



BRADFORD PEVERELL VILLAGE HALL

Management Committee Meeting Minutes

Friday 17th October 2025

Present	Cathy Bishop (CB) Helen Meaden (HM) (Chair) Jackie Morgan (JM) Steve Morgan (SM)
Apologies	Tess Buck (TB) Sue Rippingale (SR)
Minutes of Last Meeting	Agreed
1. Matters Arising Outside Socket	Fitted and paid for. Other matters arising are covered in the Agenda items.
2. Finance	CB reported on the current financial status and provided a summary of Profit and loss up until end of September. Fundraising so far from Plant sale and Dog show has been very good this year raising around £2000. We will need around £3500 for the shed and £1200 for a new projector. Insurance will be around £800 and the hearing loop around £1200. It was agreed that the hearing loop should be installed and 2 quotes have been obtained. The Church are having one fitted but this company quoted slightly more than a previous quote. SM will try and negotiate for a better quote from the company doing the Church one if they are both done around the same time. SM will forward details of the projector so that CB can purchase. The offer of Fast broadband internet from Wessex Internet was discussed and with a monthly rental of £1 for 3 years, it was agreed that CB would investigate the fee for cancelling the current contract and changing to Wessex. We agreed that at the price of £1 we could run both until the 90 day notice period for cancelling BT was over. Bar prices were reviewed and no change was proposed and agreed. The cost of hall rental was discussed. As we have increased pay to the cleaner and now have improved the facilities and the heating is reliable we agreed to increase costs to £9 per hour. The cost for Weddings was increased to £100 for village residents and £120 for non-residents. The new rates will apply from January. JM will inform all groups when contacting them about next year's dates in November.

- 3. New Shed**

Terry has been working extremely hard on preparing the ground for the new shed. He has had some help from Bill and Chris. We are very grateful to Terry and those helping him as this could not have been done without Terry. The concrete base should be laid soon and the shed can be ordered. Terry will order the shed.
- 4. Social Update**

SM updated the committee on the very successful events that have happened during the summer. The Dog Show will be held again next year. Thanks to all those who worked hard to make it so successful.
- 5. Christmas Events**

The Social group will meet in November to fine-tune the details of these events. The tree lighting will be on 5th December. A discussion was held on having more decorations for the hall and HM will source these. She will also look into the cost of a new indoor tree and discuss with T about the outside tree. Father Christmas may visit with small gifts for the children. The Christmas Market will be on 6th December. All tables are booked. There will be a table for Village Hall funds. Donations welcome. The Christmas quiz will be on 19th December.
- 6. Website**

Mel reported that there have been 51 visits to the site by 37 individuals. Mel is constantly adding and updating the site to keep it current, fresh and interesting. The committee would like to convey their thanks to Mel, and HM will be in touch to do this.
- 7. AOB
Lighting**

Bob has tested the Standby lighting and submitted a report. All is working.
- 8. Date of Next
Meeting**

Thursday 4th December 2025 at 10am