



BEKESBOURNE-WITH-PATRIXBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

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Dear Councillors,

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Parish Council will be held on **Monday 11th May 2026 at 7:30 pm**, at the **Pavillion on Bekesbourne Recreation Ground**, where the business shown on the agenda below will be transacted:

Victoria Ellsley

**Parish Clerk & Responsible Finance Officer to
Bekesbourne with Patricxbourne Parish Council**

1. Election of Chair for the Council Year 2026-2027
2. Declaration of Acceptance of Office – Chair
3. Election of Vice Chair for the Council Year 2026-2027
4. Declaration of Acceptance of Office – Vice Chair
5. Chair Opening Remarks
6. Those Present
7. Apologies for Absence
8. Policy Reviews and Adoption for Council Year 2026-2027
9. Declarations of councillor interests relevant to this agenda
10. To receive and consider written applications for the office of Parish Councillor and to Co-Opt a candidate to fill the vacancies on Bekesbourne with Patricxbourne Parish Council

The meeting is suspended for up to 15 minutes to allow discussion with members of the electorate of the parish of Bekesbourne with Patricxbourne present at the meeting.

11. Public representation (*notified to the clerk in advance of the meeting, agenda items only*)
12. External Reports
 - 12.1 County Councillor Reports
 - 12.2 City Councillor Reports

Parish Council meeting resumes

13. To confirm minutes of the previous meetings (*March 2026*)
14. To report any matters arising (*from the previous meeting not covered elsewhere on the agenda*)
15. Any s101 Delegated Authority items to be noted by council.-
16. Any updates from representatives from external groups (*if any*)
 - 16.1 Recreation Ground Management Committee
 - 16.2 Village Hall Management Committee
 - 16.3 The River Group
 - 16.4 KALC
 - 16.5 A257 Traffic Management Group

- 17. Highways Matters**
 - 17.1** Highways Improvement Plan
 - 17.2** Any new matter to raise
- 18. Finance Matters**
 - 18.1** To note March/April 2026 payment schedule & approve any new payments.
 - 18.2** S106 Funding (update, Recreation ground and Playground)
 - 18.3** To Receive any Grant Applications
- 19. Planning**
 - 19.1** To Receive Updates on previous consultee responses
 - 19.2** To Discuss any new applications
- 20. Allotments**
 - 20.1** Any Updates
 - 20.2** Any new matters to report
- 21. Canterbury District Local Plan**
- 22. Recreation and Pavillion Works**
- 23. Correspondence**
- 24. Council owned Phone Box**
- 25. Kent Devolution and Local Government Reorganisation (*any updates*)**
- 26. Next Meeting Date**

**All Supporting information will be available in an agenda pack, which will be available to members of the public on our website:*

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