



## **BOURNHEATH ANNUAL PARISH MEETING**

### **The minutes of Bournheath Annual Parish Meeting Held at Bournheath Village Hall at 6.00pm on 30<sup>th</sup> May 2012**

**Present:** Parish Cllrs: K. May (Chairman), K Drew, H Feeney, S Hall, B Lodge, M Millinchip and S Westwood  
30 members of the public as per attendance list

**In attendance:** Community Support Officers: S Hegenbarth, S Harvey  
Gill Lungley, Clerk to the Council

**Apologies:** County Councillor S Blagg, Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator B Hewitt

**1. Chairman's Welcome:**

The Chairman Cllr K May welcomed everyone to the meeting.

**2. Minutes:**

The minutes of the previous Annual Parish Meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> May 2011, were approved and signed.

**3. Chairman's Annual Report for the period May 2011 to April 2012**

The chairman's Annual Report was circulated.

**4. Reports from Woodvale County and District ward representatives**

**County Representative for the Woodvale Division - Sheila Blagg:** Written report circulated

**District Representative for the Woodvale Ward – Brian Lewis:** No report received.

**5. Reports from community representatives**

**Community Police Support Officers:** the Local Policing Team's newsletter was recently delivered to all residents including the new contact number 101 for non-emergency calls (it was noted that Wildmoor residents have not received the leaflet). CrimeStoppers information is available online.

6. **Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator for Bournheath: Bryan Hewett** not present.

**Footpaths Officer: Warren King**, not present. It was noted he has been busy with upkeep of footpaths and notices regarding dog mess and keeping dogs on leads.

7. **Bournheath Village Hall: Cllr K Drew** provided an update on the village hall which is well used but not by many villagers. The most recent hire is for every Wednesday evening at 7pm which has forced the Parish Council to seek a meeting venue elsewhere.

The majority of the meeting then allowed for discussion on the merits or otherwise of the Village Hall Management Committee's actions, with attendees expressing deep concern that their most local organisation, the Parish Council, is being denied use of the building that was built by the community, for the community.

**Wildmoor Residents' Association: Cllr H Feeney** related concerns about the increased noise from the motorway (this led to discussion on the effectiveness of trees to create a sound barrier); the use of a crushing machine over the weekend at the quarry at the end of Wildmoor Lane; problems with rubbish in the area.

The state of the property on the corner of Mill Lane was causing concern.

The meeting closed at 7.00 p.m.

Signed:..... Date:.....  
Chairman, Parish Meeting