

BARRINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Parish Council Meeting

- Tuesday 8th Sept 2026 commencing at 7.00PM
- Barrington Village Hall, Barrington, Somerset TA19 0JE

To all members of Barrington Parish Council, you are hereby summoned to attend the above meeting, to resolve on the business as outlined on this agenda¹:

Chair: Jane Harker

Members: Don Bourne, Neil McLean, Peter Oakes, Christine Sheffield, John Sheffield

Julie Ferguson

Julie Ferguson – Barrington Parish Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer

2 September 2026

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OUTSIDE REPORTS FROM REPRESENTATIVES

- [Police Crime Report](#)
- [Somerset Cllr Report](#)

Agenda

26/40 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE (LGA 1972 s85(1)).

To receive any apologies for absence.

26/41 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

Members to declare any interests, including Disclosable Pecuniary Interests they may have in agenda items that accord with the requirements of the Parish Council's Code of Conduct and consider any prior requests from members for Dispensations that accord with Localism Act 2011 s33 (b-e). (NB this does not preclude any later declarations).

To receive any declarations of interest from councillors on items on the agenda.

26/42 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS (LGA 1972 sch12,para41(1)).

To **APPROVE** and sign the minutes of the parish council meeting held on 14th July 2026.

26/43 CO-OPTION.

To **CO-OPT** members to the Parish Council.

26/44 CHAIR'S REPORT.

To hear a report from the Chair:

- a. Article 4 Direction Report

¹ The agenda specifies the business that it is proposed to transact (Local Government Act 1972 Sch. 12 para 10 (2)(b)) and the Council cannot lawfully decide any matter which is not specified in the agenda (Longfield Parish Council v Wright (1918) 88 LJ Ch 119)

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- b. Highways drains
- c. Bonfire report
- d. Village Hall Trustees meeting

26/45 CLERK'S REPORT AND CORRESPONDENCE.

- a. [Levels and Moors LCN correspondence](#)
- b. [SC news and bulletins](#)
- c. [TRO notices \(various\)](#)
- d. Village Hall response to request for bill for water usage at Barrington Allotments.

26/46 ONGOING MATTERS.

To report on any ongoing matters.

26/47 PLANNING MATTERS.

- a. None.

26/48 FINANCE MATTERS.

- a. To **NOTE** receipts.
- b. To **APPROVE** payment schedule (inc. payments for **REPORT**).
- c. To **CONSIDER** a grant request from Barrington Football Club for £300 (Appendix 1).

26/49 ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- a. Village Defibrillators

26/50 REPORTS.

To hear any reports.

26/51 ITEMS FOR THE NEXT AGENDA.

- a. TBC.

26/52 DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING.

Tuesday 6 Oct 2026 at 7.00pm, Barrington Village Hall (Committee Room), Barrington, Somerset TA19 0JE.
All agenda items to be notified to the clerk by Friday 25 Sept 2026.

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APPENDIX 1

COMMUNITY GRANT APPLICATION FORM

Name of the organisation	BARRINGTON FOOTBALL CLUB
Address of website, if available	NA
Bank account details	(as appears on statements) BARRINGTON FOOTBALL CLUB [REDACTED]
Name of person(s) submitting the application	MANDY BLISTER
What is your position in the organisation?	ASSISTANT SECRETARY TREASURER
Contact address, including phone number & email address	[REDACTED]
Geographical area covered (delete as appropriate)	Somerset
Aims, objectives or activities of the organisation	Provide Adult Grass Roots Football
Do you target a specific age range? If so what is it?	Age Range 16-50+
Do you target disabled groups?	NO
How much funding are you applying for?	£300
What is the funding to be used for?	To Assist with Pitch repair / Maintenance following extreme weather *
Please clearly state how the funding you are applying for will benefit residents of Barrington?	Allow Continuation of Provision for local football
Do you currently receive funding from other sources and, if so, from where and how much?	NO
Are you applying to other funding organisations for support and, if yes, who are they?	NO

Please return this form to Julie Ferguson - Parish Clerk

Costs of getting back pitch to original high Standard would be in Excess of £1000.
ie. Reseeding where necessary, Applications of fertiliser, General maintenance work

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