



Parish Notes 14 May 2018

The RPC Annual Village Meeting took place on 19 April with some 50 people in attendance. Draft minutes are published on the RPC website. See https://secure.toolkitfiles.co.uk/clients/24209/sitedata/2018/2018_main_meetings/final-DRAFTminutes-AVM-2018.pdf

A summary of issues raised by residents at the Village Meeting includes:

- getting to grips with the road system before any more planning consents are given;
- *whether enough account is being given to water shortages & flooding risks;*
- *the vacant St Aubyns site may have been a missed opportunity to press for a medical centre in the Village urging continued efforts in this area;*

- *better visitor signage is a priority. For example, a sign post with directions for Rottingdean's many amenities & environmental/historic places of interest;*

- *the growing problem of residential roads in both Rottingdean & Saltdean being used to park for free and take the bus. Or simply to leave vehicles for long periods;*
- *risk seen of Rottingdean becoming like other parts of Brighton where universal parking restriction mean residents permits need to be obtained;*
- *blocking the highway as a way of reducing the numbers of vehicles speeding through Rottingdean roads;*
- *obtaining electronic signs which detect plus light- up the actual speed and registration mark of individual vehicles;*

- *Saltdean Lido appeal: Michael Portillo is likely to feature the Lido in his TV programme;*
- *Volunteers needed to continue running the 200 Club monthly Village draw;*
- *consent has been obtained for a lift to be installed at The Grange.*



Parking on the public realm: residents' concerns continue to be conveyed to councillors about the incidence of parking on the pavement area in Vicarage Lane. RPC has communicated these concerns highlighting a history of local desirability *not* to see vehicles parking here and requesting the City Council return the planters to their intended position.

Police & Community Safety Local Action Team: the next LAT meeting is 16

May 2018 at 7pm Rottingdean Whiteway Centre

Ovingdean 'Green Festival' takes place on 23 June including a *Plastic Free* Ovingdean initiative being started.