

representing Highbrook, Selsfield, Sharpthorne, Tyes Cross and West Hoathly

West Hoathly Parish Council Clerks Report September 2023

Actions Taken and points of information not on the agenda

- The first Neighbourhood Plan working group meeting has been arranged for Monday 9th October at 7:30pm on Zoom. At the last meeting it was agreed that Cllr Will Buckley will join the working group and will chair the meetings.
- The Cambridge & Counties investment bond has now been set up and £20,000 has been transferred to the account.
- Annual allotment invoices have been issued to plot holders.
- The Clerk will be on leave the 2nd and 3rd October and the 24th and 26th October.

Information for items on the agenda-

Item 10- Conclusion of Audit for the year ending 31st March 2023

The external auditor has now signed off the audit, the Notice of Conclusion of Audit has been posted on the noticeboard and website.

Item 11- Neighbourhood Plan

Planning Consultant Steve Tilbury has agreed to attend the initial meeting on Monday 9th October, his fees are £60 per hour.

Item 12- Mulberry & Co

At the meeting held on the 26^{th of} June, Mulberry & Co were confirmed as the auditor for 2023-24.

Mulberry & Co are now offering a long-term 3-year agreement for the provision of internal audit services. The £65 rate will be fixed for the three-year period of the updated engagement letter. Additional T&C's circulated vi email.

Item 13- Gatwick Airport Northern Runway

YOU CAN NOW COMMENT ON LONDON GATWICK'S GROWTH PLANS

London Gatwick's application to bring its Northern Runway into routine use, alongside its Main Runway, was accepted for examination by the Planning Inspectorate on 03 August 2023.

Members of the public have until 23:59 on 29 October 2023 to make their views on the airport's growth plans known to the Planning Inspectorate.

By doing so, people will be able to provide a summary of their views on the airport's application by submitting a 'Relevant Representation' to become an 'Interested Party'.

Relevant Representations must be made on the Planning Inspectorate's Registration and Relevant Representation Form, which can be found on their website here.

Those who register will be kept informed of progress of the examination and will have the opportunity to provide further representations during the examination phase.

The Planning Inspectorate provides further guidance on how to register and make a relevant representation on their website here.

Register to have your say about a national infrastructure project - National Infrastructure Planning (planninginspectorate.gov.uk)

Item 15- Bluebell Woods - notes circulated to councillors via email

Bank - Cash and Investment Reconciliation as at 20 September 2023

Confirmed Bank & Investment Balances

Bank Statement Balances

 20/09/2023
 Current Account
 3,029.94

 20/09/2023
 Deposit Account
 87,670.14

90,700.08

Other Cash & Bank Balances

20,000.00

110,700.08

Unpresented Payments

4,626.02

106,074.06

Receipts not on Bank Statement

0.00

Closing Balance 106,074.06

All Cash & Bank Accounts

 1
 Current Bank A/c
 -1,596.08

 2
 Deposit Account
 87,670.14

Other Cash & Bank Balances 20,000.00

Total Cash & Bank Balances 106,074.06

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Current Bank A/c

List of Payments made between 30/08/2023 and 20/09/2023

Date Paid	Payee Name	Reference	Amount Paid Authorized Ref	Transaction Detail
20/09/2023	Dorian Fretwell VH Cleaning	232471	220.80	Dorian Fretwell VH Cleaning
20/09/2023	Colin Gibbs	232472	179.42	Colin Gibbs Handyman salary
20/09/2023	Salaries	232473	1,721.05	Salaries
20/09/2023	WSCC Local Govt Pension Schem	e232474	472.48	WSCC Local Govt Pension Scheme
20/09/2023	HMRC	232475	481.75	HMRC Mth 6
20/09/2023	Fosters Landscapes	232476	515.81	Fosters Land playpark repairs
20/09/2023	British Telecom	232477DD	65.94	British Telecom
20/09/2023	Ahs Ltd	232478	337.50	Ahs Ltd - playbark
20/09/2023	Derek Shurvell	232479	262.50	Derek Shurvell 6/12 mowing
20/09/2023	Southern Electric	232480DD	112.57	Southern Electric NLR
20/09/2023	Southern Electric	232481DD	66.84	Southern Electric toilets
20/09/2023	Monitor Cleaning	232482	255.30	Monitor Cleaning
20/09/2023	Cambridge & Counties 1yr Bond	232483	20,000.00	Cambridge & Counties 1yr Bond

