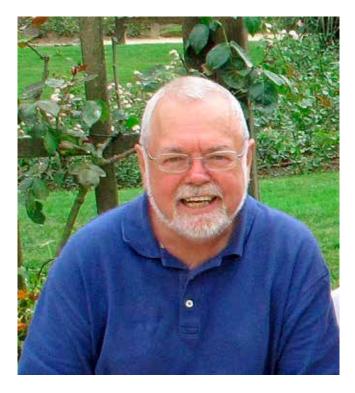
Arthur David



At Packington Post we have lost our official photographer - Arthur David passed away in late December 2020. As you are reading this, you have probably seen a number of his photo illustrations in our village magazine over the last three years, perhaps of the Horticultural Show, the Big Breakfast, the Party in the Park, the bonfire nights, and more. The editor was always pleased to get great images to go with our village stories.

Arthur grew up in Brighton and, after leaving school, studied engineering. He joined General Motors, winning a scholarship to study in the United States for a year. However, as his eyes were opened to global industrial practices, it was Japan rather than America that attracted his attention. He became increasingly fascinated by Japanese manufacturing philosophy and methodology, so much so that when Nissan proposed opening their Sunderland plant, Arthur went all out to become part of it, successfully coming on board as 'employee 41'!

His passions had been many, including motor bikes, folk music, rugby and photography. Arthur was a member and officer of Ashby Camera Club and, recently, their committee Secretary.

His wife of nearly 26 years, Phillippa, known universally as Pippa, is a reporter for the Packington Post. She has carried out many interviews of residents, you will probably have seen them here, too. She was responsible for co-opting her husband to help us, using his photographic expertise.

In retirement, Arthur and Pippa shared a vision of the potential in their once rather run-down home in New Packington. It was usually Philippa as down-in-the-dirt "Mole" who would get stuck in with the heavy grafting, while Arthur's "Ratty" (as Philippa put it, ('the wise and clever one') sat on the side lines roaring with laughter, and taking photos as she once stepped off the ladder, straight into a large pot of paint!

Arthur may have been official photographer of the Packington Post for only a few years, but we shall all miss him.

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"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times"

Editorial

The opening lines of Charles Dickens' novel "A Tale of Two Cities" seem very appropriate for the situation we find ourselves in.

Now into a third Lockdown with schooling disrupted and non-essential shops closed, life is very difficult for some people, particularly those living on their own. Let's hope the Packington spirit comes into play again with offers of help, whether it be shopping or just a chat on the phone.

We are all thankful for Daybreak Services where you are always sure of service with a smile.

There are flashes of Good News with the introduction of mass vaccination to combat this dreadful virus. A new Landlord has taken over at the Bull & Lion, but when will he be able to open for business?

There is also great sadness with the loss of two friends of the Packington Post in the week after Christmas. Councillor Ian Dring and Arthur David, both passed away suddenly.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to both families at this stressful time.

Mike Coke Editor

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Wally Instrall.....100 Not Out



Former resident of The Grange, Wally, celebrated his centenary on 29th December. Not the grand celebrations his family had envisaged but at least they were able to visit him on the day.

Wally moved to be nearer to family about three years ago. The Care Home has a dedicated "visitor room" allowing regular visits by family members. All staff and residents were given a Covid vaccination last week.

Members of the Packington Men's Group PMG sent a card, as did several of his former neighbours.



Much of the December Council meeting was spent discussing the planning proposal to build three log cabins on Coleorton Lane. After much debate it was decided to lodge a strong objection to this application on the grounds that; it is outside the development boundary; is positioned in a very rural exposed site which at present is designated for agriculture only; significant traffic concerns were noted with the site entrance opening onto a B road with national speed limit of 60mph with little or no verges; and finally, the lack of detail concerning design, sewage disposal, electricity and water supply.

Council approved the supply of two village benches. One will replace the old bench at Ashby Road and High Street junction, and be dedicated to our very long-standing Parish Councillor Ian Dring. The other in Mill Street will be dedicated to the late Wesley Ewing for his work in the community.

There have been no formal Police updates at the last two Council meetings, but members noted that a motor cyclist was severely injured on Normanton Rd and was subsequently charged with drink driving and riding without a licence. It was also noted at the January meeting that vehicles had been off-roading down Babelake St.

