



To Parish Councillors, members of the public and press.

Members are hereby summoned and notice is given that a Meeting of the Amenities Committee of Newington Parish Council will be held at the **Pavilion** (Newington Recreation Ground off Orchard Drive), Newington at **19:00** on **Tuesday 22 September 2026**, when it is proposed to transact the following business:

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive and accept apologies for absence

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS OR LOBBYING

Members are invited to declare disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests in items on the agenda as required by the Newington Parish Council Code of Conduct for Members and by the Localism Act 2011.

(i) The nature as well as the existence of any such interest must be declared. After declaring a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest, the Member must leave the meeting and not take part in the discussion or vote. This applies even if there is provision for public speaking.

3. PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

This is a concessionary short session and will be limited to 15 minutes. Three minutes per person will be allowed.

4. MINUTES OF THE AMENITIES COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 21 July 2026

- i. To approve the minutes of the Amenities Committee meeting, held on Tuesday 21 July 2026
- ii. Matters arising not mentioned elsewhere

5. PAVILION

- i. Caretaker reports; soil stack/roof repair
- ii. Pavilion lettings
- iii. Caretaker contract
- iv. Electrical safety report

6. CEMETERY

- i. Progress report on updating records and mapping of graves
- ii. Update on new/existing memorials
- iii. Update on interments
- iv. Cemetery management and maintenance

7. STREETLIGHTS

- i. Update on streetlights requiring repair or maintenance
 - a) Quote for repair to 86 St Mary's View
- ii. Update on maintenance contract and streetlight inspection

8. BUS STOP SHELTER REPLACEMENT

- i. Bus Stop Shelter Grant (deadline 30 October 2026)
- ii. Review quotes and Parish requirements

9. PLAY AREA

- i. Progress with wetpour and other repairs
- ii. Update on areas for potential future spend

10. RECREATION GROUND

- i. Update regarding Oak Tree and strengthening entry gate post
- ii. Bluebell bulbs in the community woodland

11. NEWINGTON HIGH STREET RAILINGS

To receive an update and consider preferred type of railing

12. NOTICEBOARD

To receive an update on purchasing a new noticeboard

13. VILLAGE HALL CAR PARK

To receive an update on the Village Hall and car parking

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

This is for information only and no decision can be made on items raised.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING:

Full Parish Council: Tuesday 29 September 2026 at 19:00

Amenities Committee: Tuesday 20 October 2026 at 19:00



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Maxine Owen, Clerk to Newington Parish Council

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