

ILTON PARISH COUNCIL
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**Minutes of the ANNUAL PARISH MEETING held in Merryfield Hall on
Tuesday 20 May 2025 at 6.30pm**

Present: Sonya Clarke (Treasurer - St Peter's Church) for part of the meeting, Parish Cllrs: J Bennett, J Easterbrook, N Matravers, L Pike, S Ripley, I Sherwood

Cllr J Bennett took notes

Apologies: Paul Adams (Community Plots), Jemma Harris (Ilton Youth Club) Reverend Philip (St Peter's Church); Parish Cllrs: A Gordon, B Vance

1. Welcome by the Chair of the Council

Cllr J Bennett, Chair of the Council opened the Annual Parish Meeting and welcomed those present.

2. Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting on 21 May 2024

The minutes were approved. ALL IN FAVOUR

3. Parish Council Chairman's Annual Report

Cllr J Bennett provided a brief report for 24/25 which will be available on the Parish Council website.

4. Somerset Councillors' reports

Cllrs A Dance and J Roundell Greene were not in attendance at the meeting and no report was available.

5. Reports from local organisations

Merryfield Hall – no report was available.

St Peter's Church - Sonya Clarke, Treasurer provided a report which will be available on the website. A report from Reverend Philip will also be available on the website. It was noted that the Parochial Church Council was looking for someone to help with grant forms.

Community Plots – the following short report was available:

We have an area of the recreation field which was given for use as community plots, we are a friendly group of mixed ages and abilities and operate under a Memorandum agreed with the Parish Council. After a long, wet winter and a cold start to spring the plots are now a hive of activity. There is currently a waiting list for a plot.

Ilton Youth Club – a report from Jemma Harris will be available on the website.

6. Public Forum – there were no members of the public in attendance

The meeting closed at 6.50pm