

## TPT annual meeting and proposal on Climate Change effort

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A quick reminder about 2 events in the coming days!

This Sunday will be your last chance to join the team at The Old Ship for a final thank you and farewell event before the end of the summer

On Tuesday evening we have our annual meeting and proposal on Climate Change effort (with wine and nibbles!)

Please join us if you can - full details below!

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What an amazing summer we have had! We want to say a Massive THANK YOU to everyone who has made it so memorable and positive.

Thanks to all who made it happen and those who supported the pop up events, which included exceptional live music concerts, local art exhibitions, community ideas sharing sessions and family workshops. The community feeling was strong! We also enjoyed meeting lots of visitors and hearing stories from the old pub days.

We are going to OPEN up this SUNDAY 2-6pm for a last drink, games and get together before the next stage of building work. Please join us!

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Dear friends and neighbours,

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## Millbrook Village Hall.

We're having a multi-purpose event:

- The formal "Annual General Meeting" to present our results and accounts – 20 minutes
- A full update on the work the Trust is doing, including announcement of new projects
- First showing of our new Trust video
- Wine, other drinks, nibbles included.

Not just for members - everyone is welcome.

### Combating climate change – what is the Trust's role?

Everyone at the Trust – directors, staff and volunteers – is concerned about the climate crisis and what we can do as an organisation. We feel that this subject is so important that we should ask the members to support practical community action by the Trust itself.

We are proposing the following motion for the meeting:

***"The Peninsula Trust commits to an active role in combating climate change locally, through community activities and support for existing groups".***

This is not a symbolic or token gesture – if passed, it will commit the Trust to change our ways, provide staff time and resources, and probably increase some costs (e.g. higher-quality materials). Please come along and support this motion – and if ***you can't make it, please send us your vote by email***. We would like a mandate from the membership that commits us to a serious effort; some initial ideas are at the end of this bulletin

We should clarify that the Trust will NOT be getting involved in any political action – this is 100% about local, practical efforts in our community.

### Notice to Members

You are invited to

## **The Peninsula Trust Members Meeting & AGM**

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2019 at 7.00pm  
Millbrook Village Hall, Millbrook

#### What we're doing

- AGM (Accounts etc.)
- Latest news and new projects
- Our brand-new video
- Keynote talk on the environment followed by motion to the members. We are asking members to support the following: "That the Trust should commit to an active role in combatting climate change locally, through community activities and support for existing groups".

**The meeting is open to all, not only members.**

**Please join us to celebrate our  
success and find out about our next  
steps - drinks and nibbles provided**

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### **Proposals for specific Climate Crisis action by the Trust**

A first list of actions, to be discussed and approved as we develop the work:

Green buildings. Ensure that all our housing and other buildings are designed and built using the best possible environmental impact techniques. Set up a permanent information/contact point at the Rame Centre

- Produce material and ideas for our members
- Organisation of public events where needed
- A new community directory with a “Green” focus
- Analyse our own practices (purchasing, utilities, etc). Improve them, report on it, share other options and ideas
- Work on opportunities for shared car transport
- Find links to neutral external specialists who can advise on effective changes, e.g. housing / energy efficiency / transport etc.



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