

HARSTON PARISH COUNCIL
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NOTICE OF A MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL

To Members of the Council:

I hereby give notice that a meeting of Harston Parish Council will be held on **Thursday 2nd July 2026 at**

7.30pm Harston Village Hall, Large Committee Room, 20 High Street, Harston, Cambridge, CB22 7PX

You are hereby summoned to attend for the purpose of considering and resolving upon the business to be transacted at the meeting as set out hereunder:

Members of the public and press are invited to attend.



Rupert Pearce Gould – Chair email rupert@harstonparishcouncil.gov.uk.

Sunday 28 June 2026

Note to Meeting: In the absence of the clerk due to sick leave, we will ask a councillor to take the minutes of the meeting and we will record it as well

26-27/48 Apologies and Reasons for Absence

(LGA 1972 s 85(1))

26-27/49 Members' Declaration of Interest for Items on the Agenda

(Localism Act 2011 s 31 s 33)

26-27/50 Open Forum for Public Participation (15 Minutes)

At the close of this item, members of the public will no longer be permitted to address the Council unless invited to do so by the Chairman

26-27/51 Minutes of Previous Meeting

1. Proposal: That Harston Parish Council herewith agree the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 4th June 2026

26-27/52 To Receive Committee Meeting Minutes

To Receive Minutes of Finance Committee 4th June 2026

26-27/53 County and District Councillors Report

1. County Councillors Report

2. District Councillors Report

26-27/54 Ordinary Meetings and Committee Meetings

To confirm the time and place of ordinary meetings of the Council and Committees up to and including the next annual meeting of the Council (May 2027)

26-27/55 Grant Requests

Proposal to determine: the Grant Request from the PTFA for fireworks night

26-27/56 Net Zero Grant (Deadline 24th July)

Proposal To consider: where the hedge planting may take place and/or appoint a working party to finalise the grant application.

26-27/57 East West Rail

1. Update from EWR Working Group

26-27/58 Harston Parish Council Property Matters

1. Recreation Ground/Play area

- Play area inspection

2. Orchard and Meadow

- **To receive** the report from Property Working Group and **to determine** any changes to ongoing management
- **Proposal:** To formalise insurance cover for the Orchard and any peripheral activities.

3. Pavilion

- **Proposal:** to consider the rate to apply for Pavilion Hire and related services
- **Proposal:** To purchase and install a key lock safe for the pavilion.

26-27/59 Facebook Page

- **Proposal:** To consider and agree actions to take back control of the existing Parish Council Facebook Page and authorise Chair or Vice Chair to agree process with existing administrator.

26-27/60 Working Parties

- **Proposal:** To receive any reports from Working Groups

26-27/61 Clerks Report

Update on security measures for Recreation Car Park

Other - Information only

26-27/62 Reports and items for future agenda

To receive brief reports, updates and items for inclusion on a future agenda. No decisions can be

made under this item

26-27/63 Date of Next Meetings

Date/Time – 6th of Aug 2026 - Finance Committee (7.00pm) Parish Council Meeting (7.30pm)

Location - Large Committee Room, Harston Village Hall, 20 High Str., Harston, Cambridge, CB22 7PX