
MINUTES

1. Welcome new members.

None in attendance.

2. Guest Speakers.

a. Torbay Harbour Master – Adam Parnell.

AP has been THM for 18 months, previously was Harbour Master at Salcombe. Previous career was in the Navy.

Brixham port is more complex than Paignton and Torquay, and faces more challenges as well as more opportunities. Already the 4th largest fishing port in UK, expansion is needed to develop full potential.

The Port Master Plan identifies possible investments, eg The Northern Arm – a floating pier will provide more berthing. Rising sea levels means that sea defences will need to be improved. AP is trying to raise money from various government agencies.

AP has Permitted Development Rights on areas under his jurisdiction.

b. South West Regional Cyber Crime Unit – Sam Parsons.

SP is a Cyber Project Officer with the RCCU. The unit's job is to investigate and break cyber crime.

SP described the various types of cyber crime, eg Trojans, Data breach, Phishing, Ransomware, and the ways in which they operate.

Help is available to protect businesses. It's free at www.Cyberessentials.nsc.gov.uk

More info at www.Actionfraud.police.uk

Report attempted or actual fraud by phone 0300 123 2040

3. Chamber Membership presentations

a. Dave Barter - Nautoguide

DB created a business building interactive maps. He sells 'Software as a Service'.

Main areas of business are Public Sector, Education, and Leisure.

DB is keen to hear from anyone who has an interest in developing new ideas using mapping.

Contact him at dave@nautoguide.com

4. Presentations at the next General Meeting.

Light up Brixham

Lloyds Bank

Carolyn Cuthbertson – BID

Play Torbay

Chocella

Salty Sparrow

Next Exec. Meeting: - Tuesday 10th September 2019 at The Conservative Club.

Next Gen Meeting : - Tuesday 24th September 2019 at Berry Head Hotel.