



## St Georges & Priorslee Parish Council

Minutes of the meeting held Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2024 7:00pm at The School Hall,  
St Georges C of E Primary School, London Road, St Georges.

### Minutes

**Present:** Cllrs R. Overton, S. Handley, J. Smart.

**6/25 Welcome:** Chairman Chairman R. Overton welcomed everyone to the meeting.

**7/25 Apologies:** Cllrs S. Harrison, J. Little, R. Tyrrell

**8/25 Minutes of the meeting held 17<sup>th</sup> September 2024**

**Resolved** that the minutes having been circulated be agreed and signed

**9/25 Progress so far:**

- The Deputy Clerk reported that she had started to compile information about local groups into a more user-friendly format such as the What's On poster. Cllrs are welcome to forward any information they have about local groups.
- Contact with the Churches had been slow going with it being increasingly difficult to get information from them despite repeatedly asking for information.
- Victory in Europe and Victory in Japan were mentioned, with discussion about possible ways the parish could commemorate this.
- Warm up Wednesdays Breakfast Club has been running since November and well received.
- Discussion was had over a number of walks which we could provide in the parish showcasing our History making use of spots such as the Cockshut, Ecology park and miners walk, as well as a health walk aimed at men.
- Information notice boards were discussed for areas such as the ecology park and workers memorial site.
- New zebra crossings had gone in as part of TWC active crossings
- The meeting wanted to plant more trees and wildflowers around the parish.

**10/25 Priority Themes for the Council as agreed in September 2024**

Points from September discussions:

<b>Community Buildings</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vacant buildings within the community – if people are not taking them on</li> <li>• Homeless hostel / HMO's – we need better liaisons with this establishment</li> <li>• Register of groups / services operating in the area (both business &amp; community)</li> <li>• The University Site in Priorslee – can we make more use</li> </ul>
<b>Community Events &amp; Activities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Church events / small events collaborations</li> <li>• Breakfast Club to run November – March</li> </ul>
<b>Outdoors and Open Spaces</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What can we do to make full use of our outdoor spaces</li> </ul>

<b>Supporting and Enhancing the Community</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trees from the woodland trust</li> <li>• Volunteer Coordinator</li> </ul>
<b>The Environment</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Red Hill Primary School</li> <li>• Priorslee Residents Association - walks around the area</li> <li>• History Walks, Nature Walks, Birdwatching</li> </ul>
<b>Highways</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safety Plan</li> </ul>
<b>Services and support for Children &amp; Young People</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Youth Club is desperately needed for the area</li> </ul>

The meeting closed at 5:45pm

**11/25 Date of Next Meeting** – the next meeting to be held 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Signed Chairman.....20.01.26