



Chillerton & Gatcombe Community Association

Committee Meeting 10/06/2025

Minutes

Attending:

Ian Poulter (IP) - Chair

Tim Bailey (TB) - Vice Chair

Paula Poulter (PP) -Secretary

Jo Brown (JB)- CGCA

Phillipa Veitch (PV) - Treasurer

Julia Laursen (JL)- Parish Council

1. Apologies

PM

2. Minutes and Matters Arising.

All were agreed.

Some additional points: Tim Marshall has made a video inventory of things in the loft at the Village Hall. IP has circulated the video. There needs to be a plan in place to get rid of the things identified as superfluous. Gillian Belben will sort out the Horticulture Society things; IP has asked Zoe Rhind to help coordinate the sorting out of the remaining items.

Action: this needs to be firmed up by members of the CGCA in the next (July) meeting.

There has been no response from the public to fill the vacant slot for the August Village Market, so the decision was made to cancel it, especially as it is so close to the Summer Show.

JL has now taken on the role of Village Hall bookings. The booking and payment process needs to be tightened.

Action: IP to pass JL any outstanding phone numbers to JL

Action: JL and PV to work on how to improve the booking/payment process.

3. Treasurer's Report.

There was no report as PV has only just taken on the role from PM.

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She was welcomed by the Committee and thanked for her willingness to step into the role.

PV did state that one of her first jobs was to investigate the Wi-Fi; specifically, the possibility of using Starlink.

Action: PV to investigate cheaper, and more reliable, Wi-Fi.

4. Parish Council Update.

JL stated that she was keen to have an event which got Landowners together.

She suggested that this could be in the Autumn, and, ideally, at the Gallybagger.

Action: JL to mention at the Parish Council meeting that the CGCA are happy to be involved.

5. Forthcoming Events.

PP and JB reported that both the Quizzes and the Bingo were going well, but that there was a slight tailing off of numbers as the Summer approached. It was decided that although the August Quiz would still run, the August Bingo would not.

Sarah Waldron's party for James, went well.

Action: IP to send PV Sarah Waldron's bank details.

Debs Goodenough's Event was outlined again (see previous Minutes).

Action: TB and JB to cover the Gallybagger bar duty between them.

Action: PP to remind Jamie that the Gallybagger will not be open to the Snooker players that evening (12th July).

6. Maintenance

More light bulbs are required for the Gallybagger.

Action: IP to purchase them. JB to install as necessary.

7. Bookings

Covered already, above.

8. Health & Safety.

Following some heavy rain in May, there was a leak through the roof of the Gallybagger. This has been managed, and is no longer a problem.

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9. Any Other Business

JL discussed the possibility of a Gin Tasting evening.

Action: JL to discuss further once she has more details.

TB stated that prices for beverages had gone up Nationally.

Action: TB to revise the Gallybagger price list.

There was a brief discussion about the hire charges paid by the Snooker players.

Action: PV to clarify with Jamie; Monday is free of charge, but any other day/eve will incur a hire charge.

Hire charges to be as followed:

From this September: £20 for Parish hire, £25 for outside the Parish; though there may be some discretionary exceptions, whereby prices increase at a slower rate.

Action: PV to clarify this at the next (July) meeting, especially in respect to Craft, Whist groups etc.

Date of Next Meeting:

15th July. 7pm at the Gallybagger

PP