

Summary of 2018 AGM

Our AGM was held on 26th October 2018. Approximately 80 people attended and heard about the work that we had done for the village community over the year which included:

- £18,500 improvements for phase two of the play area;
- Improvements to Footpath 32 (behind Pollards to the Wirral Way);
- Discussions of various traffic issues with the Principal Engineer from CWaC;
- Running a successful website, Facebook pages and publication of two newsletters;
- Responding to a range of planning applications, including one from McCarthy and Stone for the former Royal British Legion site.

The major WR&CS project this year was fundraising for the Christmas Lights on the beech tree on the village Green. £24,184.94 had been raised (as at 24th October 2018) and a tribute was paid to Ceri Jones who led this WR&CS campaign. The Christmas Lights will be purchased through Cheshire West and Chester Council and the lights will then be owned and maintained by WR&CS. The surplus money raised by the lights appeal be ringfenced and will help cover ongoing costs including public liability insurance and electricity supply.

A new constitution for WR&CS was agreed at the meeting.

We are pleased to welcome Roy Spraggon and Helen Jakubczak onto the committee as new Resident Representatives.

Issues raised by residents included:

- Traffic speeding, particularly in Hadlow Road;
- Dangerous pavements, particularly outside Elizabeth Cottages and in Meadow Croft.

Want more information?

Our website can be found at: http://willastoninwirralresidents.org and Facebook at: www.facebook.com/willastonresidents

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Any village concerns then let us know

Email Willaston Residents' & Countryside Society through the 'Contact Us' page on the Society's website. Alternatively write to the Society c/o the Chair, 11 The Courtyard, Willaston. CH64 2UT.

If there is any particular issue you would like to raise, the first 15 minutes of each meeting is open to any resident. Please let us know if you would like to attend during this session. You are also welcome to attend throughout the meeting as an observer – again, please let us know if you will be attending.