

Langford Annual Parish Meeting 8pm 24th May 2018

Draft Minutes

1. Chairman's Welcome

The Chairman welcomed parishioners and informed them that there had been no changes to the members of the Council. He thanked the Councillors and Clerk for their continued efforts on behalf of the Parish.

2. Approval of Minutes of the 2017 Annual Meeting

These had been previously circulated and agreed by all. The Chairman duly signed them off.

3. Chairman's Annual Report (attached) and to be published in the Pump

4. Oxfordshire County Council Report: None

5. West Oxfordshire District Council Report: None

6. Open Forum for Parishioners Views and Issues

6.1 Cricket Club Parking

This is an ongoing problem on match days for residents living at both the Elms and the Wickets who have difficulty getting in or out of their drives. It was a concern recently when an ambulance had difficulty in access.

The cricket club is negotiating to purchase land which would alleviate the problem. They have proposed to access by Maisie's Barn. Cllr Richard Kemp noted the concern and agreed to speak with Richard Parsons and Management of the Cricket Club.

6.2 Parochial Church Council

Mrs Kemp, representing the P.C.C., thanked the Council for its ongoing support and for the generous grant of £700.00 given towards the Churchyard maintenance. She also informed the floor that the Remembrance Service, 11 November, would be held at St Matthews Church Langford. Vicar Harry McInnes will hold the service. There will be a reading of names, by children, and in the evening Langford will ring the bells, as part of the National Bell Ringers, to mark the Great War.

She also suggested whether the road could have a temporary closure whilst the service is being carried out at the War Memorial and whilst the attendees then walk down the road to the Church.

6.3 War Memorial

It was agreed that Cllr I.C. would investigate the cost and supply of spotlight LED lighting for the Memorial. This would be operated by a timer.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 8.45pm

Signed.....

Richard Kemp, Chairman

Ann Tyldesley – Langford Parish Clerk

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