## **Bretforton Community Shop**

## Annual Members Meeting – Monday 3rd October 2022, 7.00pm Bretforton Memorial Hall

- 1. Apologies for absence
- 2. Approve Minutes of previous AMM
- 3. Approve accounts for year-end 31st March
- 4. Reappoint auditor
- 5. To disapply Section 83 of the Co-Operative & Community Benefit Societies Act 2014
- 6. Approve Shares Members Policy
- 7. Election of Committee Members
- 8. Membership Update
- 9. Review of trading and future plans
- 10. Any other business

1	Apologies for absence – Paulette Moore, Maureen Godwin, Phil Moxon, Hilary Collins	
2	Approve Minutes of AMM held 28th September 2021	+
3	Approve accounts for year-end 31st March 2022	
4	Approval of the audit arrangements	
	To re-appoint David Cadwallader and Co Ltd as the Society's	
	Independent Reviewer/Auditor	
5	Disapply Section 83 of the Co-Operative and Community Benefit	
	Societies Act 2014	
	Results of voting on formal business	
	All resolutions were approved.	
6	Discuss Shares Members Policy	
7	Election of Committee	
	In accordance with the rules of the Society the following members stood	
	down:	
	Heather London	
	Kim Carter	
	Kate Buckham	
	Mike Cook	
	All offered themselves to stand again other than Kim Carter	
	The members present approved the election of the Committee.	
	Committee as elected –	
	Chris Buckham	
	Heather London	
	John Cleveland	
	Kate Buckham	
	David Miskin	
	Mike Cook	
	Lynette Williams (Secretary)	

8	Membership update	
	Founder Members: 256	
	Membership at last AMM: 292	
	New Members added in the last 12 months: 4	
	Deceased members 9	
	Total Membership: 287	
	Our Volunteers in 2021-22	
	<ul> <li>Total active volunteers: 37 (2020/21: 34)</li> </ul>	
	Volunteers over 10 shifts: 21 (2020/21: 22)	
9	Review of the Trading in the current financial year and future plans	
	April, May & June traded 5% down on the same months in 2021	
	Sales in July, August & September have been 7.5% ahead of the same	
	period last year, and in line with our stretch forecast	
	Our gross profit has also improved in the last two months (to 24%)	
	Customer numbers (measured by number of transactions) in first ½ of	
	2022/23 in line with same six months last year (700 transactions/week)	
	Average basket spend marginally up on the year in first 6 months of	
	2022/23 (£6.03 versus £5.87)	
	We believe recent upturn partly due to more visitors and more pickers	
	Key Objectives for 2022-23	
	Ensure at least a break-even trading position by meeting our stretch	
	sales and margin targets for the year.	
	Appeal to the village for their support, primarily in volunteer numbers,	
	but also their custom.	
	Welcome new members of the Committee to help manage & develop	
	the Shop for the longer term.	
	Attract new shareholders (given the significant number of new	
15	residents since the shop opened in December 2014)	
10	Any Other Business	
	Next committee meeting -approve Missing and Deceased Members'	
	Shares Policy	
	-approved at meeting on 25.10.2022.	
	Are we advertising in the holiday cottages-in process of getting	
	business cards in stands for each.	
	<ul> <li>Are we going to re-start serving hot drinks-difficult with only one volunteer on shift.</li> </ul>	
	Signage missing -to be replaced.	

Meeting ended 8.20pm

Chairman Chris Buckham

Lynette William

L.A. Williams

Secretary