Garvald Village Hall AGM 27.10.21 7.30pm Village Hall

Present- Gary McGregor (Chair) Laura Edmonds (secretary) Shirley Evatt, Lee Robertson, Rob Freeland, Sarah Ramsay (trustee) Phillip White (chair of community council)

Apologies- Brian Hill (Treasurer) Elaine Macmillan (hall booking secretary) James Mowat

Minutes from the AGM 9.11.20 approved as a true and accurate account and seconded.

Opening from GM (chair) – reminder of social distancing rules

- Thanks to everyone for coming tonight.
- Care and general maintenance of the hall has been minimal due to covid but 2 new security cameras have been installed following an incident that the police were alerted to. Funding was given for the installation by the Garvald and Morham community council, a big thank you to them and for their ongoing support through out the covid crisis.
- Thank you to Roz for her continued hard work cleaning and making the hall safe following covid guidelines.
- We have seen the hall be able to be used more this year, Drama has been able to start up again, post office continues to offer a service on thursdays, elections were held this year, community council meetings have resumed, and Gifford cubs have started using the hall mondays evenings, a local children's party was held and a christening. Also a ladies supper was held and a children's halloween party.
- But sadly we have seen 2 weddings reschedule from this year to next year, and cancelling of the flower show in August, The Garvald Christmas dinner has been cancelled and the Hogmanay hoolie all for the second year running.

Accounts-

Trustees have signed off the accountants for this year.

Treasurer report from Brian Hill- Please see separate financial report.

Closing Remarks-

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

Rob Freeland to stand down from committee, many thanks for all his hard work over the years.

Points to be raised at the next Hall meeting on the 12.1.22 about the re-varnishing of the hall floor and suggestions on making the hall more environmentally sustainable.

Office bearers appointed at next meeting on the 12.1.22

Thank to everyone on the committee for their continued hard work and support.