

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING GANAREW
Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on 6 May 2014 at Whitchurch Memorial Hall

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT G Hiscox (Chairman) T Roberts D Williams S McInerney G Litson S Cole J Dixon R Smith

ATTENDING K Shilton (Clerk) No residents attended the meeting

1. APOLOGIES J Smith-Milne S Lowthian

2. MINUTES OF THE LAST ANNUAL PARISH MEETING HELD ON 7 MAY 2013
These were agreed and confirmed and signed by the Chairman G Hiscox.

3. CHAIRMAN REVIEW

Play Area. Progress is being made to this area with thanks to S Cole for his time and efforts. Improvements such as painting and general maintenance are still required. Parish Plan development. Many thanks to J Dixon and his working team for all their time and involvement.

Website. This is now being initiated by G Litson and R Smith.

Fire Station. Several public meetings have been held regarding the potential closure of the Whitchurch unit. The Chairman on behalf of the Parish Council has written a detailed report supporting that the station should remain open.

Footpaths. Full credit given to R Smith our Footpaths Officer for inspecting and organising the required maintenance work.

4. WARD COUNCILLOR No report available

5. PARISH PLAN

The Clerk was requested to oversee the prize draw for one adult and one junior prize from the returned papers involving the Parish Plan development. It is expected that the Parish Plan will be completed by July 2014.

6. NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

This will be initiated once the Parish Plan is completed. A grant representing £4986.00 has been achieved to help develop this project.

7. LITTER IN THE PARISH

Both Council members and residents are concerned to the volume of litter developing in our area. The Chairman explained that this will be an action from the Parish Plan projects selected and additional collection bins will also be considered by the Parish Council.

The meeting started at 7pm and ended at 8pm

Signed

Chairman

Date