At the December meeting the current state of the village CCTV system was discussed with Karl Saunt and Antony Cash, who are looking into its future. It was noted that the system would cost in the region of £2000 per year to run and that much of the camera equipment would need replacing to a higher standard. It is hoped to resolve these issues at the next meeting in February.

In the previous issue of the Packington Post, a village sign was proposed along with a competition for its design. There was also a call for comments on the proposal. The response for this has been rather mixed with only six responses offered. The council has decided however to go ahead with a village sign subject to design and costs.

Have you got a story for the next Packington Post? contact: editor@packington. info

The Council would like to brighten up the entrances to the village and one idea we are investigating is the provision of wild-flower turf which will be placed on the verges in front of the Packington entrance signs.

The Council is committed to helping anyone who needs assistance at this time of Lockdown. We all know how difficult it has been and anyone with any needs please speak up. Ring me or contact the Clerk. There are people in place who will assist you whatever the reason. As the vaccines roll out, we hope the elderly in the village will be protected and that some normality will return. Please keep safe.

For more details of Parish Council's decisions and notices please go to our website.

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Recreation Ground Charity

Under Covid 19 Government Guidelines the Recreation Ground and Play-area has remained open. The gym equipment has had to be fenced off and is not in use. There are rules and regulations posted on the entrances and it is left to the public to observe and act on these regulations. Surfaces must be kept clean and social distancing observed.

The Trustees have approved work to be carried out, weather permitting, to resurface the car park.



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Packington Post

The Packington Communications Group not only produces this bi-monthly magazine, but has several additional means of getting news to you.

The **Alerts** go out via email to anyone in the village who has signed up. These messages usually carry important information that might need action. To join this group, send your details, address etc. to: alerts@packington. info

We also host a web site - packington.info - and a Packington Post Facebook page. If you would like to post information to either please email:

editor@packington.info

The **Welcome Pack** is distributed to all new comers to the village. This does rely on everyone watching out in their road and notifying Becky when they spot activity.

Becky Taylor 411027



The **Editorial Team** agrees the content and gets copy to our printer, Context Print.

Context not only layout and print, but package up, ready for the all-important delivery to every address.

Distributors Needed!

Our distributors are unsung heroes, who will be out in all weathers to make sure you get your copy. Could you become a distributor in your street? New faces are always welcome. Please contact our distribution organiser:

Adrian Mongredien 564613

Deputy Editor Needed - Can YOU help? The Packington Post is always looking for new talent to write stories. Maybe you fancy having a go at editing this magazine? While I am able, I shall continue, but really do need someone to come on board as Deputy Editor.

Mike Coke editor@packington.info





Virtual Nativity – Our Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children managed to still take part in their nativity 'It's a Party'. This had to be filmed in a way to ensure the class bubbles remained socially distanced and then was sent out electronically for parents to watch at home. We were impressed with the pupils expressive speaking and reading as well as their confident singing.



Panto's, Parties and Santa! – With help from the PSA we were able to arrange two different virtual shows to watch in our classes. Usually, we would visit Loughborough Pantomime as a whole school in December so we decided to all view the shows at the same time but in our own classrooms. Snacks were provided by the PSA!



In the afternoon, we had Christmas parties, again in our own class bubbles, and over lunchtime, we were very lucky to receive a socially distanced visit from Father Christmas!



Our outdoor gazebo was magically transformed into a grotto and the children had the opportunity to walk by and tell Santa what they would like for Christmas. Thank you again to the PSA who ensured that every child had a gift from Santa to take home.

Finally, we had our usual Christmas dinner and finished the end of term off with our own Carol Service on Microsoft Teams. I'm sure you'll agree that we still had a very busy time of Christmas activities and had fun focussing on all the things we could do rather than those we could not.



Councillor Ian Dring



It is with great sadness that I am writing this tribute to Councillor Ian Dring, who passed away suddenly in the early hours of Wednesday 30th December 2020.

