

BLISLAND VILLAGE HALL

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Minutes of the Village Hall Committee Meeting held via Zoom on Wednesday 27th January 2021 Following the AGM

Present:

Len Croney (Chair), Martin Wilson (Vice Chair), Ron Wilson (Treasurer), Edith Carey (Secretary), Rick Carey (Maintenance), Ingrid Bibb, Mary Pope and Bill Pope

Apologies

All committee members were present.

Minutes of the meeting held on 19th November via zoom (Attached)

The minutes of the last meeting were agreed as a true record and adopted.

Matters Arising

Len informed the meeting that he was standing as a Candidate for the Green Party for Lanivet and Blisland as he felt the committee should be informed in case they felt there could be a conflict of interest. He doesn't think this will effect his chairmanship of the Village Hall Committee.

Treasurer's Report

Ron had circulated his report following the AGM

Income was down greatly and without the grants the hall would have been struggling as due to the Coronavirus, it had been shut for the best part of the financial year. We need to do the best we can using the grants to engender more interest in the hall and if the monies are spent judiciously it could make a difference to our income.

The idea of using Carne to Cove was discussed and it was agreed it might be an idea to look at booking acts individually, as was the case with performers such as Johnny Cowling. It would certainly be worth looking into.

Maybe larger businesses could use the facilities for satellite meeting. One idea was to send information to places such as County Hall or maybe the hospital trusts.

It was agreed people think of ideas and forward them to the chairman within a month so that they can be discussed at the next meeting.

Thanks went to Ron for once again producing an excellent report.

Facebook Page

Thanks went to Ingrid who informed the meeting that the facebook was up and running as was the instagram site.

The Parish Council has produced a new web site which had been circulated for consideration by the various groups in the village. Ingrid forwarded a copy to all the committee members. (It would appear the site has been taken down).

It was agreed that we try to arrange a zoom meeting with Lee Spencer re: the village web site. And the dates of 10th and 11th February were suggested. Ingrid will contact Lee.

A O B

New cups had been given to Mary for the village hall which she is going to put into the kitchen. She will mention this to Sandra.

Ingrid had suggested that maybe the village hall could put together some competitions, maybe a photographic competition – ‘What I Did to Amuse myself During Lockdown’ Ingrid agreed to arrange this. The closing date 28th February. Ingrid and Edith will do poster. There will be two age groups under and over 16 years of age. The chairman will be the judge.

The dehumidifier in the Manor Suite is to be switched off and a natural one put in it's place. Ron will speak to Keith about the dehumidifier and also reducing the temperature in the hall as the oil has been used up very quickly and no one is using the hall.

Mary asked whether the boiler had been serviced which needed to be done. If it has not been done, Ron will check with Keith when he speaks to him, Len will book Mitchell and Webber to carry out the service.

Date of Next Meeting

Wednesday 7th April at 7pm

Meeting closed at 8.25 with thanks to all for attending.