

Cockshutt cum Petton Parish Council

Chairman: Cllr J Cooling

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on Thursday 11th April 2019, at Millennium Hall Cockshutt starting at 7pm

Present:

Residents: 11 residents plus Cllrs. Bowers, Cooling, Morris & Webb
Chair: Chair of the Parish Council Cllr John Cooling
Clerk: Parish Council Clerk, Lynda McCormack
Shropshire Cllr. Brian Williams

APM01/19 Welcome

Cllr Cooling welcomed everyone to the meeting.

APM02/19 Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on the 13 April 2018

The minutes of the meeting held on 12th April 2018 were approved and signed by the chairman Cllr. Cooling

APM03/19 Annual Report of the Parish Council

Cllr Cooling presented his report and included comments on:

- a. Appeal for parish councillors
An appeal for residents to come forward to achieve a wider input and cross section of the electorate.
- b. Community Led Plan:
There are currently 5 adopted SAMdev sites, two under construction and two with approval. Following an invitation to Shropshire Council presentation and consultation on review of the Place Plan; the Parish Council recently applied to be considered for cluster status based on feedback from the community led plan questionnaire which showed a desire for moderate development.
The CLP Steering Group are currently preparing the final draft of the CLP with a view to presenting this to the Parish Council for adoption in June
- c. Traffic calming:
The vehicle activated sign should be installed in the next 2-3 weeks.
- d. Planning:
Petton Ward is still awaiting the mobile telephone tower for Cockshutt parish, the Parish Council is in regular contact with the operator.

APM04/19 Parish Debate

General discussion took place on:

- a. Wild Flowers
To protect the cowslips on the track to the football field the Parish Council will ask the grounds maintenance contractor to leave the next grass cut until after July.
- b. Assets of Community Value
The Leaking Tap is now listed as an Asset of Community Value. There is no more information regarding the planning application.

In respect of the village shop, this has a lead person and 7-9 volunteers; little has happened as it is a lot of additional work. The Post Office should be included although

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the Parish does not know the long term plan of the owners, or whether they are open to offers of taking someone on to run it?

c. The Meadows

The development is completed but the roads are not yet adopted by Shropshire Council; Cllr. Cooling gave an update on situation. The obstacle to adoption appears to be updating the lighting; there has been work recently which the Parish assume is the owner/developer.

d. Jubilee Field

The Parish Council has applied for the Calor Gas grant funding for the patio for the village hall. Voting opens in May.

The Chair, Cllr John Cooling, declared the meeting closed at 7.30 pm.

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