



Dymchurch Parish Council Meeting Agenda

Members of Dymchurch Parish Council are summoned to a meeting of the Parish Council to be held at 7 pm on Monday, 3rd November 2025, at the Parish Council Offices, Orgarswick Avenue, Dymchurch.

Dymchurch Parish Council are pleased to welcome the Leader of Folkestone and Hythe District Council, Cllr. Jim Martin to update the Parish Council and the public on local issues and Local Government Reorganisation

A G E N D A

1. APOLOGIES

Members are reminded to tender apologies for the reason for absence directly to the Clerk if they are unable to attend. Members will confirm acceptance of the reasons for absence.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

- a. To disclose any personal interests in items on the agenda and their nature.**
- b. To declare any prejudicial interests in items on the agenda – any councillors with prejudicial interests must leave the room for those relevant items.**

3. Minutes of the previous meeting

Minutes of the meeting held on Monday, 6th October 2025, to be agreed upon by the members present.

4. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION/PUBLIC QUESTIONS

Members may propose to adjourn the meeting to enable Public Participation. Standing Orders permit members of the public to speak at Council meetings. The allocated time for Public Participation is 15 minutes, with each individual allowed up to 3 minutes, at the discretion of the chair. At the conclusion of the Public Participation segment, the Council meeting will resume.

5. TO DEAL WITH MATTERS ARISING FROM CORRESPONDENCE IN CIRCULATION

6. CHAIR'S REPORT

The Chair will provide an update on any additional Council activities and meetings attended.

7. Reports from external bodies

- i. Kent County Council- Cllr Osborne
- ii. District Council- Cllrs Tony Cooper and Tony Hills
- iii. KCC Warden- Carol Coveney
- iv. Kent Police- PC's Putland and Hockless

8. CLERK'S REPORT

9. MEMBER REPORTS

Members will update the Committee regarding any meetings or events they attend on behalf of the Parish Council that are not included in the agenda.

10. NEW ROMNEY DIAGNOSTIC CENTRE

Members will consider the proposal for a diagnostic centre at New Romney raised by Cllr. John Rivers from New Romney.

11. RECREATION GROUND ENTRANCE

Members will consider options for safe pedestrian access to the recreation ground.

12. RECREATION GROUND MAINTENANCE AND SAFETY CONCERNS

Members will consider proposed work for the boundaries and trees within the recreation ground.

13. PLANNING

No Planning applications received.

14. FINANCE

a. Breakdown of expenditure/income since the last meeting.

b. Authorisation of Payments – Members will review the list of invoices for payment and identify two Councillors to authorise the payments online.

c. Additional items requiring authorisation:

To consider approval for freezer repairs or the purchase of a new freezer for the kiosk.

15. PAVILION UPDATE- FRIENDS OF DYMCURCH RECREATION GROUND CHARITY

To receive an update on progress, if available

16. HIGHWAYS SAFETY UPDATE- CLLR. V. McCREEDY

To receive an update and any proposals relating to Highways Safety

17. SEAWATER BATHING QUALITY- CLLR. D. YOUNG

To receive updates and any proposals related to Seawater Bathing Quality, the latest Seawater testing results will be provided at the meeting.

Members will also review the results of the Business Survey, which aims to investigate whether the water quality classification has impacted local businesses.

18. FLOODING CONCERNS – CLLR. L. FINCH

To receive an update and any proposals relating to this subject, including Parish Council's response to the Section 19 Flood report

19. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION AT FUTURE MEETINGS- PLEASE NOTE DECISIONS CANNOT BE MADE ON ITEMS INTRODUCED HERE

20. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

1st December 2025 Dymchurch Parish Council Offices Orgarswick Avenue Dymchurch

**Please note the cut-off date for items to be included on next month's agenda is
Monday 24th November 2025.**

J Lawrence

Parish Clerk

28th October 2025