

Notice of a Meeting of Dorchester Parish Council

Wednesday 20th August 2025 at 19:30, Back Room Village Hall

All Councillors are summoned to a Meeting of Dorchester Parish Council.

Members of the public and press are invited to attend all council meetings.
(Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960)

Prior to the start of the meeting; Questions and comments from members of the public (limited to 15 minutes in total) This provides an opportunity for members of the public (who are not usually permitted to speak during the meeting except by special invitation of the Chairman) to participate before the start of the meeting. Members of the public may make only one address to the council of no more than five minutes' duration and only concerning topics on the agenda. No decision can be taken during this session, but the Chairman may decide to refer any matters raised for further consideration.

AGENDA

- 1. Receive & Approve Apologies for Absence.** *(LGA 1972 s85(1)).*
- 2. To receive Declarations of interests for Items on this Agenda** including disposable pecuniary interests. *(LA 2011 s31).*
- 3. To Approve Minutes of the previous Council Meeting 16th July 2025** *(LA 1972 Sch 12. Para 41(1))*
- 4. Progress Updates & Matters Arising** from those minutes not elsewhere on the Agenda. (note proposals for decisions to be made will be included on a future Agenda.)
Action list.
- 5. River of Life Project** – Presentation from Rachel Carnegie Dorchester Abbey.
- 6. Meeting with OCC Officers 8th Sept.** - review & agree matters to be raised.
- 7. D2030** – proposals, for decisions, updates and review.
- 8. Orientation Boards** – update progress, review logo.
- 9. Cricket Club** – review request for 20ft storage unit on the Recreation Ground.
- 10. Finance - Payments & Receipts - To review and Approve Payments** to be processed or already made between meetings, To Note receipts.
- 10.1 To note and sign Bank Reconciliation.**
- 10.2 To consider any Quotations for works or renewal of services. To consider any Grant requests.**

Quotation for Pavilion Shutters Annual Service.

11. Planning – To consider applications received by SODC and any other applications submitted & published by SODC between circulation of this Agenda & the meeting.

12. Staff Committee – update on scale increases, Clerk salary.

13. Items for Information & Next Agenda. Matters discussed or to note. (note proposals for decisions to be made will be included on a future Agenda.)

Information - Cemetery Ground update future planning of new area.

14. Confirm Date/time of next Council meeting: 17th September Parish Council Meeting 7.30pm, Back Room Village Hall.

Parish Clerk 13/8/2025

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J Welham', written in a cursive style.