

Minutes for Haslingfield Choir AGM

18th Oct 2022

Meeting held at 8:45pm in All Saints' Church. Jonathan took the chair.

1. Apologies – Paul Jackson, Maurice Hodges, Sylvia Armit, Tim Cole, Jane Bett
2. Minutes of AGM 2021 – summarised by Jonathan. Proposed by Catherine Sharp, seconded by Jane Hellyer-Jones
3. Matters Arising – John Hooper asked that we circulate previous year's AGM minutes
4. Election of Officers – Ann Kennedy welcomed on to the committee. Mass re-election of committee proposed by Catherine Sharp and seconded by Margy Lewis
5. Treasurer's Report – Substantial loss in previous year due to costs for 4 concerts, fewer choir members resulting in less voluntary donations, Covid restrictions on audience size and a 'free' concert in July. Committee decided to increase ticket prices to £12, £6 (student) for next concert. Meg thanked choir members for their generosity and suggested a voluntary donation of £65 for this term. Report proposed by Helen Snelling and seconded by Fran Hawken.
6. Chair's Report – Jonathan reviewed previous year's concerts and commented on how pleased he was to see choir numbers recovering to pre-pandemic levels. He expressed thanks to the committee for all their work. Special thanks to Paul for his excellent leadership and endless dynamism and to Maurice for his superb accompaniment. Request for help with social media and website updating and editing.
7. AOB – request for concert posters to be circulated to choir members. Jonathan encouraged choir members to discuss suggestions for future concert programmes with committee members and Paul.

Meeting closed at 9:07pm