

REPORT FOR THE PARISH COUNCIL FROM THE VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE

October 2021

Finances for the hall are healthy, balance at the end of October is £29089. The committee's plan is still to improve the hall and Nicky will be getting quotes to repair/replace the windows and the front door to start with.

BOILER: The boiler broke down a few weeks ago and has cost quite a lot to repair, 2 plumbers failed but a local plumber, John from Mpire Heating went out of his way to fix it for us.

Next doors garden is encroaching badly on the hall, Nicky has asked her if we can send someone in to cut a one-meter swathe down the side so that we can fix the window in the girl's toilet. She has agreed and Broadleaf will do the work.

CARETAKER: The committee are going to try to find a caretaker for the hall who will clean the hall, open and close after use (not Jellybeans) and take bookings. They are doing a local letter drop to start with.

Jenny has set up a FB page for the hall and it has many followers, but there are few users of the hall at the moment. We are hoping this will change as the hall improves. The website will be kept under review.

There has been a fire extinguisher check, all OK, Nicky is to fit a carbon monoxide alarm. The boiler is now working and most of it has been replaced so should last us for some time.

Nicky