

Longhorsley Parish Council

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1st July 2026

Dear Councillor,

Your attendance is summoned to a meeting of Longhorsley Parish Council on **Wednesday 8th July 2026** at 7.00 pm in the Village Hall.

If any Longhorsley parishioners wish to speak, at 8.00pm there will be an adjournment of up to 20 minutes. Each Longhorsley parishioner will be allowed a maximum of four minutes.

Agenda

1. **Apologies for Absence**
2. **Minutes** of the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on 13th May, 2026 (previously circulated) to be confirmed and signed.
3. **Declaration of Interest** in items on the agenda other than standard declaration of interests.
4. **Proposed Dates of Next Meeting(s)**: Parish Council meetings 9th September and 14th October and a meeting on 19th August 630pm to discuss Local Plan.
5. **County Matters** – Update by Cllr Sanderson
6. **Update on behalf of Northumbria Police**
The latest report is attached for your information.
7. **Finance**
 - 7.1 **Authorisation of Payments** – The July 2026 list is attached for members' approval.
 - 7.2 **Budget Monitoring** – Members are supplied with the Accounts and Transactions file including petty cash and bank reconciliation to end of June, 2026.
8. **Routine Items for Review**
 - 8.1 a) **Review of Planning Decisions** – Summary of NCC Planning Portal is attached for consideration

8.1 b) **Review of Planning Applications** - Summary of NCC Planning Portal is attached for consideration

8.1 c) The following applications are to be kept on the Agenda in order to ensure that they are not forgotten:

None at this time.

8.2 **Moor Committee** – Cllr Potts to give a verbal report on the night.

8.3 **The Old Church Wood Working Group** – Cllr Alcock to give a verbal report on the night.

8.4 **Play Areas** –

i. The report supplied by Mr Woods is attached for consideration.

8.5 **Allotments**

- i) Draft tenancy update
- ii) Allotment 13 - Update
- iii) Vacant allotments update

8.6 **Village maintenance - Review:**

- i) CCTV trench work update
- ii) Speed Sign renewal Vs repair

8.7 **Website** www.longhorsley-pc.gov.uk

Members are requested to consider any further items to be included.

8.8 **Longhorsley Tree** – Members are asked to consider articles for the September issue of the Tree.

8.9 **Donation Requests** – None received.

8.10 **Village Hall**

- i) Village Hall Committee – Cllr Parker will give a verbal report on the night.
- ii) Village Hall Freehold - Cllr Boyle will give a verbal report on the night
- iii) Village Hall Rebuild/Repair

9. Items Carried Forward

9.1 **Housing Developments in the Village to include:**

a) **South Road Development** – nothing to report at this time.

9.2 **Neighbourhood Plan** Cllr Parker will give a verbal report on the night.

9.3 **Village Green**

- a) A meeting is in the process of being arranged regarding NCC schemes & Management.
- b) Maintenance to The Common
- c)

9.4 **Welcome Letters** –

10. Other Agenda Items

- 10.1 Review correspondence received from Parishioners since the last meeting.
a) Ongoing issues with dog excrement
b)

10.2 Expansion of the Cemetery entrance off the A697

10.3 Flooding at Whitegates

10.4 Councillor Duties

10.5 Drones

11. Other Items for Information

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12. Any Other Business (arising too late for inclusion on agenda)

Yours faithfully,

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