

Annual Parish Meeting held at the Village Hall on Monday 18th May 2015 at 9p.m.

Present: Councillors, B. Nelson (Chairman), Mrs. E. Bradshaw, P. Chowles, V. Game, Mrs. S. Howgill, A. McArdle, L. Roberts, Mrs.K. Rowan, K. Granger (Clerk) 3 members of the public & the public correspondent

The Chairman thanked the different organizations for their work within the parish for the last 12 months saying these clubs/organizations are at the heart of a rural community bringing people together and where they can, if wished, discuss any topic or concern.

Cllr. Nelson congratulated the Memorial Hall C.I.O. for the enormous amount of work put in over securing lottery funding for our new Memorial Hall which would be an asset to the Community for the coming decades, also to all those who work so hard in producing and delivering our monthly parish magazine.

Cllr. Nelson thanked the W.I. who have nearly 40 members and are thriving, the Over 60's who do a fantastic job with their trips and functions in the hall, not to mention their waste paper collection which brings in a lot of revenue, the Chairman thanked the P.C.C. for maintaining our Church and Churchyard when generally congregations are not increasing, our school which is federated with Branscombe and Farway meaning it has more resources and last the Gardening Club with 51 members, a varied format including guest speakers and of course getting our Millennium garden restored.

Cllr. Nelson said the Parish Council had laid a wreath at our cenotaph this centenary year, willingly and eagerly supported the new hall, produced the parish emergency leaflet and started the long and arduous task of producing our Neighbourhood Plan which was hoped to be completed by the end of the year all this alongside the gardening club in tidying up the Millennium garden.

The meeting closed at 9.26p.m.