

MADRESFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE 124th ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Held at Madresfield Primary School on Thursday 25th May 2017

PRESENT:

Cllrs. Mr D Craig (Chairman),, Mr C Freeman, Mrs J Greenwood.
Also Mr M Everitt (Footpath Warden) and Mr D Sharp (Clerk).

1. APOLOGIES:

Cllr Mr C Eden.

2. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF LAST YEARS MEETING:

The Minutes of the 123rd Annual Parish Meeting held on 12th May 2016 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

3. ANNUAL REPORTS:

i. Parish Council:

The Chairman thanked all the councillors and clerk for their work over the year. In particular the Revd Sue Irwin who had resigned following her move to Worcester.

ii. Primary School:

Mrs Greenwood detailed the change to Academy status that the school would be undertaking from 1st June and the benefits that such a change would bring. The staff room had been enlarged and the hall upgraded during the last year. She outlined staffing levels and paid particular thanks to the friends of the school who had raised funds for a new projector and screen.

iii. Village Charities:

No report was made.

iv. Footpaths Warden:

Mr Everitt reported few problems and he had walked all paths in April.

v. Tree Warden:

Cllr. Craig reported that there was no sign of dieback in the area.

vi. Finance:

The Clerk presented the annual accounts which would be approved at the annual parish council meeting held later.

5. QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:

No further matters were discussed.

There being no further business the meeting closed at 7.25 pm.