

# HAWTHORN PARISH COUNCIL

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The Annual Parish Meeting of the Hawthorn Parish Council was held at 7 pm on  
Monday April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021 using ZOOM.

## MINUTES

### Present

Cllr. Alan Askew (Chairman)

Cllr. George Vest (Vice- Chairman)

Cllrs. Maxine Smith, Sheila Irving, Sheila Wilson, Carolyn Winter, Dianne Hughes

3 Residents and 1 visitor

Officer: Lesley Swinbank (Parish Clerk)

### 1 Welcome by the Chairman

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting and asked everyone observe a minute's silence in respect of the recent death of HRH Prince Philip.

### 2 Apologies

DCC Cllr. Angela Surtees

### 3 Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting 2019

**RESOLVED**

**To approve the Minutes of the Parish Meeting 2019**

### 4 Matters Arising

There were no matters arising due to no meeting being held in 2020 due to the Covid pandemic.

### 5 Reports

#### 5.1 The Annual Report

The Clerk was thanked for producing the Annual report.

**RESOLVED**

**To approve the Annual Report**

#### 5.2 The Community Centre Report

Cllr. Sheila Wilson gave the report from the Community Centre.

Cllr Wilson said it had been a very difficult year due to covid and the only successful event had been the Pumpkin Trail in October. However the Centre has undergone repairs and refurbishment whilst closed for use and it is hoped to reopen in May in time for the elections.

**RESOLVED**

**To approve the report.**

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## **5.3 Police Report**

There was no report.

## **6 Any other business**

### **6.1 Boundary Wall : Wheel House**

Mr. and Mrs Thompson said they had been disappointed to learn that issues had arisen over their refurbishment of the wall around their property at Wheel House. They had recently moved into Hawthorn and whilst not intending to carry out works to the wall, had found this was very necessary. However they had only learned of the Parish Council's concerns through the Parish Council minutes.

Mr. and Mrs Thompson had taken up the opportunity to write a short explanation of the situation in the Community Round Up.

Members said it was unfortunate that this had marred their first few weeks living in the village and hoped that they would enjoy their new life in Hawthorn.

The Chairman thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting at 7.35pm