# Henbury and Brentry Community Council AGM - 20th April 2006

1. Apologies: Shirley, Ray Thomas, Carole Pyle, Maddie Powell.

#### 2. Minutes

Minutes of the previous meeting agreed as a true record. It was noted that Father Michael had indeed sent his apologies although these had not been recorded. There were no matters arising.

# 3. Treasurers report

The treasurer presented the accounts to the Community Council - see appended report. It was noted that as yet they had not been audited, but that this was in hand.

It was agreed that the £500 allocated to Henbury School for it's specialist arts bid should be set aside until they resubmitted the bid, hopefully in autumn 06.

#### 4. Election of Officers

The Chair, Vice-chair and Treasurer and auditors were thanked for their hard work over the last year.

The following officers were elected for 2006/07:

Ted Marshall - Chair
Richard Pyle - Vice-Chair
Vacancy - Secretary
Treasurer - Tim Parkinson
Auditor - Andrew Roberts
Trustees - Claire Cook, Ted Marshall

The meeting ended.		

There followed an ordinary meeting of the Henbury and Brentry Community Council.

## 1. Ward report

 Neighbourhood Renewal - Derek and Claire reported that money had been allocated to Henbury and Brentry from the government to address community safety issues. Following discussion it was agreed that the majority of money be should be spent on up-grading the Crow Lane CCTV system.

- A bid was being developed for CCTV on Station Rd in order to be prepared should a funding opportunity arise.
- An application for a Dispersal Order for Crow Lane and Station Rd is being progressed.
- The community will have Police Community Support Officers working in Henbury and Brentry from the autumn.
- Following the recent vicious assaults in the Station Rd area, the cllrs had lobbied the police for more police resources. There have been additional mounted and dog patrols in the area.

# 2. Library report

Helen outlined a new scheme which gives books to 2 and 3 year olds. She also talked about the 'books on prescription' scheme. The fascias on the library are being replaced.

### **3. AOB**

- It was agreed that Richard Pyle should be the spokesperson for the council in relation to the Friends of the Suburban Bristol Railways organisation who are lobbying to maintain and improve our local railway system.
- Tim Parkinson informed the meeting that the Community Council web-site is now under development.
- It was noted that the Brentry Community Council Building Trust was to be wound up due to the inability to raise the balance of funding required. It was noted that many people had invested a lot of time and expertise into the project.
- Roy Pepworth reminded members about the Henbury Healthy Walking Group. Everyone welcome.

## 4. Date of Next meeting

Thursday 20th July 2006, 7.30pm, Brentry Methodist Church.