

DOBWALLS PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting of Dobwalls held at Dobwalls Football Club, Duloe Road, Dobwalls on Wednesday 18th May 2022, commencing at 6.30pm

Present: Councillors J Dunn, T Kitto , S Jackson, A Tween, B Clark, M Exall and M Taylor

In Attendance: L Coles (Parish Clerk), Councillor Jane Pascoe, Cornwall Council

There were eleven members of the public present

Item		Action
1	Apologies. Apologies were received from Cllr M Ball.	
2	Chairman's Welcome The Chairman of the Parish Council welcomed everyone to the meeting.	
3	Unitary Councillor's Report I can't believe that 12 months have flown by since being re-elected into the extended division of Liskeard South & Dobwalls, I wish to thank the Chairman, the Clerk to the Parish and the Councillors truly for your support and acknowledge your commitment to the Parish and the many hours of your time that you give freely. I have various roles in my capacity as local member, most importantly to represent the residents, the local community and indeed SE Cornwall. I often feel we are not on a level playing field and along with colleagues at County, I do make a stand for this special part of Cornwall. Apart from my work in the Parish, there are other strategic duties I am required to fulfil. I am Chairman of Miscellaneous Licensing Committee for Cornwall. This involves, granting, reviewing, or revoking licenses for Hackney Carriages, Private Hire vehicles, operators and drivers. All of which must comply with Polices, rules and regulations laid down by the Dept. of Transport in tandem with Cornwall Council. This committee also grants or revokes licences to Dog Kennels, Dog Breeders, and Zoos, Caravan sites, Park Homes, Sex shops and Casinos. I am also a member of the East sub Planning Committee which consider applications from North, East and SE Cornwall. I was privileged to be elected as the Chairman of the Community Network Panel last year and I really do enjoy hearing from the rural parishes. I am determined that they shall have equal opportunities for funding and support for their projects as the larger towns. There are 18 parishes in the Liskeard and Looe network area and I hope the meetings can be a useful platform for them to share concerns and ideas. The new Community Link Officer to replace David Read is Sarah Simms I appreciate the support I receive from PCSO Edser and PCSO Cocks who both cover areas in my division. Together and sometimes with the	

	<p>Housing Officer they have attended to issues in the villages which include Road safety, speeding, parking, ASB that I have alerted them to. Liskeard is possibly the go to centre for commerce, services, provisions and healthcare for this Parish and a large part of Liskeard is also in my division. As the local member, I am the Chairman of the Liskeard Development Group, which is facilitating the development of the Old Cattle Market site. It may be of interest to you that this includes employment opportunities in the form of the work shed which will accommodate Digital Industries. There will also be 8 units for the makers project which will be for starter businesses making artisan products. A platform for hobby/ businesses started in the home stepping up to a SME. Plan are also progressing well for the expansion of Dean Street Surgery, which will incorporate a rear entrance with easy accessible parking for disabled patients. Plans for the Integrated Service Hub accommodating Cornwall Council front line services will also be progressing in another part of the site. Other projects are being worked up to create more employment work space in Liskeard, jobs before more houses has always been paramount within Liskeard NDP.</p> <p>I am the President of the Primestock Show Association an honour bestowed on me by the farmers. I am delighted to announce that the Show will take place in the Cattle Market site this year on 29th October. This show provides an excellent platform to showcase our finest livestock and exhibit some of the produce. There are also competitions for baked items, preserves and crafts. You can enter all your craft work, woodwork, paintings etc. that you have made during lock down.</p> <p>In June we will all come together to celebrate the Queens Platinum Jubilee. Preparations for a variety of events for this special occasion are ongoing in all the villages and I personally wish you all the most joyous time.</p>	
4	<p>Public Open Forum</p> <p>The public had no matters to be discussed in this meeting</p>	
5	<p>Close</p> <p>The Chairman closed the meeting at 6.50pm.</p>	

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