



Dear Councillors Neill Mison, David Mack, Leigh Rixon, Kimberley Shepherd, Oliver Phillips, Andrew Armstrong and Jules Wood

You are summoned to attend the Annual Parish Council meeting on Monday 20th July 2026, commencing at 7 pm. This meeting will be held in The Village Hall, Rubys Avenue, Fernwood

Members of the public and press are entitled to be at the following meeting Public Bodies (Admission to Meeting) Act 1960 Section 1 extended by the Local Government Act 1972 Section 100 unless precluded by the Parish Council by resolution during whole or part of the proceedings. Such entitlement does not, however, include the right to speak on any matter except at the beginning of the meeting.

Darryl Flinders – Clerk 15th July 2026

AGENDA

- 630.** Declaration of any intentions to record the meeting
- 631.** To receive apologies for absence
- 632.** To receive declarations of interest
- 633.** Public Open Forum (15 minute session) - ***Fernwood Parish Council is committed to community engagement and, therefore, warmly invites members of the public to contribute during this part of the meeting. It should be noted that in accordance with the Parish Council's Standing Orders, the maximum time permitted for contributions is 5 minutes per item. Unless permitted to do so by The Chair, only matters on the agenda can be discussed during this forum.***
- 634.** Approval of the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 15th June 2026
- 635.** Councillors' and Clerk's reports
- 636.** County and District Councillors' reports
- 637.** Finance
 - a. Bank reconciliations up to 30th June 2026, to be noted
 - b. Items of income to be noted
 - c. Expenditure since the last meeting under delegated powers/previously agreed expenditure to be noted
 - d. Approval of invoices due for payment
 - e. Approval of expenses
 - f. Items of expenditure for consideration – Replacement security alarm system for The Village Hall £2,192 (see separate report from the clerk)
- 638.** Planning
 - To consider the following applications – None
- 639.** Correspondence – None received
- 640.** Cllr Rixon is asking the council to consider the installation of a play park area within the grounds of the Village Hall.

- 641.** Cllr Mack is asking the council to resolve to purchase planters for Ruby's Walk to replace the planters already there, as previously discussed at a meeting.
- 642.** Cllr Mison is asking the council to agree that Fernwood Parish Council should begin dialogue with adjoining parish councils to consider a coordinated approach to any boundary changes in light of the local government reorganisation.