

Summary of the Meeting of the Vale Douzaine

Monday September 24th 2018

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| <u>Present:</u> | Miss R.A. Henry – Dean | Mr J.C.S.F. Smithies – Vice Dean |
| Douzeniers: | Mr T.I. Ashworth, Mr A. Quevatre, Mr M.P. Torode, Mrs P.A. Robinson, Mr J.H. Leale, Mr J.C.S.F. Smithies, Mr A. Goubert, Mr W.J. Le Page and Mr P.F. van der Tang | |
| Constables: | Mr R. A. Leale, Mr W.H. Cohu | |
| Parish Secretaries: | Mrs S. Earles, Mrs N. Gill | |
| <u>Apologies:</u> | Mr R.E. Digard, Mr S.M. Le Maitre, Mr G. Collins, Mr L. Queripel and Mr M. Fallaize | |

A general Question and Answer session was held with the Deputies.

1. Minutes of the Meeting held on July 30th 2018, were approved by the Douzaine.
2. Matters arising – None.
3. 5 Bornements were approved.
4. Waste Strategy – Although the Douzaine office received many calls during the first week of implementation, feedback has been positive from everyone involved. A lot of glass that had possibly been stockpiled and 89 tonnes of food waste was collected Island wide in the first two weeks. There was also a large increase in the number of blue bag collections.
5. The Vale Remeberance Day Service will be held at 10am on Sunday 11th November at the Memorial with refreshments and a small exhibition to be held at the Vale Douzaine Room afterwards.
6. Time slots for the IWV Referendum have now been filled.
7. Parochial Elections are due in November. Senior and Junior Constables, 4 Douzeniers and a replacement position for 3years, all terms will expire. There are also positions available on School Committees for Vale, Infants and Junior School, Haute Capelles School and St Sampson's High School. Nomination Forms are available from the Vale Douzaine Room.
8. Dates were agreed upon for Hedge and Streams inspections.
9. Our website is still proving popular with user numbers increasing again this month. The site is also being used by the local press with numerous reports being covered in the newspaper.

10. DLG meeting was attended by two Douzeniers. Disability training was discussed with The States of Guernsey and Access for All working together to promote "Help for the Community". A presentation was given about the Island Wide Voting referendum. The DPA has extended invitations to the Douzaines to attend their meetings as observers.
11. A letter will be sent opposing the development of Le Maresquet.
12. A request has been made for the yellow line to be reinstated at the newly widened section of road in Rue du Tertre.
13. The abreuvoir at La Rue Charrueé has been refurbished.