His life was always extremely busy and as you will see, his achievements have been many.

lan's connection with Packington began in 1971 when he moved into No. 4, Homecroft Drive. Here, he raised three boys with Ronna and commuted to Coventry where he worked for Courtaulds and then the same company in Spondon. Later he set up his own company, British Sanitised, and was office based in Market St Ashby.

lan was a Christian and he practiced what he preached. He was kind, measured and thoughtful, wanting to share the joy in his heart with others. He and his family were regulars at Measham Baptist Church and began a journey there which involved him being a Deacon, Treasurer, Preacher, Boys' Brigade leader and much more. In his spare time lan was the Treasurer and member of the charity, The International Miners' Mission, which involved many trips abroad to attend conferences. He also found time to play some cricket for Packington, was a keen squash player and loved taking the Boys' and Girls' Brigade away on camps.

In the 1980s Ian became an elected Parish Councillor for Packington and attended meetings regularly. His thoughtful appraisal of situations was exemplary and his long tenure of 40 years as a Parish Councillor is testament to the unselfish giving of his time. As a Trustee to the Packington Recreation Ground Charity, Ian found time to support events, particularly the Bonfire Night Celebrations where he could be seen with his torch on the far side of the field setting light to, what could be "dangerous explosive material," the fireworks! Ian also assisted the Memorial Hall Committee who organised the Packington Carnivals in the 80s 90s and early 2000s when he masterminded the erection of the Brigade's large marquee. For a time lan was also a Packington School Governor.

In 1985 the Dring family moved to Babelake Street where, with a large garden, he became a keen gardener and like many of us tried to produce lawns like Lords Cricket Ground with the stripes and all but never quite managing it. Nevertheless his fruit trees produced an abundance of apples, resulting in his Normandy Apple Tarts becoming legendary. It was here he was able, along with Ronna, to hold garden parties and lunches with his church family.

lan's life was never dull. In retirement he and Ronna liked holidays abroad. He became the linchpin of the Measham Baptist Church, guiding the church in his gentle and unassuming way. He organised the repairs which were necessary, following a lightning strike to the church and he headed the enormous efforts needed to make the Measham Baptist Church (a listed building) compliant with the Disability Act. Ian also continued to lead and preach at many of the services at Measham and other evangelical local churches. His last sermon in December, via a home recording to the Congregation at Measham, was one of hope and was based on Psalm 31 verse 15. "My times are in your hands".

lan, you will be missed by many and your dedication to improving the lives and souls of those who knew you, will not be forgotten. We know you are resting in the Lord's hands.

Written by Chris Miles (A friend and fellow councillor.)

Hospice Hope: Latest Update



Hospice Hope works within North West Leicestershire and our village to support individuals who have a condition that leads to a reduction in quality of life, or who have been diagnosed with a life-limiting condition, as well as offering support to their partner or carer.

2020 has been full of challenges and opportunities for our charity.

When the first full lock down happened in March, we were forced to close our 4 Support Cafes and Day Centre in Griffydam, with some staff furloughed. They remain closed and so face-to-face contact with people, which is so important in our work, has not been possible.

This situation has caused the trustees and staff to think and act "out of the box" to maintain activities for our service users. They include:

- Support cafes: Two cafes hold meetings on Zoom
- Befriending Service: A new service that supports people in the North West Leicestershire area whose quality of life is affected by their condition, plus their carers and partners. Launched this summer, the service matches volunteers from all areas, interests, ages and personalities with local people who may be feeling lonely, isolated or would simply like someone new to talk to. A weekly telephone call or Skype/Zoom chat is then arranged for a mutually convenient time. Recently a "pen pal" service has been introduced.
- Online Support groups: We are offering service users [new and existing], carers, family members and Hospice Hope volunteers, the opportunity to meet up and chat virtually by Zoom. A varied programme of activities is on offer with quizzes, talks, music, word games, gentle seated exercises and opportunities to learn new relaxation techniques.

- Lights of Love: As gathering at Staunton Harold for the annual December Lights of Love service was not possible, an alternative service was provided on You Tube that people were easily able to access. Memory tags were provided for people to complete and hang on their own Christmas trees at home.
- Community Engagement: We have continued with our Children's Poetry competition on "gratitude". Continued to roll out our Tablet Loan Scheme in partnership with Enrych Connect, to enable anyone, who is digitally excluded, to access online support services.
- Online Complementary Therapist Service: Introduced in December our complementary therapist now offers an online/ phone consultation and treatment service for guests who are struggling either physically or emotionally, where they can discuss ways in which aromatherapy, visualisation and relaxation could help them.
- New Charity Manager: Hospice hope has appointed its first Charity Manager from Jan 4th 2021, to lead and oversee the development of the charity.

