

The Stokesley Pride-in-our-Town Association

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MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING MONDAY 22ND OCTOBER 2018 STOKESLEY TOWN HALL

The Chairman's Welcome was followed by:

Apologies from Alan Weighell, Jill Lee, Tricia Lee and Ajit Patel.

Attending Linda Purnell (Chair), Fiona Wilson, Fred Lee, Mike Irving, Lovaine Irving, Caroline Rathmell, Adrian Rathmell, Derek Whiting, David Scott, Ken Ridgeway,

Minutes of the last AGM were accepted.

Chairman's Report

Linda Purnell gave the report for 2017/18, first summarising the work of SPIOTA. She thanked all the sponsors, the volunteers including the committee, the Thursday gang, the waterers and the people who kindly allow us to use their water. Our new Data Protection Policy was mentioned and the need for younger volunteers. There has been much praise and gratitude, including a letter from Rishi Sunak, our MP. The displays were exceptional with the very hot summer causing extra watering effort.

Treasurer's Report. This will be provided at the end of November.

Matters arising:

During the next year please look for a volunteer to shadow Linda Purnell as she organises the SPIOTA work.

Resignations Our secretary for many years, Jill Lee, has resigned. Our gratitude for the years of service was expressed and a letter of thanks will be sent.

Nomination/Election of Officers.

For the post of Secretary, Fiona Wilson was proposed, seconded and appointed.

Any Other Business. Our committee members Mr & Mrs Irving are celebrating their Diamond Wedding. We congratulate them and thank them for their decades of service to SPIOTA and continued advice.

The meeting was closed.