

**Minutes of the Annesley & Felley Annual Parish Meeting held
on Monday 1st May 2017 - 6.00pm - at the Parish Hall - Annesley**

Present: Cllr's T Smith, PD Thomas, R Madden, A Wortley, A Cope, J Zadrozny, D Martin, W O'Brien, J Bell, H Simmons, W Beasley, one member of the Public, John Saint and the Clerk were in attendance.

1. Apologies for Absence: Cllr H Wortley

2. Approval of Minutes of the previous meeting held on Monday 9th May 2016.

It was noted that the Minutes had been accepted and signed as a true record at the June 2016 Parish Council meeting.

3. Annual Report

The Chair gave a brief summary of events and achievements throughout the year.

- a) During the year four Parish Councillors had resigned and four new Parish Councillors have now been appointed, one by co-option and three by uncontested election.
- b) The 2017/18 Precept rate that Ashfield District Council (ADC) collects on behalf of the Parish Council has been increased by 2%.
- c) The Youth Club remains successful and is now supported by paid Youth Workers.
- d) The Parish Council organised a Halloween Community event in October 2016, Christmas Community event in December 2016 and an Easter Community event in March 2017. All events were held at the Parish Hall and were very successful and well attended. It has been agreed that the Parish Council will organise future events during 2017/18 to include Halloween and Christmas.
- e) During the year the Parish Council has made significant progress on some of the projects identified in the latest Parish Plan. The Parish Hall car park extension has now been completed and work has already started on the Cemetery extension and is expected to be completed by autumn 2017.

The Chair thanked all Parish Councillors, past and present, and the Clerk and Caretaker for their contribution throughout the year.

The meeting closed at 6.10p.m.

Signed.....Date.....
Chairman of Annesley & Felley Parish Council