ADDERBURY PARISH COUNCIL

Date of Parish Council Meeting	Tuesday 21 May 2024
Agenda Item Number	Item 12 (i)
Author	Cllr Jacky Atkinson
Title of Report	FOCAL – To receive an update on Library matters.
Summary	Summary of decisions There was a meeting between OCC and FOCAL on the 15 th May which I was unable to attend.
	 FOCAL Meeting 18 May: The revised hours for the prospective Library Manager were discussed and approved and will begin on the 1 October 2024. Monday: Closed – Tuesday 10am – 1 p.m. & 2 p.m. – 5 p.m. Wednesday: Closed – Thursday 2 p.m. – 5.30 p.m Friday 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. & 2 – 5 p.m. Saturday : 9.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m. The advertisement for the new Library Manager has now been advertised. Although the times have been changed very slightly, the hours remain the same.
	• Library Manager: The library is being covered by temporary staff from OCC and volunteers until they have appointed a replacement. It appears to be running extremely well with no problems.
	 Events:- MAY - The next event will be Meet the Author on 22nd May. Tickets available from the library or from Stuart Phips. June - A summer Solace Celebration will take place in the library on 22nd June from 10 – 12.30 a.m. July - A proposed Beatle Drive will be organised, details later.
	 Volunteers:- The volunteer rota is going very well. Warm winter Tuesdays:- continue from 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. Rhyme time:- continues every Thursday from 10am 11 a.m. Website: - Authorisation of friends to the website is now underway.
Recommendation	To accept the above report in full