

PVHMC
Chairman's Report
To 31st March 2019

The Committee

Norman Wiseman resigned during the year as he and Jennifer have moved to Yorkshire. Many thanks to Norman for all his work

Alistair Burgess joined the committee during the year to take on responsibility for repairs to the hall
The other members are Kathy Crimmins, Treasurer. Christine Nott, Secretary and Tricia Nott
Caretaker and Cleaner.

Christine and I share the responsibilities for bookings.

The Committee met on five occasions including the AGM during the year. We now meet every 2 to 3 months

Caretaker; Tricia Nott continues to give us great service in maintaining the standards within the Hall.

Hall Maintenance; We changed the lights in the Hall to LED which has resulted in a very satisfactory 30% saving in our electricity bill.

We have decorated part of the walls and the skirting in the main hall

The exterior has been painted and windows repaired where necessary

Drains have been installed around the entrances to alleviate the puddles

Bookings; The Hall continues to be well supported. The Dog Obedience Club and The Art Club continue to give very good support to the Hall as well as the Youth Club, Card Clubs, Ladies Club, Bowls club and Art to name a few. After a six month break bookings from Baby Sensory have resumed.

We had 15 bookings in the 2018 calendar year for private parties with a decrease in income from £1380 to £994.

Finance; Our rental income has remained steady for the year which was boosted by the donation from Les Weavers show 'a bit-of-a-do'.

We have reviewed our hire charges due to a general rise in costs and an increasing annual repair bill. There will be an increase to all charges as of the 1st April 2019.

We have reduced the emptying of the waste bin to fortnightly with a corresponding reduction in cost.

As a result of increasing repairs to maintain the standard of the hall as well as the 5 year electrical inspection we have a deficit for the year of £721.72

The hall floor is showing signs of wear so we will be refurbishing the wood floor in the near future with sanding and sealing.

I would like to thank the Committee for their support and work during the year.

Jonathan Nott
Chairman PVHMC
1st April 2019