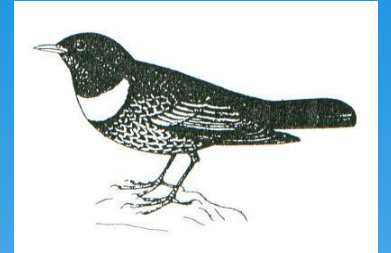


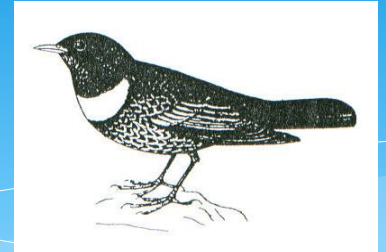
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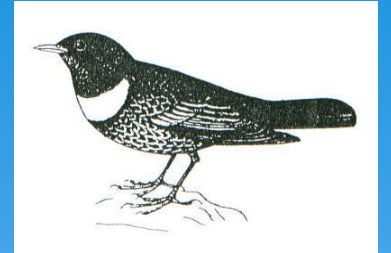
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Agenda

1. To accept apologies for absence
2. Chairman's Welcome
3. To confirm the Minutes of the Annual Parish Assembly held on 13thth May 2019.
4. Parish Report
5. Public questions and comments
6. Chairman to close the meeting

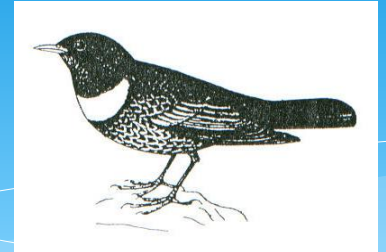
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PARISH REPORT 2020/21

COVID 19

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- Fortunately very few cases in the Parish
- Fantastic support group set up by Carol Chaplin-Rogers
 - Kept those in lockdown fed
 - Spoke to those in need
 - Still operational

Impacted lots village activities

- Fete cancelled
- School closed
- Village Hall closed
- The Ship Closed
- Zoo closed

Now getting back to normal

Broadband – Fibre to the Premises



- PC asked Village in Summer 2020 if better broadband connectivity was needed - zero response
- Affect of COVID, working from home, schools closed has forced Parishioners to re-think
- Public asked PC to investigate better connectivity through Government Gigabit scheme
- Small group coordinated a submission to HCC/OPENREACH
- Deadline of mid-Feb 2021 was met
- Dept. of Culture, Media and Sport failed to process the submission by end of March
- Submission moved to new scheme
- Subsequently PC informed by OPENREACH that submission had been approved
- Voucher letters voucher letters held up by funding issue with HCC contribution

Traffic – Volume, Speed, Behaviour



- Proposed EBC Local Plan
- Strategic Growth Option rejected by Planning Inspector
- ADD continuing to monitor situation
- COVID19 reduced traffic volumes dramatically, but they are now building a little
- The Parish Council purchased a Speed Indicator Sign, it was not installed until after first lockdown so no real volume data available yet
- However speeds are building up again in feeder roads



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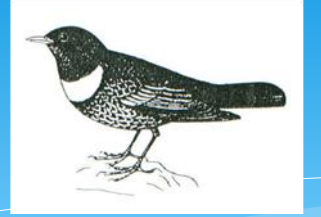


Pitcot Lane has its own problems

- Replaced bollard twice.....
- Lorries are too large for the road width
- Noise from Feed Mill – The Parish Council are liaising with the Mill
- The Post-box was moved to the Parish Hall as it was felt it was safer for the community



Planning



- 21 planning applications processed in 2020/21, mostly without comment
- A lot of concern over road safety not being properly evaluated in proposals.
- Wild life protection, both flora and fauna continues to be a major point in all our evaluations and decisions. The Parish Council have set up a small sub group within the PC to look into every application in this subject.
- SDNP local plan now in operation
 - Fails to cover retrospective abuses of planning process
- Enforcement of issues poorly managed by WCC

Grants



- The Parish Council paid out £1,215.00 in Grants over the year to:
 - St Andrews Church – For grass cutting
 - Morestead Church – For grass cutting
 - Citizen Advice – To help local people
 - OMCA – For recipe books for welcome packs to new residents

The Parish Council have money every year for local groups
We want to give out more money



Highways

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Winter hit roads hard - again

- Still awaiting major pot hole repairs – Please report pothole on the Hampshire Highways website
- Whaddon Lane sump, seems to work



Fly tipping still an issue, prosecutions continuing

- Covid lockdown has had a detrimental effect
- Please report all Fly tipping to Winchester City Council using their website or app

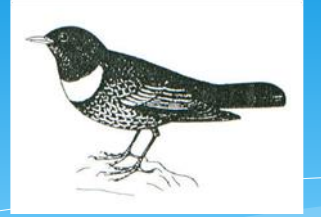


Open Spaces



- Glebe Field burial space – still no new news
- Maintenance to the Playground
 - A new gate was purchased
 - Playground repairs were carried out over the year
- Investigating Tree Preservation orders
- The Defibrillator was serviced and now in good working order
- Received 2 Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) grants in 2020/21
- Spent £1,200 on community projects
 - A new bollard for a footpath to stop cars driving along it
 - Resurfacing Red Lane

Open Spaces



Rights of Way

- New way markers for the Rights of Way have been delivered and are currently being installed
- Increased use of all footpaths over the past year
- Most have used the footpaths/ bridleways responsibly
- New Countryside Code issued by government
- We need more footpath wardens to liaise with the CSO

Other



- CSO has been well received in the community
 - Currently investigating the vandalism of bus shelter
- Village Hall trusteeship issue being advanced
- Telephone Kiosk continues its new life
- Christmas Lights were brilliant again – our thanks to the team
- Passed our Financial and Safety audits with flying colours
- The Ship has re-opened after COVID lockdown, lets hope for a good summer



And finally.....



- My thanks to all councillors, Parish, WCC and HCC who have helped run our affairs over the last year
 - We lost Charlotte Thompson, who made many useful contributions
 - We gained John Foster
- BUT we must have more new faces on the PC and doing things generally for the Village, some of us are getting even more decrepit
- And we must review our Parish Plan

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**We need resident's help
with:**

**The PC
The PCC
OMCA
The School
The Hall**



ANY QUESTIONS ?



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THANKS FOR COMING

