

Garvald Village Hall AGM 9.11.20

7pm- Zoom Meeting

AGM- was held via a zoom meeting this year due to circumstances

Present- Gary McGregor (Chair) Brian Hill (Treasurer) Laura Edmonds (secretary) Sarah Ramsay, Shirley Evatt, Lee Robertson, Rob Freeland

Apologies- Phillip White (chair of community council) Elaine Macmillan (hall booking secretary)

Opening from GM (chair) –

- Thanks to everyone for joining tonight.
- Care and general maintenance of the hall has been low key over the last year with no significant work carried out. Some cosmetic work was undertaken by volunteers which included touch up paint jobs, cutting of shrubs outside, clearing of kitchen and boiler cupboard.
- Electric charging point has been installed in the parking bay.

Bookings and usage-

- All had to be halted due to Covid, which has seen some of the following annual and much-loved events cancelled:
 - flower show
 - Children's Halloween
 - Christmas dinner
 - Children's Christmas party
 - Hogmanay
- The Committee is of the opinion that when we can, and when it is safe to do so there will be a village celebration and use of the hall.
- 4 weddings also had to cancel this year but have all rebooked for 2021
- fitness classes, Council surgeries and community council meeting has all been suspended and have not restarted yet
- Drama classes had stopped but have restarted following all the government guidelines and are working really well.

Accounts-

Trustees have signed off the accountants for this year.

Treasurer report from Brian Hill- separate document to follow

Closing Remarks-

Huge thanks to Brian for his work on the accountants, Elaine Macmillan as booking secretary, Roz for cleaning and to the community council for their ongoing support.

Sarah Ramsay to stand down from committee, many thanks for all her hard work over the years.

James Mowat to join to committee. (proposed LE, RF)

Office bearers appointed at next meeting

Vicky Short to stand down as trustee, many thanks to Vicky for her long-standing service and commitment over the years. Required by the constitution to have 3 trustees, Sarah Ramsay to be appointed as new trustee by majority vote.

Thanks to everyone on the committee and we hope next year we can hold the AGM back in the hall.