Chairman's Report, Lanteglos-by-Fowey Parish Council

It has been some time since we reported to residents but after the long Summer break we are pleased to report on events:

- We are delighted to welcome Mrs Teresa Libby and Mrs Valerie Libby as Parish Councillors who were co-opted unanimously at the Extraordinary Parish Council meeting held on 30th August. They will make strong members of the Council
- We are delighted to welcome Mr Roger Talling as Parish Councillor as a result of an uncontested by-election called by a local resident. Two nominations had been received by Cornwall Council but the other candidate had subsequently withdrawn his nomination. Cllr Talling was therefore elected to the Parish Council. He is already a member of the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group and again will make a strong member of the Council. With these three appointments your Parish Council is now up to full strength.
- We are delighted to welcome Mrs Gillian Thompson who has been appointed our permanent Clerk to the Council. Mrs Thompson has served as our Locum Clerk previously and proved herself to be capable, knowledgeable and of outstanding competence. We look forward to a long and productive working relationship.
- Defibrillator: Some residents may have noticed that a fibrillator has been fixed to the wall of the Old Ferry Inn in Bodinnick. It is planned that a training session on using this will be arranged; more details to follow. Thanks to Pasquale and all concerned.
- The Council has purchased and replaced salt bins where necessary
- Arrangements are being made with Cornwall Council about upgrading signage in Polruan
- We are investigating the possibility of putting up advisory SatNav signs at particularly troublesome places in the Parish and are looking closely at what has been put in place in other parishes.
- As you have asked we have kept the toilets open and have made repairs and improvements where necessary.
- Ongoing work with benches is in hand.

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