

THACS - TEWIN HORTICULTURE ARTS & CRAFTS SOCIETY

Outcome of the THACS Annual General Meeting

The twenty-first *THACS* AGM was held in Tewin Memorial Hall on the evening of Monday 27th February 2023.

Previously, the three incumbent elected officers – me as Chairman, Malcolm Allen as Treasurer and Tina Lord as Secretary – had all declared our wish to stand down from our current roles at this AGM.

There were no new candidates for any of the elected officer roles at the AGM. Consequently, I am sorry to announce that the society is no longer viable in its present form. It will now be mothballed.

I was re-elected as Chairman and Malcolm Allan was re-elected as Treasurer, on the understanding that we would not be doing anything other than managing the mothballing project and supporting the skeleton committee with anything they wished to organise in the meantime.

Existing committee members Terry Brand and Lynne Burgess were re-elected and newcomers Martin Taylor and Kristina Lawson were elected onto the committee.

These elections gave us the mandate needed for the mothballing project and will enable Malcolm and I to devote the time and effort to it, free from most of the usual responsibilities of Treasurer and Chairman. It also keeps a *THACS* committee ticking over, ready to run events and to welcome any newcomers.

For a fuller account (including the results of the members survey) please see the report on the *THACS* page on the Tewin Village website.

Ray Keppler, *THACS* Chairman