

2021 AGM Chairman's Report

As would be expected, Covid put paid to all the future events that were mentioned at the 2019 AGM but we have carried on, via Zoom committee meetings, to progress mainly PSA testing events for 2022.

Hinkley Point B and C have been contacted and we await further feedback from them.

Portishead Lions Club - PSA testing event to take place on Saturday 26th March 2022.

Radstock & Midsomer Norton Lions Club, Wells Lions Club and Burnham-on-Sea Lions Club are all possibles for PSA testing events in 2022.

Although not in the Treasurer's Report, as it only covers up to 31st July 2021, we received this year a donation of £1,000 from Prostate Cancer Research Centre, £530 from Bridgwater Ploughing Match and most recently £1,000 from High & Dry Group who took part in the Bristol Shanty Festival (Tim Lewis being a member of this group).

Michael Sharpe has been working hard on our web site and other social media as well as being the Zoom meeting organiser, all of which is much appreciated.

David Evans, who after a number of years producing the newsletter, being the secretary and assisting Elizabeth Smart at previous PSA testing events, is standing down to a degree but will continue to help at future PSA testing events and I would like to thank David on behalf of the committee for all he has done for us.

I would also like to thank Tim for his excellent work as our treasurer and Brian and Elizabeth Smart and Peter Gooch for their continuing support in our activities.

We feel that facilitating PSA testing events is the most effective way of preventing prostate cancer developing in men and highlighting that they may need treatment. We welcome all help to run, help organise, have an idea for a venue or a partner organisation, in our quest to run these events.

We are small in number and would welcome anyone who would like to join our committee.