Total Payments

24,691.96

Detailed Receipts & Payments by Budget Heading 20/09/2023

		Actual Year To Date	Current Annual Bud	Variance Annual Total	Committed Expenditure	Funds Available	% Spent	Transfer to/from EMR
100	Income							
	Precept	44,009	88,018	44,009			50.0%	
	Interest Received	558	200	(358)			278.9%	
	Other Income	62	0	(62)			0.0%	
1301	TWHVH CC Income	622	0	(622)			0.0%	
	JUBILEE	1,605	0	(1,605)			0.0%	1,605
	S106 Receipts	3,243	0	(3,243)			0.0%	1,000
	TWHVH Employee Costs	1,518	0	(1,518)			0.0%	
	Income :- Receipts	51,617	88,218	36,601			58.5%	1,605
	Net Receipts	51,617	88,218	36,601				
6001	less Transfer to EMR	1,605						
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	50,012						
110	Administration							
4000	Salaries	13,313	28,289	14,976		14,976	47.1%	
4001	Hall Cleaning	1,794	0	(1,794)		(1,794)		
	Handyman Salary	1,018	1,726	708		708	59.0%	
	Employer On Costs	3,131	7,965	4,834		4,834	39.3%	
	Training/Courses	75	1,200	1,125		1,125	6.3%	
	Chairman's Allowance	0	100	100		100	0.0%	
4100	Bank Charges	33	120	87		87	27.5%	
	Audit Fees	464	900	436		436	51.5%	
4120	Professional Fees	2,715	0	(2,715)		(2,715)		
4130	Premises Licence Fee	70	80	10		10	87.5%	
4140	Subscriptions & Memberships	1,173	1,500	327		327	78.2%	
4150	Insurance	1,631	2,000	369		369	81.6%	
4160	Stationery	23	400	377		377	5.8%	
4170	Telephone & Broadband	494	800	306		306	61.7%	
4180	Website	48	800	752		752	6.0%	
4190	IT	220	650	430		430	33.8%	
4200	Office Expenses	3	0	(3)		(3)	0.0%	
4230	TWHVH CREDIT CARD expenses	620	0	(620)		(620)	0.0%	
4240	Grants & Donations	4,900	5,000	100		100	98.0%	
4260	PWLB	0	2,134	2,134		2,134	0.0%	
5000	Jubilee Payments only	1,462	0	(1,462)		(1,462)	0.0%	1,462
	Administration :- Indirect Payments	33,185	53,664	20,479		20,479	61.8%	1,462
	Net Payments	(33,185)	(53,664)	(20,479)				
6000	plus Transfer from EMR	1,462						
	Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	(31,723)						

Detailed Receipts & Payments by Budget Heading 20/09/2023

		Actual Year To Date	Current Annual Bud	Variance Annual Total	Committed Expenditure	Funds Available	% Spent	Transfer to/from EMR
120	Allotments							
	Allotments Rent	90	600	510			15.0%	
	Allotments :- Receipts	90	600	510			15.0%	
4300	Water Charges	0	250	250		250	0.0%	
4420	Maintenance	0	250	250		250	0.0%	
	Allotments :- Indirect Payments	0	500	500	0	500	0.0%	0
	Net Receipts over Payments	90	100	10				
<u>130</u>	Finche Field							
4400	Grass Cutting	1,575	1,350	(225)		(225)	116.7%	
4410	Finche Field Mowing	250	350	100		100	71.4%	
4420	Maintenance	73	500	427		427	14.5%	
4430	Bramble Clearing	0	200	200		200	0.0%	
	Finche Field :- Indirect Payments	1,898	2,400	502		502	79.1%	0
	Net Payments	(1,898)	(2,400)	(502)				
140	North Lane Recreation Ground							
1600	NLR Hire Fees	500	500	0			100.0%	
	North Lane Recreation Ground :- Receipts	500	500				100.0%	
4300	Water Charges	16	0	(16)		(16)	0.0%	
	Maintenance	94	250	156		156	37.6%	
4500	NLR Maintenance Contract	1,650	3,200	1,550		1,550	51.6%	
North La	ane Recreation Ground :- Indirect Payments	1,760	3,450	1,690		1,690	51.0%	0
	Net Receipts over Payments	(1,260)	(2,950)	(1,690)				
<u>150</u>	Sharpthorne Old Playground							
4400	Grass Cutting	0	250	250		250	0.0%	
4420	Maintenance	0	100	100		100	0.0%	
Sharp	othorne Old Playground :- Indirect Payments	0	350	350		350	0.0%	0
	Net Payments	0	(350)	(350)				
160	Playgrounds							
	Maintenance	533	1,000	467		467	53.3%	
	Playbark	281	300	19		19	93.8%	
	Inspections	0	750	750		750	0.0%	
	Playgrounds :- Indirect Payments	814	2,050	1,236		1,236	39.7%	0
	Net Payments	(814)	(2,050)	(1,236)				
	aymono	(614)	(2,030)	(1,230)				

