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LAXFIELD ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Monday 22 May 2023 at 7 30 pm in the Village Hall

MINUTES

Seventeen members of the public were present including Parish Council Chair, Sue Innes, who chaired the proceedings.

The minutes from the Annual Parish Meeting 2022 were agreed as accurate.

As in previous years, an annual parish meeting booklet had been produced containing all the reports from organisations and groups across the village. The booklet is attached to the minutes and available on the website, www.laxfield.online and additional copies are available in the church entrance. Sue Innes talked through a number of reports and several residents summarised the last year's activities from their group including the village hall and Fressingfield scouts.

A report had not been received by the District Councillor this year due to the elections in May 2023. The new district councillor, Anders Linder, was unable to attend the meeting due to prior commitments.

Peter Gould, county councillor, attended the meeting. His report had been received prior to the meeting and is available on the website. However, due to its length, it is not included in the APM booklet. Cllr Gould highlighted a number of highways issues and took questions from the floor. In addition, he recommended that councillors looked at Eye play area to gain ideas when developing Laxfield's playground.

Questions from the floor were requested and the following points were raised:

1. A resident wanted to say that they felt the parish council worked very hard and they appreciated what had been achieved
2. The pot holes around the Framlingham Road site were highlighted. The resident had reported this as had the clerk and the highways group. Cllr Gould would also follow this issue up with the appropriate contacts
3. A resident thanked Laxfield for the amount of money raised last year for the poppy appeal.

Meeting ended 8 30 pm.