

DRAYCOTT PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of the Parish held on Wednesday 13th May 2026 at 6.00pm in the Parish Rooms, Elvaston Street, Draycott, Draycott

Present - Chairman – R Brown, Councillors – D Dundas, J Fletcher, W Brown, S Fint, S Wakefield, G Hickton, T Hickton, P Bates
Police – PCSO Gemma Doar and Lee Rogers

County Council – none

Members of the Public – 1

Minutes recorded by - Sheena Butcher

261/24 Cllr Roger Brown welcomed all to the Annual meeting of the Parish And provided housekeeping information covering, emergency exits, muster area, toilets and the format of the evening

262/24 The minutes of the previous Annual Parish Meeting on 16th April 2025 were accepted as a true and accurate record

263/24 There were no questions raised by the members of the public to the Parish Council

- a. PCSO Gemma Doar provided crime statistics from 14th January to date – there were 44 crimes recorded of which 11 were vehicle offences. 100 incidents have been recorded of which 21 were non-crimes such as found property within this number. The next community event is on 5th July at St Chads Water, Emergency Services Day on 27th June 2pm at West Park in the new car park area – if local groups wish to promote themselves, contact Gemma. Community catch up on 12th August 12 noon at the Parish Rooms. Nuisance motorbikes are becoming an issue across all villages – please report any issues with a description of the bike / helmet. The priorities have been set for the SNT were discussed as ASB, Retail Crime and Acquisitive Crime - these might change in June for the next 3 month period. Speeding is an issue throughout the area and Sawley Speedwatch have asked if Draycott Community Speedwatch will run a joint initiative for both ends of Sawley Road. Gemma will arrange this with Tom Hickton and Sawley CSW. A sports day is being run August 22nd at West Park to engage with local youths – all events will be on Derbyshire Alert / Facebook. The major ASB areas in Draycott are at St Chads and the MUGA / Leisure Green and speeding reports on Derby Road.

264/24 Cllr Brown invited members of the public to speak to the Parish Councillors to provide input regarding the Parish Council owned facilities – no comments given

265/24 Comments for Draycott Parish Council - none

266/24 Comments to be passed on to Derbyshire County Council – none

267/24 Cllr Roger Brown thanked all for attending and all those who contributed to the community booklet which is available on the parish council website

268/24 The event was closed by Cllr Roger Brown at 18.18pm