So, all in all, 2020 has been a busy and successful year for Hospice Hope. I would like to thank all those who have supported us and look forward to the new challenges of 2021.

Contact Peter Last, Heather Lane Hospice Hope Trustee 01530 415129



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This New Year has certainly come as a challenge to all of us. On 4th January, all staff met in school to arrange plans for children to return, on Tuesday 5th, as safely as possible. We were expecting some tighter restrictions and a possible lockdown to be introduced but we certainly didn't expect it to happen as quickly as that evening! It goes without saying that it has been a very challenging time in school, and I'm sure the same goes for those keeping their children safely at home. Never the less, we are still open and all staff are in and working hard to keep provision in place for our critical worker children in school, and also our children working from home.

We do understand that it is once again a worrying time for families with some worried about high transmission rates and others concerned about having to face yet more lockdown or balance work and family life. I know how hard it is being a parent in this situation and I thank everyone for their support. We will get through this together!

Now let's take a look at what we were doing in school before the holiday:

Christmas Activities

Whilst we could not do some of our traditional Christmas activities such as Christingle, the Christmas Fayre and our very popular Key Stage 2 Show, we still managed to create the 'Magic of Christmas' at Packington with a selection of our annual events.



Christmas jumper and crafts day -Children were able to come to school in their Christmas jumpers and create some wonderful crafts within their own class bubbles.



Bauble decorating competition - Our Packington School Association (PSA) still managed to offer their usual Christmas competition. There were some very creative designs, which were all displayed in an area where our pupils could safely view them.



School Office 412425 Headteacher Carol Price

Services at Holy Rood Church Packington and Holy Trinity, Normanton le Heath.

In light of the fast-changing scene as regards Coronavirus, please check our website for up to date details www.packingtonandnormantonchurches.org.uk. We'll let you know when we know what is possible and don't want to publish events that we can't hold! We are however busy on line so read on.

Lent.

Believe it or not, Ash Wednesday is February 17th. The following week will see that start of our Lent course which will run on Tuesday evenings starting at 7.15pm. It will inevitably be on Zoom this year so we won't be running 2 sessions each week, just the one. Meetings will start on February 23rd and run through weekly until March 30th. It would be good to know if you are coming. The title: 'The Watering hole'. There will be more detail on the website in due course. Come and join in.

Ready Steady Stick

Half term week (week of 15th February) would normally have been our Ready Steady Stick half day events on the Tuesday and Thursday afternoons – for the under 11s. Sadly again, we won't be able to hold these events in the hall or church but we will be offering online material – we will email it out to those who we know have been Ready Steady Stick members. In addition, it will be on our church website, and on the "Woodfield childrens work" Facebook page at facebook.com/ woodfieldchurcheschildrenswork/

We hope that we will be able to meet properly again later in the year as we've been missing meeting all the children and their mums and dads. Contact **Revd Wilma** if you want to know more on revwilmacolley@gmail.com

Explore Christianity

Do you want to know more about the Christian faith? Have you been struggling to answer the questions your children come home with from school? Has Covid made you think? Do you think there may be something to it all but not quite sure? Then get in touch – we'll be offering a few sessions to explore what Christians believe. These sessions would be on Zoom in the present circumstances.

It could lead on to baptism and/or confirmation if that is what you want but these are intended as open sessions. Get in touch with me (Revd Vivien on 01530 270354 or vivien.elphick@btinternet.com) and once we know who's interested, we can see when for the timing of sessions.

Mary and Joseph made their way safely round the whole Team area this year as we couldn't send them in knitted form from house to house. There was a competition running to guess where they were each day. That stretched some people's knowledge not realising what a wide area the Woodfield Team covers. The winners of a box of chocolates were:

The winners:

Age 5-11 Ben and Rosie Taylor (Measham)
Age 12- 18. No entries
Age 19-39 Maddie Clark (Donisthorpe)
Age 40 + Lyn Gale (Donisthorpe)
Family: The Powell family (Packington)

We're glad this enterprise gave a lot of pleasure to a lot of people.



Mary & Joseph visiting Packington

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Traffic Calming

Richard Jones writes:

Dear Editor, I read with interest the detailed reply about traffic calming from LCC Highways, published in the Packington Post.

