

## ST VEEP ANNUAL PARISH MEETING.

### Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting, held on the 5<sup>th</sup> May 2016 in the Red Store, Lerryn at 7.00 p.m.

**Present.** Cllr J Hancock (Chairman)

Cllr F Pearce

Cllr N Vincent

Cornwall Councilor B Jenkinson

4 Members of the public

Cllr A Singer

Cllr M Motton

Cllr P Philp

PCSO S Cocks

M Tubb (Clerk)

Item 1	<b>Apologies for absence</b> were received from Cllr P Clark due to health reasons.
Item 2	<b>To receive reports from outside authorities.</b> (a) Devon & Cornwall Police. PCSO Cocks reported that there had been 3 crimes reported in the Parish during the past year. During the past year 422 crimes had been reported in the Looe area an increase of 2.9%, making this area the 7 <sup>th</sup> safest place to live. During the past month there were no crimes reported in the Parish. He went on to report that in the future there could be meetings arranged by the police for Parish Councils to attend, this could result in PCSO's attending less meetings, this has not been confirmed as yet but would suggest that councilors appoint someone who could represent this council.  (b) Cornwall Council. Cllr Jenkinson reported that she was a member of the planning committee and there was unlikely to be any large developments in this area. Over the past year the main concerns in this area were signs, potholes and the state of the roads in general.  (c) Fowey Harbour Commissioners. There was no report received.  (d) Chairman's Report. The clerk read a report received from Cllr Clark who was unable to attend due to health reasons. In his report he spoke of another steady year for the council, despite budget cuts the council have continued to maintain important services such as the Public toilets and grass cutting throughout the parish. He said that during the past year we have taken control of the of the old Limekiln in the village and hopefully the carpark would come under the control of the Parish Council shortly. During the past year a small working group of the council had compiled an Emergency Plan which had been adopted by the council and will now sit alongside the Snow and Ice plan already in place, he thanked members of the sub- committee for all their hard work. He summed up by thanking a number of people, especially PCSO S Cocks and Cornwall Councillor B Jenkinson for all the support they had given the Council. He

	<p>went on to thank councilors and the clerk for their commitment to the cause and he hoped that Nigel (recently elected ) would enjoy the challenges and rewards of being part of the council. He concluded by saying that due to health reasons he would not be putting himself forward for Chairman but would look forward to another year serving the community.</p> <p>Councillor Clark’s full report is attached to the minute file.</p> <p>(e) Lerryn School Report. Cllr Hancock read a report prepared by M/s Bridget Howells (Head of Lerryn School). She reports that this year has seen a lot of changes to the curriculum and methods of assessment. During the year the school has continued to work in partnership with the local community and have taken part in a variety of activities. Throughout the year the school has sent out several teams to sporting events and received great success with the netball and football teams. One of the greatest achievements have been through the link developed with Mr Pearce and Bradoc bell ringers. Through this project the year 5 and 6 children have learnt the skills of hand chimes and bell ringing. The children have become local mini celebrities appearing on BBC Spotlight, Radio Cornwall and in the Cornish guardian. The highlight of the year, however, must be the ‘Outstanding grading’ achieved from the recent Statutory Inspection of Anglican and Methodist School’s inspector. A very proud moment for the staff and children.</p> <p>Full School report attached to the minute file.</p> <p>(f) William Bastard Charity of St Veep. Cllr Philp reported that the trust had a holding Of 497.92 units the total value of that holding being £6141.69.</p> <p>There was £7.85 B/F from 2014 with interest and dividends for year to 1/12/2015 amounting to £234.62 giving a bank balance of £242.47. The trustees decided to distribute £240.00 with 8 recipients receiving £25 each and 1 family receiving £40 leaving a balance at bank of £2.47.</p> <p>Full report attached to the minute file.</p> <p>(g) Lerryn Memorial Hall. No report received.</p> <p>(h) Lerryn Area Minibus. Cllr Singer read from the Chairman’s report to the Minibus AGM. Much of the year has been taken up by trying to get a new bus for this area, this has been far from easy but it is now looking more promising. Fund raising is still continuing and they are grateful to the committee for their hard work and to the residents of the area who supports LAMA. They have also had success in recruiting new drivers during the year and they grateful to all their drivers.</p> <p>Full report attached to the minute file.</p> <p>(i) The Red Store. No report received.</p>
Item 3	<p><b>Items raised by the public.</b></p> <p>(a) It has been suggested that a voluntary working party be formed with the idea of carrying out small items of work around the parish. Mr Shane O’Neil addressed the</p>

	meeting, explaining how he was involved in a similar scheme before coming to Lerryn and how it use to work. It was agreed that the clerk would arrange a public meeting to see how much support there would be for such a scheme in this parish.
Item 4	<p><b>Any Items raised by the public.</b></p> <p>Cllr Philp spoke of the amount of voluntary work carried out by Mr Kenwyn Pearce, keeping drains cleaned and various other tasks around the village, she said that the Parish Council were very grateful for all he has done and this was endorsed by other members present.</p> <p>Mr ONeil spoke about the amount of scam letters and calls that he had been receiving. Members asked the clerk to pass this onto PCSO Cocks.</p> <p>There being no further business the meeting closed, to be followed by the Annual Parish Council meeting.</p>

Signed ----- Chair

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