Communications Meeting – 2nd October 2025

Present:

Cllrs. Sharp (AHS), Alesi (MA), Melville (JM) and Martin (AM)

Apologies:

Cllr Arger

Agenda:

1. 365 Filing System (JM demonstrating)

- Find Sharepoint 9 dots top left of screen → click on Sharepoint
- Click Councillor Team LHS
- Click shared filing system (ignore General and Attachments)
- Click on Communications 25/26 folder
- Upload all documents to this folder to share and work on

2. Reports for Village Update

- Agreed photos for front cover
- Re playground equipment questionnaire JM to finalise link and QR code for inside article re asking parents to reply to questions about preferred equipment
- ACTION: JM to check all QR codes before final print to ensure they are all still viable.
- Re volunteering section of QR codes include if space allows. However, suggestion to have a main focus on volunteering in next edition.
- ACTION: AM to send JM the allotment piece from Tom Burnham to edit it via AI, as it is very long in its current form.
- ACTION: AM to put all reports/articles into Comms folder asap. Email to Simply Print by 6th Oct.
- Information sections same as last edition.
- Anticipate having proofs by 10th.
- ACTION: Arrange to visit printer on 13th to discuss any changes
- Anticipate printing returned for distribution week beginning 27th Oct.

3. 2026-7 Budget

- Allow Display Boards up to £3K
- Allow Booklets £1K
- Allow website £3K both of these last two are long term projects for fulfilling end of 26 early 27
- Find out remaining costs in this budget line (eg printing of VU)
- Research website providers in the interim to ascertain costs

4. Video Reporting

- Discussed possible forms this project might take.
- AHS to produce a demo as and when she is able.
- Looked at other parish communications ideas (including social media)

5. Next Meeting – 7pm 16th October