What is not covered in that response, presumably because it was not raised in the PPC email, is how the vast majority of neighbouring villages have much more extensive traffic calming measures than those in Packington. It is hard to believe that all of those other communities have significantly worse accident records than Packington.

As a follow up to the LCC response, I request that the Parish Council takes the following action: -

- 1. Write to LCC and ask what criteria were used to create the physical barriers to speed in those other villages, and how they were funded. A good example would be Donisthorpe, which has road narrowings, with priority to traffic in one direction, as well as speed humps in other places.
- 2. Use your contacts with the Parish Councils in neighbouring villages to establish how they introduced traffic calming, and whether or not it was wholly or partly selffunded.

We are fortunate that the number of recorded accidents in Packington is low, but we cannot be sure that our luck in this regard will not run out. At the very least we need to slow traffic down at the entrances to the village, your suggested improvements to village entrances could incorporate road narrowing/one-way priority. The present "soft" measures do not work. If LCC will not offer funding, traffic calming should be a first call on the Solar Fund monies, ahead of village seats, fancy signs and any non-essential grants.

Please do not accept the LCC Highways response as an end to the matter, residents of Packington deserve better!



A NEW YEAR: 2021

Adrian Mongredien writes: It feels strange writing "2021" - it has been a long time coming. Many of us may have been counting down the days and waiting for 2020 to end. The last twelve months may not be remembered fondly by most people in the years to come.

All of us will have been affected in many different ways. For some it has just been disruption to work, family life and normal social activities. For others among us it may have been much more serious, loved ones lost in the turmoil of the pandemic. Many will know friends or neighbours whose lives have been turned upside down by the sudden loss of those closest to them. And all without any possibility of mourning with the support of their family and friends in the usual ways due to the current necessary Covid regulations.

We are not out of the woods as I write. There may be more misery to come before a metaphorical spring and then summer emerge. Eventually the current light on the horizon, of a preventative vaccine, will be realised and normality will at some point return. I'm sure we all hope, the "goal" of so called "herd immunity" will be reached by midway through 2021 and the misery of the last twelve months can be put behind us.

How can we, in our village community prepare for this new dawn? Is it too early to plan for a return to normality later on in the year, and how we could collectively plan some unifying social events for when we no longer live in a restrictive numbered tier?

Packington residents might also collectively want to celebrate the official final end of Covid restrictions and the reopening of our communal buildings, the Memorial Hall, the Church and the renovated "Bull & Lion," with a special event. Perhaps a "Big Breakfast" type event in the Memorial Hall, or an outdoor social event, with proceeds going to some of those who have looked after us so well, during these past difficult times.

Any suggestions and Ideas to; <u>editor@packington.info</u> before the next issue, by Wednesday 10th March

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Vaccination Hub to Open

Measham Leisure Centre is being prepared to open as a vaccination hub for NW Leicestershire. All Medical units in the area will have access to send patients who qualify for vaccination.

Bull & Lion

Steven Johns, the new landlord, says the inside renovations of the pub should be finished in a couple of weeks.

A hundred years ago in Packington....

Early 1921 saw major changes in land and property ownership in and around Packington. The Countess of Loudon, having inherited her title and the Willesley estate on her uncle's death, arranged for substantial parts of the estate to be sold. An article in the "Burton Chronicle" of 15th February 1921 described an auction held a few days earlier at the Royal Hotel, Ashby, conducted by Mr. F. Stevenson of German, Stevenson and Simpson. The hotel ballroom was crowded: prominent figures present including Captain Abney Hastings (husband of the Countess), Sir George Beaumont of Coleorton and Mr. J. G. Shields, magistrate and member of Leicestershire County Council.

Among the successful bidders, Mr. Samuel Henson, master baker and butcher, bought a number of fields on the village outskirts for just under £1200 and three cottages in High St., with an adjacent croft and orchard, for £310. Mr. Thomas Heafield acquired the mill with four acres of land for £400 and two cottages on Ashby Road for £200. Several tenants bought the properties they occupied, including Mr.T Hextall, Mrs.B.Topliss and Mr.W.Lewis. In a popular outcome, greeted with applause, Mr. A.Parry, tenant of a house in Nether Street, successfully bid £200 for the house, outer buildings, garden and a paddock. The "Bull and Lion" was sold to Mr.J.G.Shields for £2,850. Mr. E.Orton of Round House Farm bought a garden at the corner of High St. and Mill St. for £90. The sale process continued the following year when Willesley Hall itself was auctioned and the Countess, who had been living in Ashby, moved to her estate in Ayrshire, Scotland.

