

## **Thornley with Wheatley Parish Council**

### **Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on Monday 9 May 2022 commencing at 7 pm in Thornley School**

**Present:** Mr M Hayhurst (Chairperson)  
Mrs C Ansbro (Vice-Chairperson/Clerk)  
Mrs G Airey (Responsible Financial Officer)  
Mr P Hallett (Representative on Parish Councils Liaison Cttee)

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the Thornley with Wheatley Annual Parish Meeting.

#### **Parish 22.1 Apologies for Absence**

Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Mrs Faraday.

#### **Parish 22.2 Declaration of Interests** There

were no declarations of interest.

#### **Parish 22.3 Minutes of the Annual Parish meeting held in May 2021**

Minutes of the meeting held on 4 May 2021 via Zoom were approved and signed by the Chairman.

#### **Parish 22.4 Matters Arising from the meeting held on 4 May 2021** There

were no matters arising.

#### **Parish 22.5 Chairman's Annual Report**

The Chairman outlined his Annual Report as follows

“Thankfully things have now mostly returned to normality from the Coronavirus pandemic.

We are now having our PC meetings face to face and masks are no longer necessary in shops, public houses and most other public places.

It is very pleasing that the first phase of Thornley Old School has eventually been completed and that we were able to have our Parish Council Meeting there for the first time on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2021 since it was closed for renovation.

Little Town Farm Shop continues to go from strength to strength and the first floor extended cafe area is a great addition.

Another massive improvement in the area is the first phase of work done on Thornley Bridle Path or Grassy Lane as the locals call it. The hedges have been trimmed right back, drainage installed and it now has a good stone surface instead of just a muddy path. I have heard through the grapevine that we can expect further improvements in the future.

A couple of changes I think worth noting on the boundary of the parish are that Brookside egg farm is now under new ownership and Blackmoss Farm is on the market and soon to be sold.

All in all, another quiet year in Thornley with Wheatley.”

**Parish 22.6      Items raised by Residents of the Parish No**

items had been submitted by residents of the Parish.

**Parish 22.7      Date and Time of Next Meeting**

The next Parish Meeting would be held in May 2023 following the local elections.

The Parish Meeting closed at 7.20 pm

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Signed

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Date

