TERRINGTON ARTS REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2016/17

Throughout the year, our History, Art, Poetry and Textiles groups continued with their activities. These ranged from workshops to talks, visits and hands on activities. Although each is essentially self-financing, the central finance system played an important role in a number of cases in avoiding cash flow difficulties over the year

Sadly, the members of the Tiefrung Gleemen band decided that after playing many successful engagements since 2003, they should close, in view of difficulties in getting a regular caller, and various technical and administrative issues.

However, during the year, the Dressmaking group, founded and led by Julie Banks had come under the Terrington Arts umbrella.

The History Group in particular had conducted a wide programme of activities focused mainly on local history, open to and popular with the whole community, with a mix of talks and research. They also run their own website

It is expected that the year ahead will bring similar activities and further challenges for Terrington Arts and its groups

The Terrington Arts website has been significantly overhauled over the year by Keith Adkins, and we hope that it will contain increasing contents and links relating to our activities.

In the coming year, opportunities will be sought to extend our community's knowledge of and contribution to our activities

The trustees would in particular like to thank Douglas McQueen and Carole Willis, who have stood down as trustees, for their valued and professional contributions over their years of service.

Jane Hanstock