

## Minutes of the AGM of Aughton, Bailey and Chaigley Parish Council 25<sup>th</sup> May 2021.

Present: Roger Wilkinson, Christine Holden, Derek Harwood, Margaret Carrington, Peter Butterfield, Christopher Berry, David Bland, Simon Bailey.

Clerk: Nancy Bailey.

In attendance: County Councillor Alan Schofield, PC John Feeney, Mr N Macfarlane

Apologies: Councillor J. Alcock

1. **Minutes of the last meeting-** The minutes of the previous AGM were approved as a true record. Proposed by Margaret Carrington, seconded by Roger Wilkinson. All in favour
  2. **Matters arising from the minutes:** There were no matters arising.
  3. **Chairman's Report:** Read by Christine Holden.  
Christine spoke about the many challenges over the last two years and particularly of the COVID effect on the last 14 months which included no AGM last year and meeting of the Parish Council via Zoom. In the last two years the very longstanding Clerk Pauline Tyson stood down and is greatly missed. Nancy Bailey has now become the Clerk and is gradually computerising records and communication of the Parish Council. Christine highlighted the work which is going into the modernisation of the Memorial Hall and the hard work put in by many to achieve this. She also highlighted the biggest concern for the council at present, that of parking in the village.
  4. **Accounts:** The accounts for the year 2020-2021 were presented. Proposed that they are accepted by David Bland and seconded by Christopher Berry. All in favour.
  5. **Election of Chairman:** Christine Holden has been Chair of the Council for nearly 6 years and so wished to step down. Margaret Carrington agreed to be Chairman. Proposed by Peter Butterfield, Seconded by David Bland. All in favour
  6. **Election of Vice Chairman:** Christopher Berry agreed to be Vice Chairman. Proposed by Peter Butterfield and seconded by Derek Harwood. All in favour
  7. **Thanks:** Peter Butterfield thanked Christine Holden for her many years as Chairman.
- The AGM closed at 7.15pm**