead (Chairman), Cllr Dunbar, Cllr Hasinski, Cllr Hamilton, Cllr McNealey, Cllr Noon, Cllr Steve Robinson (County Councillor)
7 members of the public
Clerk, Sylvia May

Welcome

Cllr Lead welcomed all those present to the meeting.

Receive apologies for absence

Apologies Cllr Baynham-Honri, Andrew Pemberton (St Mary's Church), Lynn Pennington (Endowed School)

Approve the minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting 13th May 2021

These were agreed as a true record and signed by Cllr Lead

Presentation of annual village report including an update on St Dominic's Primary School, The Convent and The Ram Inn (Cllr Lead)

Cllr Lead summarised the Village Report (available on the website [here](#))

Cllr Robinson updated the meeting on activities in the last year. This included the resurfacing of the A46 from the Shell Garage to Lightpill, the resurfacing of Selsley Road, replacing the yellow zig-zags outside school, widening the cycle track near Birds Crossing, resurfacing of cycle track at Priory Drive and dealing with Ash dieback in the Parish. He is hoping to have news on the Traffic Regulation Order for yellow lines on St Mary's Hill (as well as other areas outside the Parish) soon. He reminded residents that each County Councillor has £30,000 to spend in their area of responsibility, his area being Horsley to Kings Stanley. He has spent £6000 of that on the patching of St Marys

Hill, £7000 on the patching of Church Road and £5000 on clearing the pavement from Culver Hill to the Shell garage.

The Chairman thanked Cllr Robinson for all his hard work in the Parish this year.

Presentation – Woodchester’s new play area (Cllr Dunbar)

Slides from this presentation are available on the website [here](#)

Presentation – Plans for the Jubilee celebrations (Cllr Noon)

Plans for the Jubilee are progressing well with various activities organised over the weekend including a street party near the Village Hall on Sunday 5th with old fashioned races and games for the children in Oakley House. The WI will be serving teas and coffees and there is a group of volunteers making bunting from recycled materials. Lunch with Friends has been moved to Friday 3rd for a Jubilee Tea and there will be a Coronation themed trail over the weekend organised by the Endowed school. The Village Hall will have an exhibition and selfie frame for photographs.

Discussion - What would you like from your Parish Council?

Cllr McNealey presented the priorities for the Parish Council over the remaining two years of the current term. This is available on the website [here](#)

Meeting closed 8.35pm

Chairman

Date