



**EAST KESWICK**  
VILLAGE HALL

# Building the Next Chapter Together

## Dear Residents of East Keswick,

A new chapter is unfolding at East Keswick Village Hall, and we warmly invite you to help us begin the next part of its story.

Across the country, many public spaces, including village halls, have faced decline. Yet East Keswick Village Hall stands out as a success story: we have more than sufficient reserves to cover all our liabilities. It remains a cherished, well-cared-for gathering place at the heart of our village, hosting everything from local groups to joyful family celebrations—once visited by HM King Charles III—and supported by dedicated trustees and a committed maintenance team.

Thanks to generous grants and community donations, the Village Hall purchased Illingworth Field and breathed new life into it as the Climate Change Garden. We have also embraced the future with a refreshed website and faster broadband, ensuring the community stays connected and accessible.

Looking ahead, the Village Hall is preparing to launch an ambitious Energy and Carbon Reduction Project, investing over £46,000 from grants, donations, and reserves. This bold step will boost our energy efficiency, shrink our carbon footprint, strengthen local activities, bring our community closer together, and champion environmental responsibility.

## We are now searching for the next generation of passionate leaders to carry this momentum forward.

In recent years, the Village Hall's team of trustees has become smaller as several long-serving members—some with over 30 years of service—have retired, and a few others are planning to step down. We thank all our trustees and volunteers for their commitment to community leadership.

East Keswick has welcomed many new residents who bring fresh energy and pride to our village. The Village Hall is the perfect place to channel this enthusiasm. By becoming a trustee or volunteer, you can play a vital role in supporting and shaping the future of East Keswick Village Hall.

An outline of our team structure and a summary of our main income and expenditure are attached. Please email us at [info@eastkeswickvillagehall.org](mailto:info@eastkeswickvillagehall.org) for more information about joining the team.

Warm regards,

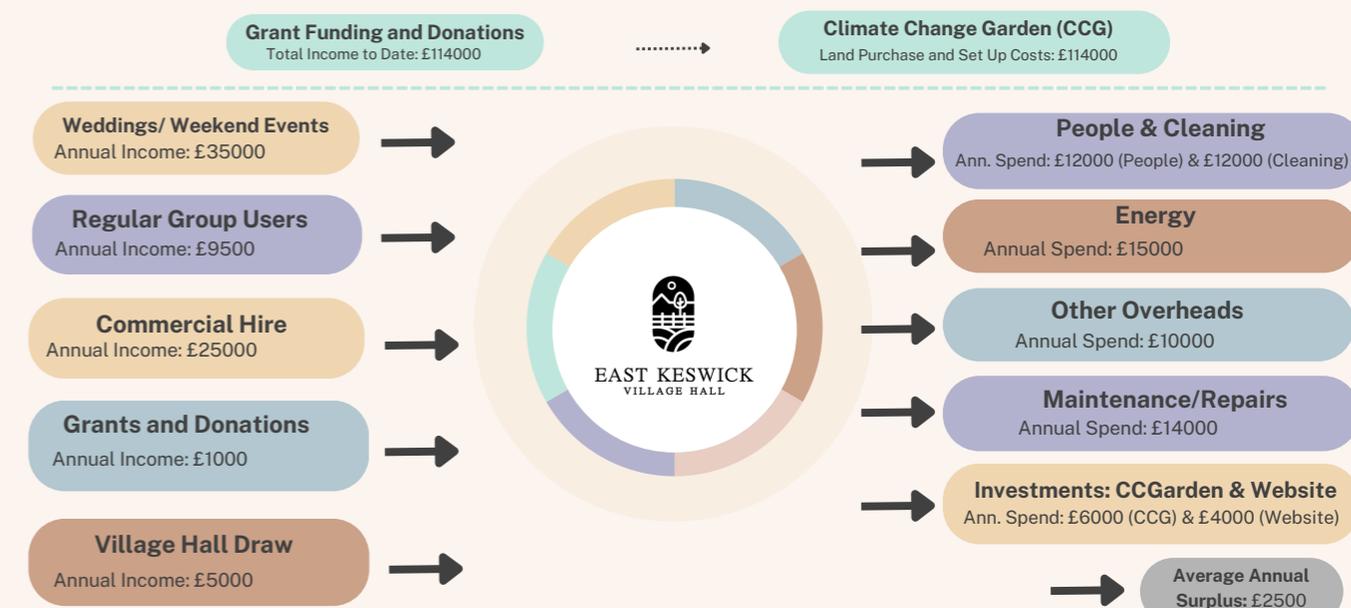
**Peter Guildford**

Chairman, and all East Keswick Village Hall Trustees

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MAIN SOURCES OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

**NOTE:** Grants and capital spending on the bio garden are one-off items (not annual or 'from revenue') and are shown separately. All other figures reflect regular cash flow. For details, visit the EKVH website.



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## ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE

