

**MINUTES OF THE GRAMPOUND WITH CREED ANNUAL PARISH MEETING
HELD IN TOWN HALL ON 13TH MARCH 2014**

The Meeting opened at 7.30pm with Cllr. Dean Jenkins in the Chair.

Present: _____ Cllr. R. Paynter. Minutes & Representing "Grampound Times" & Carnival

Cllr. Bob Egerton Representing Cornwall Council & Transition Grampound

Cllr. P. Wootton Representing Heritage Project & Community Shop

Cllr. M. Taylor Representing Recreation Ground & Village Hall

Cllr. P. Freer Representing Grampound Drama Group

Miss A. James Representing Grampound W.I. & Tuesday Club

Mr. A. Webb Representing Grampound Football Club

Also Present:

Cllr. T. Tyler Mr. T. Tyler Cllr. N. Baines Cllr. K. Chapman.

Apologies For Absence: Mrs. P. Paynter Mr. J. Summers

No Minutes from the last Parish Meeting were available.

Cllr. Bob Egerton spoke to his written reports (attached) regarding the work of Cornwall Council and the local Organisation Transition Grampound.

Cllr. Peter Wootton spoke to his written reports (attached) regarding the progress of the Grampound Community Shop and the Grampound Heritage Project.

Mr. Allan Webb spoke on behalf of the Grampound Football Club. He explained that problems of flooding on the playing pitch still exist and efforts were being made to persuade Sport England to sponsor some further remedial work. Currently the club fields five teams with an annual expenditure amounting to £10K. New fund-raising projects are being set up.

Cllr. Phillip Freer spoke for the Grampound Players Drama Group. He explained that although a long interval between productions had taken place a decision had now been taken and the group would continue with a new play around October.

Miss Alice James spoke from a written report (attached) in respect of the activities of the Tuesday Club. She also spoke regarding the Grampound Branch of the Women's Institute. She explained that the branch had just celebrated its 90th Birthday in Grampound and a programme of meetings and events for the next 12 months was being planned. The Institute had a real need to recruit new members.

Cllr. Mark Taylor spoke in respect of the Recreation Ground & Village Hall. Negotiations with the Cornwall Council in respect of the transfer of the hall Lease had become very protracted but it was hoped would be finalised soon. Fund-raising was extremely important and monthly markets were held. A full and varied programme of drama was also taking place but support for this had dwindled and future programme might have to be curtailed. Negotiations regarding changed needs of the school were taking place.

Cllr. Roger Paynter spoke from written reports regarding "The Grampound Times" and the Grampound Carnival. (Reports attached).

The Chairman, Cllr. Dean Jenkins declared the meeting closed at 8.30pm with the undertaking that he would publish notes of the meeting on the Parish Council Website.http://www.grampound.org.uk/parish_council/minutes_2014.html