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<u>170</u>	Infrastucture							
1700	Wayleave	0	46	46			0.0%	
	Infrastucture :- Receipts		46	46			0.0%	
4420	Maintenance	455	2,000	1,545		1,545	22.8%	
4600	Dog & Litter Bins	0	1,850	1,850		1,850	0.0%	
4620	Hanging Baskets	0	50	50		50	0.0%	
4630	Sharpthorne Christmas Tree	0	150	150		150	0.0%	
4640	Tree Work and Surveys	310	2,500	2,190		2,190	12.4%	
4641	Bluebell Wood Management	170	2,800	2,630		2,630	6.1%	
4650	Selsfield Common	0	100	100		100	0.0%	
4660	Sharpthorne Green	0	300	300		300	0.0%	
4670	Vinols Cross Area	120	600	480		480	20.0%	
4680	Cookhams Wood Verge	0	400	400		400	0.0%	
4690	Grit Bins	0	250	250		250	0.0%	
4720	Work on Bank Broadfield	0	750	750		750	0.0%	
4740	Verge alongside Courtlands	0	500	500		500	0.0%	
5010	S106 Expenditure	3,243	0	(3,243)		(3,243)	0.0%	
	Infrastucture :- Indirect Payments	4,298	12,250	7,952	0	7,952	35.1%	0
	Net Receipts over Payments	(4,298)	(12,204)	(7,906)				
180	<u>Premises</u>							
	Water Charges	22	750	728		728	3.0%	
	Maintenance	0	500	500		500	0.0%	
	Toilets Cleaning Contract	1,258	3,000	1,742		1,742	41.9%	
	Toilets Equipment Contract	331	450	119		119	73.5%	
	Electricity	637	1,000	363		363	63.7%	
	Premises :- Indirect Payments	2,248	5,700	3,452		3,452	39.4%	
	Net Payments	(2,248)	(5,700)	(3,452)				
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115	VAT on Receipts	5,580	0	(5,580)			0.0%	
	VAT Data :- Receipts	5,580	0	(5,580)				0
515	VAT on Payments	2,178	0	(2,178)		(2,178)	0.0%	
	VAT Data :- Indirect Payments	2,178	0	(2,178)		(2,178)		0

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Detailed Receipts & Payments by Budget Heading 20/09/2023

	Actual Year To Date	Current Annual Bud	Variance Annual Total	Committed Expenditure	Funds Available	% Spent	Transfer to/from EMR
Grand Totals:- Receipts	57,787	89,364	31,577			64.7%	
Payments	46,380	80,364	33,984	0	33,984	57.7%	
Net Receipts over Payments	11,407	9,000	(2,407)				
plus Transfer from EMR	1,462						
less Transfer to EMR	1,605						
Movement to/(from) Gen Reserve	11,264						

