

## **Safeguarding report**

The safeguarding process this year is being overseen by Hilary Williams and Sara Smith.

We have completed a number of DBS applications so far and are attempting to replace all the old CRB certificates with DBS disclosures when they expire.

Most people with DBS approval attended safeguarding training in the autumn or spring. It was informative and useful.

The safeguarding route has been made easier and has been used a couple of times, fortunately with concerns rather than major incidents or issues.

Please note that any concern for a child's safety does not have to wait for our approval. If you are very concerned please call the Police or The Child Family Contact (Tel 466903).

Thank you to Lars for organising an easy-to -use flowchart to explain the process for safeguarding issues.