



Illogan Parish Council

ANNUAL REPORT

2020/2021

Chairman's Report – Cllr Dave Crabtree



It is difficult to describe the last 12 months of my Chairmanship. And I must admit it has produced new challenges and experiences.

It has been a year like no other, with no full face to face meetings in Penwartha Hall and no events for me to attend as all our meetings were from our own homes either sat in front of a computer or with a telephone held to the ear for an hour at a time. These meetings had their problems due to poor internet speed at times and Councillors getting frozen screens, but we have all come out of it a year older and a little more tech savvy!

The Christmas light switch on events were cancelled, however we did provide the three trees and Remembrance Sunday was strange without any service and just attending the three locations to lay the wreaths.

Unfortunately, due to the pandemic our projects are running behind time and hopefully within the next few days the planning application for the next phase of improvements to Illogan Park will be submitted, which includes new public toilets.

I would like to thank my fellow Councillors for their support over the last twelve months and especially Cllr Pavey, my Vice Chairman with having to deal with all the delegated powers together during this strange year.

I am looking forward to seeing the public attending our meetings again.

Members of the Council for 2020/2021

Cllr David Crabtree was Chairman and Cllr Pavey was Vice Chairman.

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Attendance at Full Council Meetings 1st April 2020 to 31st March 2021

Councillor	No. of Meetings Attended	Total Number of Meetings	Percentage of Meetings Attended	Notes
Cllr Dave Crabtree	11	11	100%	
Cllr Lawrence Pavey	11	11	100%	
Cllr Ms Veronica Cadby	3	11	27%	
Cllr David Ekinsmyth	11	11	100%	
Cllr Mrs Jill Ferrett	9	11	82%	
Cllr Graham Ford	11	11	100%	
Cllr Paul Holmes	9	11	82%	
Cllr Mrs Penny Lang	8	11	73%	
Cllr Miss Jean Pollock	9	11	82%	
Cllr Mrs Tricia Share	0	3	0%	Resigned July 2020
Cllr Stefan Szoka	8	11	73%	
Cllr Mrs Maggie Thompson	11	11	100%	
Cllr Reece Weatherburn	8	11	73%	
Cllr Geoff Williams	10	11	91%	

Planning Applications

From May 2020 to May 2021 Cllr Mrs Jill Ferrett was the Chairman of Planning & Environmental Services Committee and Cllr Mrs Maggie Thompson was the Vice Chairman.

The Council has taken its responsibilities seriously and each application has been considered on its own merits and in the wider context of the area in which it is situated. Please see below a table of the types on planning applications the Council were consulted on and the number of each type of application.

Type	2020	2019	2018
Total number of applications consulted on	83	68	78
New Development:	12	12	27
Demolition and Rebuild:	8	1	1
Extensions & Alterations:	27	29	25
Work on Trees:	19	9	4
Reserved Matters:	2	5	2
Conversions:	4	2	0
Certificates of Use and Lawfulness:	2	2	6
Change of Use:	2	2	0
Non-Material Amendments:	4	2	0
Other:	3	4	13

Of the above applications, the following shows the comparison between Illogan Parish Council's comments and Cornwall Council's decisions:

	2020	2019	2018
Illogan Parish Council and Cornwall Council's comments agreed	64	60	57
Illogan Parish Council and Cornwall Council's comments disagreed	13	5	13
The planning application was withdrawn by the applicant (therefore no decision has been made by Cornwall Council)	4	2	6
Cornwall Council decision not completed by 31.03.19	2	1	2

Grants

The Council is committed to supporting and helping local community groups improve the quality of life for residents of the Parish. One way it does this is by providing grants. The Council's Grant Award Policy aims to ensure that all grant applications are treated equally and fairly and that grants awarded provide value for money; that all awards are within the legal powers of the Council; and that the grant process is open and transparent.

In 2020/2021 there was no grant funding awarded.

Precept

The Precept for 2020/2021 was set at £227,556.00

Accounts Summary

Cost Centre	Receipts		Payments	
	Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual
Administration			£87,112.00	£61,548.30
Insurance			£3,000.00	£1,642.37
Illogan Review			£4,284.00	£1,024.28
Office			£10,659.00	£12,582.67
Grants and Donations			£5,500.00	£0
General Maintenance			£5,965.00	£2,143.79
Amenities			£21,451.00	£13,126.37
Manningham Wood			£8,437.00	£4,596.43
Rosemullion Park Maintenance			£1,690.00	£1,240.22
Events			£3,000.00	£984.08
Illogan Park			£7,346.00	£25,838.96
Capital Expenditure			£808,500.00	£6,603.56
Road Safety and Neighbourhood Plan			£5,000.00	£0
Income	£227,556.00	£269,407.38		
Net Total	£227,556.00	£269,407.38	£971,946.00	£131,383.03
VAT	£0	£13,846.48	£0	£12,701.27
GROSS TOTAL	£227,556.00	£283,253.86	£971,946.00	£144,084.30

Some of the actual expenditure is lower than the budgeted expenditure due to restrictions and delays caused by the Covid-19 Pandemic. For example, the Christmas Lights Switch On Events were not held; the improvements to Illogan Park have been delayed; less maintenance was completed during the lockdowns; and the Illogan Review could not be distributed and therefore was not compiled.

Ray Uren Award

Ray Uren was born in Illogan and was a Burma campaign veteran. He took a close interest in the life and affairs of Illogan and was a very regular attendee at the meetings of the Parish Council; he became a local Councillor after a by-election, for the last 3 years of his long life. The Award was instituted in his memory and is made on nomination from the public at large to mark outstanding contributions to the community in any field by any individual outside paid professional duty. Serving Councillors cannot be nominated for the Ray Uren Award.

Unfortunately, the Ray Uren Award was unable to be awarded in 2020 and 2021 due to the restrictions relating to the Covid-19 Pandemic. Illogan Parish Council are monitoring and reviewing the situation and hope to be able to re-instate the award in May 2022'