Annual Meeting Report - April 2023 Cllr Jayne Greenaway

It has been a busy year for the Parish Council working together with the community.

Attendance of residents at our Monthly meetings has increased and has given them the opportunity to question officers and stakeholders directly on many aspects of consultation and to raise their concerns on issues over the last twelve months. A number of initiatives have been supporting residents through challenging times from gardening schemes to breakfast clubs.

The community events have been extremely successful and well attended or oversubscribed which is a lifeline for older residents who have been in extended isolation.

I have represented residents on planning consultations, Highway safety, planning enforcement, Public Rights of Way, polling station locations, etc.I have been involved locally on a wide variety of issues such as the re-instatement of Spring Village Play Area and Friends of Horsehay Pool.

I have decided to not seek re-election but will remain committed to the groups that I have worked closely with over a period of time in the community.

In the next term there will be a number of pressing issues to deal with that sadly have not been completed.

- The Old Road improvements, the Highway safety consultations and implementation of improvements on our road networks.
- Identification of definitive PRoWs and designations.
- To continue to forge strong links and engage with existing groups in the Parish to ensure they are supported.
- To continue to lobby for further play area improvements.
- Engage in a wider Local Governance Review to align Parish boundaries within new warding arrangements for better electoral representation.

I wish to take this opportunity to thank The Clerk, Kathy for her commitment to the residents, ensuring the parish remains well managed, and is always on hand to advise those in need.

Best Wishes and kindest regards.

Jayne