

## HARGRAVE VILLAGE HALL

2021 has been a mixed year for Hargrave Village Hall.

The Bowls Club and Keep Fit were able to start their regular meetings in May 2021. The PCC of St Edmund's Church, Hargrave used the outside area for Catch Up Cafes and Pop up Pubs which helped the villagers meet up again.

The Hargrave Lottery continues with 4 draws each year in March, June, September and December. There are currently 51 members. 50% of the quarterly takings are given in prizes with the remainder going to Village Hall funds.

Discussions have continued regarding the future of Hargrave Village Hall and we have been able to hold face to face meetings as a committee as well as a public meeting. Visits have been made to Denham Village Hall and a Church Hall in Harrow, London to look at the different types of building options that may be of interest.

In line with other organisations, we have received grants from West Suffolk Council to support businesses that have not been able to be open as usual due to restrictions as well as a Restart Grant when restrictions were lifted.

The Hall is managed by a small committee who continue to provide a pleasant, clean and safe meeting place for all. If you would like to join the committee, please let us know.

We are very grateful to all the villagers of Hargrave who continue to help and support Hargrave Village Hall.

Jill Upton – Hargrave Village Hall Committee Member

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