

MINUTES OF WOORE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

**Held at Woore Victory Hall
Monday 13th April 2015**

IN ATTENDANCE

Cllrs Clifford, Allison, H Blake, M Blake, Lightfoot and Woodcock
SC Cadwallader
One Parishioner
Mr J E Parkes, Clerk to Woore Parish Council

WOORE PARISH COUNCIL – CHAIRMAN’S REPORT

Report circulated.

Cllr M Blake reported that the traffic speed camera was now fully operational and is moved to a different location on a weekly basis. Cllrs thank Cllr Blake for efforts in this respect.

WOORE PARISH COUNCIL – DRAFT FINANCIAL REPORT

Draft accounts circulated, the Clerk commented on the accounts in detail. Cllr Woodcock was concerned that it was difficult to ascertain how the PC’s share of the CIL monies was calculated by SC. Clerk to request breakdown of the calculation from SC.

WOORE UNITED CHARITIES REPORT

Report and accounts circulated.

OLD WOORE SCHOOL TRUST

Report circulated. There were no Trustees at the meeting and the Clerk gave a brief report for the year. Cllrs discussed how the fund could be more widely advertised, the Clerk reported that the Trust had placed advertisements in the PC newsletter and on the notice boards in the past. Cllr Woodcock suggested a small ‘glossy leaflet’ to accompany the PC newsletter, the Clerk will report to the Trustees accordingly.

SALC

Cllr M Blake advised that there had not been any meetings during the past year. Cllr Woodcock queried the charge of £15pa made by SALC for the meetings, Clerk to clarify.

SHROPSHIRE COUNCILLOR’S REPORT

The Chairman invited SC Cadwallader to present his report. He advised that the SAMDev is progressing through hearings and a number of appeals made by developers have failed. Other items covered, Redesign of Adult Social Care, SC were moving to a ‘Commissioning Council’ and he discussed the forthcoming University in Shrewsbury. He hope that the amended speed limit and footpath on the A525 Audlem Road would be completed shortly. Cllr Woodcock congratulated SC on the improvements made to the Audlem Road.

TREE WARDEN – REPORT

Report circulated

RECREATION

Report circulated – see Chairman's report.

WOORE VICTORY HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE – REPORT

Report circulated – Cllr H Blake gave the report on behalf of the Management Committee. Cllr Woodcock would like to see more joint ventures/use of facilities embracing the Victory Hall, Tennis Club and other recreational providers in the Parish. The meeting wished Mr G Nichol, Chairman, a speedy recovery from his recent illness.

NEIGHBOURHOOD AND FARM WATCH

Report circulated

VILLAGE PRIDE

Report circulated

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Matters raised :-

Cllr Woodcock spoke on behalf of parishioners Mr C Jeffries and Mr P Hawkins, regarding the policing of the traffic at the Remembrance Service in November. They have undertaken this duty for a number of years, but are unable to do so this year. Two volunteers are required and it was agreed to include a request for volunteers in the next PC newsletter.

Mr M Cowey, parishioner, was very concerned about the condition of the road surface on Candle Lane and also the number of heavy goods vehicles using the lane as a short cut. He said that the junction with the A51 is dangerous, SC Cadwallader will report to SC accordingly.

Meeting closed at 8.00 pm.