

Adlington Town Council

Minutes of the Adlington Annual Town Meeting held on Monday 9 May 2022 at Adlington Library, Railway Road commencing at 7:15pm

Members Present

Town Mayor: K O'Donnell

Councillors: B Speers, A Robinson, A Rothwell, A Cross, J Molyneaux, J Lowe, K Snape, N Buckley, P Walkden, S Clewlow

In Attendance: C Bailey (Clerk). 12 members of the public were in attendance at this meeting.

1 Apologies

These were received on behalf of Cllr P Wilson and were accepted by the Town Council.

2 Minutes of the Annual Town Meeting of 10 May 2021

were approved and signed by the Town Mayor.

3 Annual Report, 2021/22

The Town Mayor presented the Annual Report for the year 2021/22 summarising the Town Council's civic calendar and activities. The Town Mayor thanked the Council members for their support during his term of office, and that we look forward to an improving situation as the pandemic eases. The Clerk summarised the financial position, noting that the actual Community Awards payment had exceeded the budget as it related to approvals made across three financial years. The Annual Report was accepted. It will be available in full on the ATC website or on application to the Clerk.

4 Announcement of Adlington Citizen Awards

The Town Council had invited nominations for these Awards for formal announcement at the Annual Town Meeting. The Award winners will be invited to be presented with their Certificates at the informal gathering after the Town Council's Civic Service on Sunday, 26 June 2022.

The Town Mayor announced that the **Adlington Citizen Award 2022** will go to:

- **Janet and Michael Jackson** who almost daily, and for over 30 years in Janet's case, both collect litter and cigarette butts dropped in the Village and they want to raise awareness of the harmful impact that discarded cigarette butts have on the environment and to plastic pollution.
- **June Makinson** who has for many years found ways to bring people together within the community as 'Snowy Owl' and then 'Brown Owl' for St Paul's Brownies and through the organisation of the 'Friends Together Group'.
- **Olivia Broome** for her sporting success in representing Great Britain. Olivia won the gold medal in the Junior Women's 50kg event at the 2021 World Para Powerlifting Championships and the silver medal in the senior women's 50kg event, and that
- **The Stephen Higgins Young Citizen Award** is to **Elouisa Porter** who has challenged herself to complete 24 litter picks as the charity element of the Duke of Edinburgh Award. Elouisa has used it as a way to challenge others through social media to stop dropping litter and to look after their local environment.

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There being no more items for discussion the Town Mayor closed the meeting at 7:30pm

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