



Agenda for the meeting of Chollerton Parish Council

**Wednesday 18th March 2026, 7.00pm at Barrasford Village Hall,
(supper room)**

1. Apologies for Absence

2. Open forum (maximum 15 minutes) when members of the public may raise matters with the council

3. Declaration of Interest from Members

To receive disclosures of personal and/or prejudicial interest from Members on matters to be considered at the meeting

4. To approve minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 28 March 2025, 7.00pm at Barrasford Village Hall.

(a) Matters Arising from the above minutes not addressed elsewhere on the agenda

5. Correspondence

6. County Councillor Report

7. Items for Discussion

To discuss issues which have arisen or are causing concern within the Parish of Chollerton.

(a) Website update

(b) East Acres parking update

(c) Interactive speed signs at Colwell and Gunnerton

(d) Mobile library and library consultation

(e) Lighting at Barrasford Park

(f) IT policy

(g) Parish Councillor vacancies

(h) Parish Councillors travel expenses

8. Financial Matters

(a) Budget for 2026/27

(b) End of year accounts and bank reconciliation

(c) List of payments made since last meeting

Bank Charges Jan, Feb and March 2026 - £12.75

Gunnerton Village insurance donation £130.00

(d) Payments to be approved

£16.00 for 2 hours room hire at Barrasford Village hall - March 2026

£120.00+VAT Tyne Rede annual Payroll services

£29.87 Stationery reimbursement M.Bramley

£683.80 Salary 12 weeks (Q4) @ £16.35/hour and 4 hours per week (to be confirmed)

£50.00 Parish clerk working from home annual cost.

£199.00 Hugo Fox (website set up)

9. Planning Applications

25/03717/FULES Erection of poultry unit comprising 4 No. poultry houses and associated infrastructure, Colwell. Northumberland

26/00657/FUL Conversion of former Barrasford Methodist Chapel to single self-contained dwelling.

26/00707/VARYCO Threpwood Hill Cottage Birtley Hexham Northumberland NE48 3HJ Variation of conditions.

10. Information Item

To note information items received and events attended since the last meeting

(a) Joint Town and Parish Council meeting - 5/3/2026

(b) Barrasford Quarry rubbish clearance update and potential visit

11. Any Other Business

Business taken under this agenda item is for discussion only

12. Date and Venue for future meetings

27/5/2026- at 7pm, Barrasford Village Hall AGM

15/07/2026 at 7pm Colwell Village Hall

23/09/2026 at 7pm Gunnerton Church

25/11/2026 at 7pm Club House, Barrasford Park

27/01/2027 at 7pm Barrasford Village Hall

24/03/2027 at 7pm Barrasford Village Hall