

HOLME CUTHBERT PARISH COUNCIL

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING

Minutes of a meeting of Holme St Cuthbert Parish Council Annual Parish Meeting held on: Wednesday 08 May 2024 in Culterham Hall, Mawbray at 8.40pm

Present: Mrs L Stevens Chairperson, Mrs S Donachy Vice-Chairperson, Mrs M Knoery, Mr R Armstrong, Mr S Routledge, and Mrs L J Housby Clerk

Apologies: Mrs J Court, Cllr K Thurlow (Cumberland Council)

Members of the Public: Damian Stephens

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on 10 May 2023 were proposed a correct record by (RA) all in favour

Chairpersons Annual Parish Report:

The Lowther Arms Community owned pub has new tenants.

Working to maintain Parish appearance the wildflower meadow, new notice boards for Mawbray and Salta
Painting Play Areas and wild flower meadow fencing

Hope to try a new initiative parishioners help Highways paint finger posts

Creating a formal disaster recovery plan with partners and ACT

Working with Solfest Committee – finding ways to improve the festival and ways to make it viable and an event both locals and visitors enjoy

Financial Report 2023/24:

Accounts for the year ending 31 March 2024 (receipts and payments book) and Annual Governance and Accountability Return 2023/24 signed

Healthy Balance – keeping our budget tight and there was no increase to precept 2024/25 looking forward possible increase to precept and for larger expenses to look for grants

There being no other matters arising the Annual Parish Meeting closed at 9.00pm the next Annual Parish Meeting will be held on the 21 May 2025 at 8.00pm