

Umberleigh Village Hall

A.G.M. 26TH May 21

ACTING CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

After David Hawkins resigned and moved away from Umberleigh I was elected to take on the role as Acting Chairman until this AGM, when the new committee will be elected and the Trustees Appointed.

The Hall has been closed for this past year due to Covid with none of our usual activities and therefore no income from hiring fees, but substantial grants have been received. This has allowed us to paint the hall. An excellent job was done by the painters and the new colour greatly improves the look of the hall.

Re the grants, on behalf of us all I would like to thank Penny our Treasurer for all the work that she put in to get these grants, the detail can be seen in the Annual Accounts.

Also on behalf of us all I would like to thank Jane our Secretary for all the work that she put in to understanding and guiding us through what has been a continuous stream of Government Instruction re Covid, and to say thank you for organising the painting of the hall.

There are also thanks to our usual dedicated team of Sue Lewis, Tony Sanders, David Hyde, Mike Champion, John Andow our caretaker and the support of all Umberleigh.

This coming year holds new interest for the School and Community Park and Play area, as well as starting up are traditional events of Garden Show, Christmas Party, School Christmas Show, Art Classes, Panto, Antique Fairs and Hall Bookings and some new ideas that are in the pipeline.

At the AGM I will be standing down from Acting Chairman and resuming my position of Booking Clerk

P. G. Shallcross