

**Minutes of a Waldrige Annual Parish Meeting
21 May 2013 at 7.00pm**



5 parishioners, Parish Council members, the Parish Clerk and Caretaker in attendance

Also in attendance Cllrs Keith Davidson and Katherine Henig, Tom Walton and Patrick Rice - neighbourhood wardens

1. Apologies for Absence:

Parish Councillor McDonnell

2. Welcome:

Cllr Huston (Chairman Waldrige Parish Council) welcomed everyone and thanked them for attending, he introduced the Parish Councillors and the Clerk.

3. Minutes from previous years Annual Parish Meeting

These were agreed as a true record and signed by the Parish Council Chairman

4. Chairman's Report:

Cllr Michael Huston presided. The written report from the meeting is appended in full to these minutes. He noted if anyone wished a copy of the annual report to see the Clerk or visit the website

5. Neighbourhood wardens report:

Both Tom and Patrick introduced themselves and spoke of the initiatives that are taking place around the parish, this includes dog fouling, littering, fly tipping and anti social behaviour/alcohol misuse and parking issues. A number of people have been fined recently over these issues and they will continue to monitor and patrol the areas, especially Waldrige Fell and Millennium Green. They asked for any information to be submitted to the police on 101 and they will endeavour to catch the culprits.

6. County Councillors report:

Cllr Davidson spoke of the achievements this last year; he has worked very closely with the Parish Council on a number of initiatives and will continue to help and support where needed. Cllr Henig introduced herself as a new County Councillor recently elected. She is looking forward to working with the parish in the future. One of the Councillors will attend parish meetings and be available to give support where needed.

7. Neighbourhood Police report:

No police presence, no report submitted

8. **Parishioners questions:**

Mr Martin – 5 Chillingham Drive – would like to know if anything can be done re the surface of the footpath on the Millennium Green, this to be placed on the next Parish agenda for further discussion.

No other questions raised.

9. **Date of Next Meeting**

This will take place on 29 April 2014.

The Chair thanked everyone for attending, and hoped they enjoyed the evening. He reminded all the parishioners that they are welcome to attend all Parish Council meetings.