

## **Chair's report for October 2020**

### **COVID-19**

Unfortunately Covid-19 is still with us and some parts of the country are under lockdown restrictions. By adhering to the rules set out by the Government (wearing of face masks, 'rule of six', social distancing, working from home where possible etc.) we can all help to keep the virus away from our community.

Please remember that some people cannot wear face masks for medical reasons and that not all illnesses and disabilities are apparent.

### **Village Clean-up**

On 26 September there was a Village Clean-up which was organised by the WI. I would like to thank all those who took part, your efforts made a real difference in helping to keep Shrewton tidy.

### **Reporting problems to Wiltshire Council**

Wiltshire Council has launched 'MyWilts' which has replaced 'MyWiltshire' as the means of reporting issues such as abandoned vehicles, fly tipping, dog mess, pot holes etc. MyWilts can be accessed at <https://my.wiltshire.gov.uk/>

Other services will be added to MyWilts as Wiltshire Council brings more of its online services to one access point. If you cannot access the online service Wiltshire Council can still be contacted on 0300 456 0100.

### **A 'Thank You' from HM Lord-Lieutenant of Wiltshire**

Today (7 October 2020) the Parish Council received a card from HM Lord-Lieutenant of Wiltshire, Mrs Sarah Rose Troughton, expressing her thanks to the many groups and individuals - both voluntary and otherwise – across Wiltshire and Swindon for the contribution they have made to the community at large over the last few months. I would like to add my thanks to those of the Lord-Lieutenant, your selflessness helped many people in Shrewton through the difficulties of lockdown.

This concludes the Chair's report.