

**MINUTES OF JORDANS PICTURE HOUSE
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
HELD AT 8PM ON FRIDAY MAY 13th 2022
IN JORDANS VILLAGE HALL**

1. Introduction

Alan Sealy, Chairman of Jordans Picture House welcomed the 'sell-out' audience of some 50+ enthusiastic Members and supporters.

Other Committee members present were Lorraine Bristow, Katy Brown and Chris Waymouth. Gill Pettman sent her apologies.

Apologies were also received from:

Norma Desmond-Mawby, John Mawby, Iain & Jackie Duncan, Mary-Anne Hall, Rosemary & Martin Bennett, Helen Dunwell and Fiona Ritchie.

Lorraine Bristow read out a quote from Mary-Anne Hall which reflected the sentiments in the apologies received from other Members:

"Sorry I'm not able to come to the AGM tomorrow so please accept my apologies.

Thank you to all those involved with Jordans Picture House for all the work behind the scenes to give us such wonderful film evenings".

2. Reports

Alan Sealy presented the Committee Report for our sixth Season, September 2021-May 2022 and confirmed our increasing membership (currently 96 members). This was followed by the Financial Report from Chris Waymouth. These received overwhelming approval by show of hands.

Lorraine Bristow talked briefly on the success of Front of House activities.

3. Rule amendment

Alan then explained the proposed Amendment to Rule 3 (ii) re committee members' term of office, changing this from a maximum 3 two-year terms to a maximum of 3 three-year terms. This was approved by a show of hands.

4. Film selection for 2022-23 season

Chris Waymouth then presented (to some excitement and a drum roll) the film selection for our seventh season, 2022-2023. And the number one choice was Hamilton!

5. Better Connected Beaconsfield

Alan Sealy then introduced our special guest for the evening, Paul Henry, a trustee of Better Connected Beaconsfield (BCB). This is a charity based in Beaconsfield working to support the lonely and perhaps forgotten members of our community but now also charged by Buckinghamshire County Council with the role of supporting Ukrainian refugees and their hosts in our region. Paul spoke most informatively of their work and how we can support them.

Alan then announced that to this end we would be sponsoring a special screening of 'Mr Jones' a recent film of the story of the appalling Soviet 'engineered' famine in Ukraine in the 1930s. The film is to be screened on June 18th at the NFTS Beaconsfield.

There was no other business and with the meeting closed we then settled down to enjoy our film for the evening, "Grow Your Own", starring Eddie Marsan and Olivia Colman.

The film was enthusiastically received and ended a most enjoyable evening.