

**Minutes of the Annual Community Council meeting
of Bronington Community Council
held at Whitewell Parish Rooms
On Wednesday 20th May 2026 at 6.30 pm**

1. Present	Cllrs Sharon Beddow, Sue Clarke, Anna Edwards, Dave Evans, Rob Hill, Louise Lindsay, Ben Martin (Chairperson), Robert Millington, Ian Rowley, Mark Watson. The Clerk. No members of the public attended.
2- Apologies	Cllrs Ethna Norris, Steve Swinden.
3- Election of the Chairperson	Cllr Martin was nominated for the post of Chairperson. Resolved:- Cllr Martin was elected as Chairperson for 2026 – 2027 and duly signed the acceptance of office. Proposed by Cllr Lindsay and seconded by Cllr Watson.
4- Election of the Vice-Chairperson	Cllr Lindsay was nominated for the post of Vice Chairperson. Resolved:- Cllr Lindsay was elected as Vice Chairperson for 2026 - 2027 and duly signed the acceptance of office. Proposed by Cllr Martin and seconded by Cllr Clarke.
5- Annual Report 2026	Cllr Martin is to prepare the Annual Report for 2026 and circulate to Cllrs in advance of the next meeting.
6- Representatives to Outside Bodies	6.1 <u>Hanmer Charities Board:-</u> Resolved:- Cllrs Evans and Watson were elected to represent the Council on the Hanmer Charities Board. Proposed by Cllr Millington and seconded by Cllr Hill. 6.2 <u>Bronington School:-</u> No Cllrs volunteered to represent the Council at Bronington School. 6.3 <u>Whitewell Parish Rooms Committee:-</u> Resolved:- Cllr Lindsay was elected to represent the Council on the Whitewell Parish Rooms Committee. Proposed by Cllr Millington and seconded by Cllr Hill.
7- Appointment of Representatives to Internal Steering Groups	7.1 <u>Barry Barlow Play Area Steering Group:-</u> Cllrs Hill, Millington, Rowley. 7.2 <u>Community Room Steering Group:-</u> Cllrs Hill, Norris, Martin, Norris, Swinden, Beddow. 7.3 <u>Highways Steering Group:-</u> All Cllrs. Resolved:- The Council agreed to the above appointments of representatives to Internal Steering Groups. Proposed by Cllr Watson and seconded by Cllr Clarke.
8. Appointment of Representatives to Committees	Resolved:- The Council agreed to appointment Cllrs Clarke, Lindsay, Swinden and the Clerk to the Finance and Internal Procedures Committee. Proposed by Cllr Evans and seconded by Cllr Watson.

9. Higher Wych Charities

Chris Smith currently represents the Council on the Higher Wych Charities committee.
Cllr Martin is to speak with Philip Godsall regarding the Council's representation on the committee.