**OAKLEY VILLAGE HALL REPORT**

**MAY 2021**

The village hall was closed for over a year due to Covid, & was reopened on the 17th May this year. Since reopening the number of booking has been very low as the regular bookers remain cautious & adjust to the current rules.

We used the downtime to do maintenance work including redecorating the main hall, installing a new suspended ceiling & LED lighting this work was part funded by a grant from AVDC all these improvements would have been difficult to do if we had not been closed.

At our recent AGM apart from having a vacancy for a Parish Council representative the committee has stayed the same and I would like to thank them for their support during this difficult time.

Financially we are in a healthy position due to government support in the form of the Small business grant scheme which has helped us to remain buoyant & we look forward to the hall once again taking its place at the centre of Village life.

**Andy Finn**

**Chairman of Village Hall Committee**