

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
OF THE SOUTH NEWTON AND STOFORD PARISH
COUNCIL**

Held in the Village Hall on Wednesday 9th May 2018 at 7.00 pm

Present: Cllr D Blake (Chairman), Cllr. H. Swanton, Cllr H Bryans, Cllr K. Norman, Cllr N. Blake

In attendance: C. Webb (Clerk)
Cllr P. Church (Wiltshire Councillor for Wyllye)

Apologies: Cllr. M. Pont, Cllr. C. Swanton, Cllr. L. Sherlock, Cllr. R. Botten.

1) Apologies

Apologies were received from Cllr C. Swanton, Cllr. L. Sherlock, Cllr. R. Botten, Cllr. M. Pont.

2) Minutes

The minutes of meeting held on 10th May 2017 were approved and signed.

3) Matters arising from Parishioners

None

Chairman's Report – (See attached full report).

- A review of the Village Hall extension plans,
- The Air Ambulance Bin
- C283
- Summer Fete 2017 and details of the 2018 Fete and Dog Show
- Football Six a side 16th and 17th June
- Litter picking
- Dog mess problems
- Wiltshire App
- Parish Steward Scheme
- Crime
- Goodbye to Cllr. Sherlock and Cllr. Henstridge
- Welcome to Cllr. R. Botten
- Cllr. P. Church

A vote of thanks was passed to all councillors for Cllr. D. Blake's hard work throughout the year.

Clerk's Report – (See attached full report)

- 1) Play Area – South Newton
- 2) Donations
- 3) Year End Accounts
- 4) Website

A report from Village Hall – Cllr. N. Blake

The 200 Club continues to be popular, but we are always looking for new members.

The Bingo nights held every Tuesday evening with special events at Christmas and Easter continue to be well attended.

The monthly Breakfast Mornings continue to have a regular attendance and are making a good profit. A new toaster has been purchased to help with this event.

The film night continues to have good attendance. The Village Hall also have Quiz nights

and market stalls. There are plans for a Summer evening Barbeque with a Bar. The Old Hall has had some repairs on the roof and ceilings and remedial decoration has now been completed. This continues to be a popular rehearsal venue for several local bands. The six a side is still a major source of income for the Hall along with the Easter and Christmas Bingo events.

Questions from parishioners: -

Cllr N. Blake expressed concerns relating to the parking on pavements by residents at the hammerhead at Forge Close. It was agreed to monitor this and to look into the possibility that the double yellow lines could be re-introduced.

Cllr D. Blake confirmed no other business to discuss and the meeting was closed at 7.45 p.m.

_____ Chairman _____ Date