

**KERRY HILL FLOCK BOOK SOCIETY
NOVEMBER 2020 NEWSLETTER**

Dear Members

Following the disruption of the Society's normal activities I hope the update below will be of some interest.

We started the year with the uncertainty of BREXIT and then in March we went into lockdown because of the COVID pandemic. Who could have imagined that we would still be suffering some 8 months on. We are not out of the woods yet and we must all try to remain resilient and follow government guidelines.

The ballot took place for Council membership and resulted in the following members being elected Alan Brimble, Helen Macleod, John Owens, Gareth Richards, Jim Rowe and Rachel Willan.

We are extremely sorry that the flock competition for this year had to be cancelled. I was very much looking forward to seeing all the flocks and breeders who had applied to be part of it this year so thank you to all members for their understanding. It is hoped that we can arrange another one for sometime next year Covid permitting.

We are also hoping to hold our Open Day next year courtesy of the Macleod family which again unfortunately had to be postponed this year because of the Covid pandemic.

Finally, I must give a huge thank you to John and Phillipa Owens for allowing Council members Covid secure access to their farm to hold a Council meeting. Arrangements were made for other Council members to join the meeting by Zoom and all went well.

As a result of logistical problems we had to postpone the AGM. This years AGM is now being held by Zoom on Saturday 12 December at 2pm. Further details will be sent out and we look forward to you joining us.

Take care of yourselves and stay safe

Yours sincerely

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