

CHAIRMAN'S ANNUAL REPORT

Welcome to the 2020 Annual Parish Meeting. Can I personally thank everyone for your hard work and commitment over the past twelve months. Thanks to Gillian for her continued diligence and Jonathon working in and around the village. I have briefly spoken to Tim; who seem well and as busy as ever, can I also thank Jan for her detailed work with the latest phase of improvements on the Queen Elizabeth II Playing Field.

It is with sadness the Catterall along with the rest of the country has been placed on hold, but I feel the community has grown stronger. The hard work that Netta and her team did last year to gain the prestigious awards has also been stalled but I am sure that once we are allowed Netta will bounce back.

The positives out of all the negative life we are leading is the weather has been good for us up to until recently and it seems that crime is down and the criminally minded are also self-isolating.

The precept was agreed and it seems to be in the majority accepted by everyone, as always, I'm sure that the majority will see they are getting value for money.

I would finally like to thank those councillors that have decided not to v=continue with us for their hard work and commitment, you will be sadly missed, but please keep in touch with us, and you are always welcome at our meetings.

Once again thank you all very much for your support and I look forward to being able to support you and the Parish for the coming year. But please keep safe.

Thank you, Ian Brayshaw
Chairman of Catterall Parish Council