

ST DENNIS PARISH COUNCIL



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To all Members of Council

Dear Sir/Madam,

You are hereby summoned to attend a Meeting of St Dennis Parish Council to be held on **Tuesday 3rd March 2026 to be held at 7 pm at ClayTAWC Centre, Fore Street, St Dennis** for transacting the following business.

Yours faithfully

Lynn Clarke

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Clerk St Dennis Parish Council

Note: Members of the Press & Public are invited to attend under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960.

Under the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014, any members of the public or press are allowed to take photographs, film and audio record the proceedings and report on all public sections of the meeting.

Under the Local Government Act (LGA) 1972 Sch 12 10(2)(b), Council are unable to make any decision on matters not listed within the agenda.

AGENDA

- 1. Welcome by the Chair.**
- 2. Apologies**
To receive and approve apologies.
- 3. Declarations of Interest.**
 - a) *To receive disclosures of Pecuniary Interests.*
 - b) *To receive disclosure of Non-Registerable Pecuniary Interests.*
 - c) *To disclose the receipt of hospitality or gifts over the value of £25 and*
 - d) *To receive written requests for dispensations on items to be discussed at the meeting*

N.B: *If you become aware during the meeting, of an interest that has not been disclosed you must immediately disclose it and request dispensation if necessary.*

4. Public Participation (to include Cornwall Councillors Report)

Standing Order '3f - Members of the public are permitted to make representations, answer questions, and give evidence in respect of any item of business included in the agenda.

Standing Order '3g' -The designated time will be 10 minutes and no longer than 5 minutes per person unless directed by the Chair of the meeting.

a) Public Participation.

b) Cornwall Councillors Report

5. To adopt the minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council on the 3rd February 2026.

6. To note the Minutes of the following meetings and Full Council to adopt the recommendations therein:

General Purpose, finance & Audit Committee Meeting – Hall Road Play area, consultation reviewed and next steps agreed; ROSPA inspection costs approved; Third quarter figure reviewed and approved.

Staffing Committee Meeting – Appraisal progress reports reviewed; Update on the use of the HR software provided; date set for the Clerk's Appraisal; 2026-27 salaries agreed; impactor purchase approved.

Playing Field Trust Meeting – Verbal update to be provided

Cemetery Committee Meeting – Verbal update to be provided

7. Matters Arising from the last meeting – Information Only.

8. To agree the delegated decisions made over the past month.

9. Financial.

a) To approve this month's payment to creditors and income as tabled.

b) Approve the bank balances as of 31st December 2025 (emailed).

c) To sign off the February Wages.

d) To agree the top up of the Maintenance Budget.

e) To agree the transfer of funds to the playing field for running costs.

10. Clerks Report.

11. To note the increase in phone charges from Coast to Coast Communications.

12. To discuss and agree a response for the proposed event by Swamp Circus.

13. To agree the dates for the Annual Meeting of the Parish Council and the Annual Parish Meeting.

14. To agree the cost of additional grit bins for the Parish.

15. To agree the footpath cutting contract with Cornwall Council for 2026-27.

16. To agree a date for the Christmas event 2026

17. To agree the cost of shredding bags for the office.

18. To agree the cost of anti-virus for Cllr and staff computers and the call out fee.

19. To receive an update on the welcome signage and to agree any actions required.

20. To receive an update on the land at Dunstan Close and to approve any associated costs.

21. To approve the cost of training for Cllrs & Staff.

22. Reports from Outside Bodies.

23. Consultations/Surveys received up to time of meeting.

a) *General Consultations –*

b) *Planning applications received up to the time of the meeting.*

24. Highways and Footpath Matters.

a) *Footpaths.*

b) *Highway Issues.*

25. Grant Requests.

To consider grants received up to the time of meeting.

26. Correspondence Received.

To consider correspondence received up to the time of the meeting.

27. Items for next agenda.

Standing Order 3e

(PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSION TO MEETING) ACT 1960 EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND THE PUBLIC) To resolve that in accordance with Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 and by reason of the confidential nature of the remainder of the business, the Press and the Public are to be excluded from the Meeting.

28. Confidential Items.

Any other urgent and relevant confidential item, for information, that the Chair considers appropriate.

This meeting has been advertised as a public meeting and as such could be filmed or recorded.

Please be aware that whilst every effort is taken to ensure that members of the public are not filmed, the Council cannot guarantee this, especially if you are speaking or taking an active role.

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