Trustees of West Hoathly Village Hall

Bank - Cash and Investment Reconciliation as at 20 September 2023

 20/09/2023
 Unity Trust Current
 11,266.58

 20/09/2023
 Deposit Account
 6,812.07

18,078.65

Other Cash & Bank Balances

0.00

18,078.65

Unpresented Payments

864.55

17,214.10

Receipts not on Bank Statement

0.00

Closing Balance 17,214.10

All Cash & Bank Accounts

 1
 Current Bank A/c
 10,402.03

 2
 Deposit Account
 6,812.07

Other Cash & Bank Balances 0.00

Total Cash & Bank Balances 17,214.10

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Current Bank A/c

List of Payments made between 30/08/2023 and 20/09/2023

Date Paid	Payee Name	Reference	Amount Paid Authorized Ref	Transaction Detail
20/09/2023	HQ Plumbing	232427	241.40	HQ Plumbing system drain rad
20/09/2023	West Hoathly Parish Council DF	232428	276.00	WHPC Dorien Fretwell cleaning
20/09/2023	Southern Electric	232429	168.47	Southern Electric
20/09/2023	Lopez WIndow Cleaning	232430	35.00	Lopez WIndow Cleaning
20/09/2023	HQ Plumbing	232431	203.40	HQ Plumbing Boiler service
20/09/2023	Colin Gibbs expenses	232432	15.18	Colin Gibbs expenses hob switc
20/09/2023	West Hoathly Parish Council	232433	22.50	WHPC Besthost credit card
20/09/2023	Action in Rural Sussex	232434	144.00	Action in Rural Sussex Subs

Total Payments

1,105.95

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Detailed Receipts & Payments by Budget Heading 20/09/2023

		Actual Year To Date	Current Annual Bud	Variance Annual Total	Committed Expenditure	Funds Available	% Spent	Transfer to/from EMR
100	Income							
1100	Flat Rent	3,500	6,600	3,100			53.0%	
1200	Hall Hire	4,923	8,675	3,752			56.8%	
1400	Interest Received	33	0	(33)			0.0%	
1500	Grants & Donation Received	1,000	0	(1,000)			0.0%	
	Income :- Receipts	9,456	15,275	5,819			61.9%	0
	Net Receipts	9,456	15,275	5,819				
120	Cleaning							
4100	Cleaning	1,794	3,590	1,796		1,796	50.0%	
4110	Cleaning Supplies	92	300	208		208	30.5%	
4120	Window Cleaning	140	350	210		210	40.0%	
4130	Garden Maintenance	44	200	156		156	22.0%	
	Cleaning :- Indirect Payments	2,070	4,440	2,370	0	2,370	46.6%	0
	Net Payments	(2,070)	(4,440)	(2,370)				
130	Fire Safety							
4200	Pat Testing	0	150	150		150	0.0%	
4210	Emergency Lighting Testing	0	150	150		150	0.0%	
4220	Fire Safety	0	300	300		300	0.0%	
	Fire Safety :- Indirect Payments	0	600	600		600	0.0%	0
	Net Payments	0	(600)	(600)				
140	General Maintenance							
4300	Hall Repairs and Maintenance	1,040	4,700	3,660		3,660	22.1%	
4310	Flat Repairs and Maintenance	292	800	508		508	36.5%	
4330	Piano Tuning	75	80	5		5	93.8%	
	General Maintenance :- Indirect Payments	1,408	5,580	4,172		4,172	25.2%	0
	Net Payments	(1,408)	(5,580)	(4,172)				
150	Heating							
	Boiler Servicing	170	300	131		131	56.5%	
	Heating Oil	523	2,500	1,977		1,977		
	Heating :- Indirect Payments	693	2,800	2,107	0	2,107	24.7%	0

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Detailed Receipts & Payments by Budget Heading 20/09/2023

	Actual Year To Date	Current Annual Bud	Variance Annual Total	Committed Expenditure	Funds Available	% Spent	Transfer to/from EMF
160 Utilities & Contracts							
4320 PHS Contracts	346	400	54		54	86.4%	
4500 Electricity	289	1,200	911		911	24.1%	
4520 Water Charges	195	800	605		605	24.4%	
4530 General	18	200	182		182	9.0%	
4540 AIRS Hall Service Subscription	120	150	30		30	80.0%	
4550 Performing Rights	169	210	41		41	80.6%	
4560 Website	45	100	55		55	45.0%	
4580 Planning & Fees (Flat staircas	0	3,900	3,900		3,900	0.0%	
Utilities & Contracts :- Indirect Payments	1,182	6,960	5,778	0	5,778	17.0%	
Net Payments	(1,182)	(6,960)	(5,778)				
999 VAT Data							
515 VAT on Payments	352	0	(352)		(352)	0.0%	
VAT Data :- Indirect Payments	352	0	(352)	0	(352)		
Net Payments	(352)	0	352				
Grand Totals:- Receipts	9,456	15,275	5,819			61.9%	
Dovemento	5,704	20,380	14,676	0	14,676	28.0%	
Payments			(2.272)				
Net Receipts over Payments	3,751	(5,105)	(8,856)				