

Note to RALC Members – July 2020

Now that we are beginning to see a gradual return to a more normal way of life, I thought it might be useful to update you on the situation regarding RALC meetings.

As you may recall we were due to hold a RALC meeting in April, the Parish Conference in May and the RALC AGM in July but regrettably had to cancel the April meeting and Parish Conference due to the lockdown.

With regard to the AGM the RALC Executive held a zoom meeting at the end of May to explore the possibility of going ahead with the AGM in July but concluded that given the uncertainty, at that time, surrounding social distancing rules and any easing of the lockdown that it would not be feasible to hold the AGM and reluctantly took the decision to defer it until next year.

However, it was agreed that we hold a zoom meeting in July to discuss a few items of official business and also give members the opportunity to discuss the current situation, how we go forward in what may well be a new norm and any Covid-19 initiatives or concerns that members may wish to discuss

The hope is that it may be possible to hold the Parish Conference in late October, but as you will appreciate this is very much dependent on what Covid-19 measures may still be in place

David Pankhurst, Chairman RALC