



Summary of the Meeting of the Vale Douzaine

Monday 26th June 2023

<u>Present:</u>	Miss R.A. Henry – Dean	Mr J.C.S.F. Smithies – Vice Dean
Douzeniers:	Mr O.C.E. Brock, Mr N.J. Leale, Miss V.J. Robinson, Mr W.J. Le Page, Mr P. Van Der Tang, Mr G. Collins, Mr J.H. Niles, Mrs. A.B. Setters	
Constables:	Mr R.A. Leale, Mr W.H. Cohu	
Parish Secretaries:	Mrs N. Gill, Mrs D.R. Breton	
Apologies:	Mr T.I. Ashworth, Mr A. Quevatre, Mr R.E. Digard, Mr J.E. Bond	

1. Minutes of the Meeting held on 22nd May 2023 were approved by the Douzaine.

2. Matters arising.

- **Hougue Jehannet.** A letter has now been received from Guernsey Electricity officially asking us to instigate getting the road closed. The letter has been forwarded on to the Crown Officers and there will be a meeting on 11 July with them at their office.
- **Hedges and Streams.** More letters have been sent regarding hedges than streams this year and the majority of people do comply with the letters.
- **Goal Nets.** These have arrived and will be put in place as soon as one of the goal posts has been repaired. A complaint had been received about the number of rabbit holes on the “pitch” but, when the Commons Council tried to fill these in before in another area, the rabbit holes returned again in no time.

3. Bornements - There were two and these were approved.

4. Parish Working Group/Douzaine Council

The next meeting of the Parish Working Group is on Friday 30 June at 11 am at Frossard House and will be run by Bob Murray. PVDT will attend.

The Constables had received an email reference the next Douzaine Council meeting to be held on Thursday 29 June at St Saviour’s Community Centre to discuss the way forward for the Council and the Douzaine’s views on eight points. ABS will attend as our representative and present a response drafted by NG.

5. Carriere Lane Development

There is nothing we can do as it is in the Island Development planning area which was agreed in 2016. The Douzaine should have scrutinized the plans more closely and any

objections should have been raised at the time. For the future, maybe a separate working party could be formed to draw up a community plan for development within the Vale parish.

6. Jurat Election

Five Douzeniers are required to attend the Royal Court on Wednesday 5 July at 9.30 am. WLP, GC, JEB and OEB put their names forward with VR and NL may be able to go as the fifth person.

7. Data Protection Report

GC said he must provide an annual report but he had nothing to report and no recommendations. The privacy notice is on the Parish website – all in order – reviewed June 2023.

8. Correspondence

- The Guernsey Ultramarathon will take place on 19 May 2024. This was approved.
- An invite had been received from St Sampson's High to their Art and Drama evenings and ABS confirmed that she is attending the one on 28 June.

9. Any Other Business

- No further correspondence reference the Vale War Memorial cleaning.
- The tarmac will be laid at Les Amarreurs playground in July.
- An informal representation had been received from the Mayor of Barneville Carteret reference a twinning arrangement as in the past. The Douzeniers were asked to think about this for the next meeting.

The Meeting closed with the Benediction at 8.20 pm.