

Summary of the Meeting of the Vale Douzaine

Monday 29th July 2024

Present: Miss R.A. Henry - Dean Mr W.H. Cohu – Vice Dean

Douzeniers: Mr O.C.E. Brock, Mr N.J. Leale, Miss V.J. Robinson, Mr T.I. Ashworth, Mr A.

Quevatre, Mr R.E. Digard, Mr W.J. Le Page, Mr P. van der Tang, Mr G.

Collins, Mr J.E. Bond, Mrs. A.B. Setters, Mr O Goddard

Constable: Mr R.A. Leale

Parish Secretaries: Mrs N. Gill, Mrs D.R. Breton

Apologies: Mr J.H. Niles

1. Minutes of the Meeting held on 24th June were approved by the Douzaine.

2. Matters arising:

- **Playground Update** We are just waiting for the large swing set to be replaced and the surface laid underneath otherwise all surfaces have been replaced and feel very springy underfoot.
- **Hedges/Stream Inspections** This has been a slow process and there are still a few issues outstanding in several areas.
- **3. Bornements** There was one which was approved.

4. Jurat Election – Wednesday 25th September 9.30 am

Jurat Heather Reed is retiring and a replacement is to be elected. The required number of Douzeniers volunteered to attend.

5. Data Protection Report - previously circulated

There was nothing further to add.

6. Correspondence

Guernsey Granite Weekender – Sunday 1^{st} September – 2,000 triathletes leaving from the Peninsula at 5.30 am so some road closures necessary for the safety of spectators and competitors. This was approved by the Douzaine.

7. Any Other Business

 Mention was made of puddles in the path between La Nouvelle Maraitaine and Vale Church Hall but more gravel/stone dust had been put down earlier this year to remedy the situation.

- It was wondered if Miss Milbourne would be worthy of a blue plaque having saved the Golden Guernsey Goats from extinction by hiding them from the Nazis during the war, especially now the goat has been given a royal warrant by King Charles & Queen Camilla.
- It was asked whether it might be possible to have more bike racks on the Bridge as there were not enough.

The Meeting closed with the Benediction at 8.20 pm.