

STOKE HOLY CROSS PARISH COUNCIL

A Meeting will be held at **The Community Hall** on **Thursday 1st October 2026 at 7.30pm.**

All Councillors are summoned to attend.

The press and public are welcome and are able to address the Council during the public participation section. However, the law does not permit members of the press and public to take part in debates.

AGENDA

1. To consider approving any apologies for absence.
2. To receive any declarations of interest, and dispensation requests, on items to be discussed.
3. To suspend the meeting for questions from members of the public and to receive any reports from District and County Councillor(s). (*Maximum 15 minutes.*)
4. To approve and sign the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 3rd September 2026.
5. Finance:
 - 5.1 To approve the bank reconciliation and Payment of Accounts List.
 - 5.2 To note the External Auditor's report 2025/26.
 - 5.3 To confirm a working group meeting to begin discussing the 2027/28 budget.
6. To receive any updates from the Community Hall Working Group.
 - 6.1 To consider the proposal to site an 'InPost' locker at the hall.
 - 6.2 To discuss any quote(s) for replacement taps/toilet flushes at the hall.
7. To receive an update from the Planning Committee re: the Planning Application(s) listed below, and any received after this agenda is posted.
2026/2349 – 136 Norwich Road, Stoke Holy Cross: Proposed two storey pitched roof rear extension, single storey flat roof side extension & new pitched roof to existing flat roof side extension. Various internal alterations and two bay pitched roof cart lodge.
8. To adopt the 2026 Allotment Rules, Equality Policy, IT Policy and Health & Safety Risk Assessment.
9. To receive any updates in relation to the Community Speed Watch Scheme.
10. To receive any updates from the Wildflower Meadow and Playing Field Working Groups.
 - 10.1 To discuss the proposed replacement allotments gate.
 - 10.2 To report on progress in relation to the SUFC football pitch hire contract.
11. To receive a report on any matters of interest to the parish from the 28th September SSG meeting.
12. To co-opt a Parish Councillor.
13. To note the date of the next Parish Council meeting as Thursday 19th November 2026.