

Compton Bishop Council
Chairman's Report for 2019-2020
May 2020

At the beginning of the year your council had to submit themselves to the approval of the electorate and were fortunate to have 7 members of the Parish willing to put themselves forward for election. Maggie Pritchard decided to retire part way through the year, and we were fortunate to be able to Co-Opt Andy Brellisford in her stead. Maggie has kindly agreed to continue looking after the Link, with which we try to keep everyone abreast of what is happening locally.

During the last twelve months your Parish Council has responded to some 19 Planning Applications. We have also tried to improve the parking / access for walkers at the East end of Cross by providing reflective markers to stop drivers parking on grass verges. The Council have arranged for an additional area on the Webbington Road to be cleared of brambles to allow more cars to park to try to reduce the numbers of cars parked in the village.

We have also found it necessary to try to find more "Volunteers" to assist with the general maintenance around the Parish, as the local and county councils seem to be able to assist with less and less. Anyone who would like to help keep our Parrish tidy and maintained please contact Mike Rolfe or Sally Diaz our Clerk.

Your Council has undertaken a survey of the residents and will be using the information gained to try to provide improvements to village life described by the members of the Parish. We are hopeful that subject to agreement we will be able to provide a Projector for the Memorial Hall.

Your Council has had to adapt to the Social Distancing require for the Covid 19 Pandemic and now all members of the Parish can view the proceedings of the Council from the comfort of their own home!

Terry Mason
Chairman
Compton Bishop Parish Council