

Burton in Lonsdale Village Hall
Registered Charity 505943

Report to Annual Parish Meeting 28 April 2011

Renovations: The refurbishing in the Village Hall is now complete, following the painting by a small team of worthy volunteers in November. The stage has been reinstalled and is normally kept at half its full area but it is easily doubled. For a modest extra charge 8 exhibition display boards are available, also a computer projector. Photos taken during various activities using the facilities can be seen on our website.

Finance: The audited accounts for our financial year ended 30 September 2010 were reported at the AGM and the financial position was rather better than the previous two years: Income £3062 Expenditure £2308 (excluding the £10,000 grant). Bookings are currently running at a higher level than last year, with two new Keep Fit classes, on Monday evenings and Thursday lunchtimes.

Events: The usual range of activities and events has been organized in the Village Hall over the year, including lectures, a Spring Plant Sale, Craft Fair, various Coffee Mornings, musical events of different kinds, also we hosted very successful Exhibitions of Local History and Art and Craft work from the village.

Website <http://northcravenhistoricalresearch.co.uk/BVH/BurtonVH.htm>

Our website carries details of events and news items as well as being a source for the online Calendar of bookings, reports, audited accounts, information, documents and email link to the Committee. Also available are other papers for the AGM on 15 February and Chairman's Report, along with the posters and a range of photos from events.

Thanks: All the achievements are due to the generosity of the members of the Committee, which was again re-elected at the AGM, in freely giving their time and effort. It works well in ensuring that events can proceed smoothly in a clean friendly environment that provides the financially sound Community Centre facility that our charitable foundation expects.

Kit Dodson, Chairman April 2011