Information from the archive of Packington Village History Group.

Contact Robin Boucher: randbboucher@googlemail.com 01530 411638

Lunch Club

Pauline Miles writes:

Just before Christmas, the 'Girls' and I went to visit (socially distancing, with masks) the members of the Lunch Club. As we were not able to have our Christmas Dinner this year, we felt that we still wanted to be able to distribute Goodie Bags of Christmas items, that we hoped would let everyone know we were thinking of them

We each delivered 4 or 5 bags and were able to have a chat. The bags were very well received and it was clear all appreciated the gesture. It was also clear that they couldn't wait to be able to get back to Lunch Club. Rachael has promised them a Christmas meal to start things off again, when we are all safely vaccinated and able to meet.

Pauline Miles 414378 Rachael Miles 413795

Big Breakfast 2021

For one year only Big Breakfast is to become the Little Takeaway Breakfast.

Save the date: Saturday 6th March 2021

This will be the tenth annual packington charity breakfast and we plan, if restrictions allow, to hold it as a little takeaway breakfast using Food Gusto's resources and serving outside of the village hall.

The little breakfast will plan to serve a reduced food takeaway menu alongside a full speciality hot drinks menu e.g cappucinos, lattes, teas, hot chocolates.

We would hope to make this a successful fundraiser for the deserving charities chosen and have a diary date for the village to look forward to

Please look out for updates on our Packington Post Facebook page!

Mike Coke 560430



Former Packington resident in BBC Mastermind semi-final



48-year old Ashton Davies grew up in Packington, but now lives in Poynton in Cheshire, with his wife and three young children. He teaches English and law in Wilmslow High School. In Autumn 2020 he won his "Mastermind" heat by a convincing six-point margin with his answers to questions on general knowledge, and on his specialist subject, singersongwriter Nick Drake.

His family originally lived in Ashby, where he attended Manor House School and Foremarke Prep School. They moved to Packington when Ashton was 13 and went to Loughborough Grammar School. Proud parents, Jannette and Ron, still live on Normanton Road.

Ashton's heat was shown on the BBC on 14th December and saw him gain 11 out of 12 points for specialist questions on singer/songwriter Nick Drake and 15 out of 18 in the general knowledge round.

This heat can be seen on bbc.co.uk iPlayer in episode 9.

Ashton chose John Wesley, the founder of Methodism, as the specialist subject for the semi-final.

His semi-final appearance has been recorded, but is not expected to be shown until April, and he is sworn to secrecy until then.

Memorial Hall

With tier four and now lockdown in place, the only activities taking place in the Memorial Hall are children's therapy sessions. Following our plea for volunteers in the last issue the Trustees are pleased to announce a new Booking Secretary. Louise Gratton has volunteered, and we thank her for stepping up.

As most people know the Hall likes to have a bit of flower colour in the roadside borders. If you spot vans or cars travelling over them please take their number plate and let me know. It is a bit frustrating, having spent time and effort to keep these borders tidy, for someone to ruin the appearance!

We hope you liked the Christmas lights this year. Again Mikey Watkins, from Ramsell and Watkins Electricians, erected them and whilst we could not celebrate with a Christmas Fayre as last year, the short burst of Christmas music over the speakers was appreciated by most who could hear.

The annual General Meeting of the Memorial Hall is due to be held in March and we shall be conducting a Zoom meeting to fulfil this necessity. It will take place on TUESDAY 16th MARCH at 7-30pm. We hope representatives from organisations who use the Hall and members of the public will be present to elect a Management Committee. Zoom Meeting details will appear on the Memorial Hall Website pmhv.uk, and also on Packington email Alerts nearer the time, as well as on Notice boards.

For information: the Zoom App is free to download and easy to use.

The MEMORIAL HALL CHARITY relies on volunteers to form a committee and it is hoped that a good mix from user group representatives and the public will form this Management Group. Whilst this past year has been disappointing in terms of footfall, it is hoped we will be soon be experiencing the vibrant, varied and almost maximum usage of the Hall in the not-too-distant future.

Chris Miles Chairman 01530 414378