

## **The Golant Pill: May 2022: Report for the Parish Council APM**

The first part of this last year was still affected by Covid, and the Golant Pill was produced online only. This, of course, saved us the cost of printing, but it did make it harder for readers to refer back to, for example, the monthly Calendar on the last page of The Pill.

As the editions had been on-line only, we gave our advertisers a payment holiday last year, but for this year we are re-introducing a still very modest charge. We have also not charged the village societies for carrying their reports and distributing the copies; if printing costs suddenly rise, we might have to revert to asking for a donation if we are to be a sustainable business.

The August / September issue was a hard copy once again, although, of course, this village newsletter is always available on-line via the village website. Thus we were back in print in time for the 90<sup>th</sup> edition in December: what a remarkable achievement, and credit goes almost entirely to Mike and Gillie. Mike was the first editor, Gillie succeeded him, and together they oversee this excellent publication with tireless enthusiasm and efficiency. They have been at the helm for 15 years - the village owes them both a huge debt of gratitude.

Thanks are also owed to all those in our community who submit articles to The Pill. Contributions from a wide range of people ensure that this remains a truly village newsletter.

Simon Funnell

Chairman