

Minutes of Shepton Mallet History Group AGM 7th November 2018

Vice Chairman Jane Burgess in the absence of Chairman Alan Stone gave a brief outline of the previous year, commenting on the difficulty Chris (Norman) had on re-arranging speakers and the cancellation of the Walk around Mells due to poor support. She also thanked Treasurer Pam (Preece) for keeping the accounts asking those present to acknowledge this work. Jane reminded Members it's their Group and to come forward with ideas and to fill empty places on the committee.

Treasurer report. Pam pointed out that due to some speakers not charging the accounts are healthy and subs to remain at £8.

Speakers secretary Chris Norman informed members that meetings will return to the third Thursday in the month in the new year and he will give out the new programme next month when the speaker is Prof Ron Hutton. Please encourage people to come.

Election of Officers. Treasurer: Pam Preece proposed by Christine Trutch seconded by Cedric Preece. Carried

Committee Alan Stone, Chris Norman, Eleanor Norman. Proposed

Sydney Trutch, Seconded Janet

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Officer to be decided at the next committee meeting.

No new committee members came forward

Meeting closed

We then listened to a very informative talk by Jane Burgess on the Other Side of James Allen, the Snowdrop King.

Tea and coffee followed