# Germansweek Parish Council

Minutes of meeting 213 held on 20th October 2021

Present: C Walker, J Theobald, S Watkinson, L Moyse, A Pullinger, T Southcott

Cllr Pullinger was elected Chair for this meeting

Public Open Session: (restricted to 15 mins) None.

1. Apologies: Clerk-R Ward (Bereavement)
2. Report from West Devon: The report was emailed round. Also to add, the 20/25 year plan is on the council website and the three weekly trial bin collections is over.
3. Declaration of interests: Councillors to advise of any interests in agenda item/s and to remind councillors to keep their register of interests up to date with WDBC and the clerk. ***None***
4. Minutes: To agree and sign the minutes from 15/09/21 ***Agreed***
5. Planning:
   1. None
   2. Other-Memorandum of understanding. All read and discussed through.
6. Finance:
   1. Bank reconciliation
   2. Approve TEEC domain and hosting £151.19 ***Agreed***
   3. Precept consideration. Under discussion. Come next month with ideas.
7. Roads and Ditches: We don’t need to order any salt as of yet. Cllr Watkinson with the help of Cllr Pullinger will distribute when necessary.
8. Broadband: (Cllr Watkinson update) Everything has been done so far from our end. We are now waiting for a survey and contract. Unfortunately, there is a long wait list of several weeks.
9. Footpaths: No update. Cllr Pullinger to open the lines of communication and start to liaise with the new chairman of the P3 Footpath Scheme.
10. Roundabout: The clerk will add ‘The Wolfe news’ to the Germansweek council website monthly. Cllr Walker will make three signs up for ‘The Wolfe news’ collection boxes.
11. Defibrillator: The parishioners are continuing to fundraise and it is going very well.
12. Jubilee Woods: No update
13. Wildlife Network: Cllr Pullinger signed us up as members of the scheme.
14. Remembrance Sunday: Cllr Pullinger to put up the silent soldier and remove again and liaise to get the flagpole up. Cllr Theobald to lay the wreath.
15. Queens’s jubilee celebration 2022: Would be nice to have an event as a whole village. Perhaps we could have a long weekend of activities. (Walks/Quiz etc)
16. Christmas: This year we won’t be having an indoor gathering to celebrate turning the lights on the Christmas tree due to the potential rise of covid this winter. However, we will be having Christmas carols around the tree with a special guest turning on the lights. Cllr Theobald to email the guest. Quizmas trail in progress. Cllr Walker to arrange Christmas hamper. Budget £15 ***Agreed*.**
17. Website: (Clerks report). <https://germansweekpc.co.uk>
18. Correspondence: None
19. Date of next meeting: 17th November at 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Approved by

Chairman\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_