

PAROISSE DE ST. PIERRE

The Eleventh Day of February Two Thousand and Twenty

An Assembly of Principals and Electors of the Parish of St. Peter will be held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday 11 February 2020 , at 8.00pm to:-

1. Receive, and if deemed advisable, approve the Act of the Parish Assembly held on Tuesday 05 November 2019.
2. Elect three Vingteniers, one for Grande Vingtaine and one for Vingtaine de St Nicolas and one for Vingtaine des Augerez within the Parish, for a period of three years.
3. Elect an Officer du Connetable for Vingtaine Coin Varin within the Parish, for a period of three years.
4. To approach the Assembly to approve funding for Liberation 75 celebrations to enable the Parish to hold various events.
5. To appoint a person to the position of Registrar for the Parish of St Peter due to the current post holder having stepped down.
6. To appoint two persons to the position of Deputy Registrar for the Parish of St Peter due to the current post holders having stepped down.
7. Take into consideration, the following recommendations to the Assembly of Governor, Bailiff and Jurats of licences for the year 2020.

Company	Roberts Garages Ltd Springfield Road St Helier Jersey
Category	Sixth Category (Off Licence)
Business	Roberts Garage West St Peter

1. On the proposition of **Joao Camara**, seconded by **John Refault**, the minutes of the previous assembly held on Tuesday 05 November 2019, which had been previously handed out were approved.

2. Vingtenier:

The following Vingteniers were nominated:

Michael Holley for Grande Vingtaine was proposed by **Michael Alexandre** and seconded by **Roger Noel**.

Mr Holley is already a Constables Officer for the parish since October 2018 and would now like to move up in position.

Marion Romeril proposed **Francois Guy Le Maistre** for Vingtaine de St Nicolas, this was seconded by **Joao Camara**. Mr Le Maistre has been a Constables Officer since November 2016 and again would like to transfer to a Vingtenier position.

David Robinson was proposed by **Michael Smith** and seconded by **Susan Ambler**. David has been a Constables Officer since August 2019 and would like to step up as a Vingtenier.

As there were no further nominations the Constable thanked them for their service and advised them to attend the Royal Court to be sworn in on Friday 21 February at 10.00am.

3. Charles Quenault was nominated for the role of Constables Officer and proposed by **John Refault** and seconded by **Graham Le Cuirot**.

Charles is well known in the parish as the family is well established in the parish also. He is involved with the Battle of Flowers and therefore is recommended for this position.

Graham Le Cuirot said it was nice to see a younger member of the parish join the honorary police.

As there were no further nominations the Constable congratulated him and advised him to be available to be sworn in at the Royal Court on Friday 21 February 2020.

4. Liberation 75 falls in May 2020 which is in our new financial year but before our main assembly is held in July. In view of this the Constable wished to bring this item to an assembly to request an approval for a sum of money to be used for the parish to hold various events in the parish.

Events planned are a Gala Ball in conjunction with St Ouens Parish hall on Saturday 09 May at St Ouens Manor. There will be a Church service on Friday 08 May with a flower festival in the Church. The parish are also organising an Afternoon Tea Party in the car park and village green area for all ages on Sunday 10 May 2020, there will be activities for the children. A display of memorabilia will be in the community centre, if anyone has anything that they wish to contribute please contact the parish.

The Constable wishes to follow St Ouens and request a sum of £10,000.00 from the assembly. He is aware that there may be a donation of £2,000.00 from the States but this has yet to be confirmed.

The amount of £10,000.00 was agreed and proposed by Joao Camara and seconded by Robert Surcouf.

A vote was requested and the majority vote was all in favour, no objections.

John Refault has asked if this would affect the rates in the future of which the Constable advised not.

5. A nomination for Registrar was received for **Julia Quenault**; she was proposed by **John Refault** and seconded by **Susan Morin**.

Julia is a qualified accountant and has been the parish senior Procureur for the last 9 years so is ideally placed for the position of Registrar.

As there were no further nominations, the Constable advised Mrs Quenault to attend for swearing in on Friday 21 February 2020 at the Royal Court.

6. Two deputy registrars are required for the parish; unfortunately no nominations were received for these positions. The Constable has been in talks with people and will hopefully be able to bring this item back to a future assembly.

7. Michelle Leverington of BCR Law stood and addressed the assembly. Roberts Garage are building a new garage in St Peter and are applying for a provisional 6th Category (Off licence) licence. They are experienced retailers and have several forecourts around the Island; they have never had any licence issues. Their staffs are well trained and have constant refresher training for their staff to ensure they are compliant with the licensing law.

A question was asked the time of opening, the establishment will be open from 6.00am to 10.00pm as per the hours of the permit under the licensing law.

The application was proposed by **Rodger Price** and seconded by **Susan O'Brien**.

The Chef de Police, Joao Camara, advised that he has no objections to their application and advised that the honorary police do come around the establishments and do the relevant licensed checks but is aware of Roberts Garage so hopefully there will be no issues.

As this was the last item on the agenda, the Constable was about to close the assembly when he was asked by Alan Dix to share his thanks to the outgoing members of Vingteniers, Constables Officers, Procureur and Registrars but he wanted to know why the registrars and deputies have stood down. The Constable advised that under Data Protection this was private and therefore could not comment on this.

Mr Dix said he would ask the Deputy of the parish to which he was replied that the Deputy could not respond also due to GDPR.

The Constable has thanked the relevant members for their service.

Mrs Holmes stood to advise that there are concerns in the parish that our Liberation 75 events are not including the elderly generation, she was assured that the parish are trying to include all ages and that all details will be advertised in the next edition of the parish magazine. There may be some confusion that the Gala ball is the only event planned but this is not correct.

Father Michael confirmed that he himself has invited parishioners to attend the events as there is no more a more suitable occasion to be remembered, he hopes that everyone will attend the Church service which will kick off the weekend of events. We need younger people to attend to converse with the older generation to be able to come and learn otherwise tradition will die out.

The Constable concluded the assembly by thanking everyone for attending.

This concluded the business of the Assembly.