

COOKHAM PARISH COUNCIL

The Council Offices, High Road, Cookham Rise, SL6 9JF

Cllr. B. Perry (Chairman), Cllrs. C. Aisladie, L. Austin, N. Bedwell, C. Blackall, M. Brar, T. Caen, J. Edwards, C. Franke, M. Howard, M-L. Kellaway, R. Kellaway, H. Neale, A-L. Regan and L. Tull.

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of **Cookham Parish Council** on **Tuesday, 4th August 2026 commencing at 7.30pm**. This will be held in the Community Room at Cookham Library.

OPEN FORUM

Members of the public will be invited to speak on Council matters for approximately 15 minutes before the meeting begins.

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Dated: 30th July 2026

Clerk to the Council

A G E N D A

1. Apologies for Absence.
2. Declarations of Interest.
3. To approve minutes from Council Meeting on 7th July 2026. *
4. COMMITTEE REPORTS – To note the minutes of the following meetings:
 - i. Planning Committee – 14th July 2026. *
5. FINANCE:
 - i. To approve payments/receipts in June 2026. *
 - ii. To ratify the cost of £1,745+VAT payment to Manorcott for drafting contract for the devolution of services. *
6. To consider the need to add names to the War Memorial(s) and to delegate to Cllrs Perry and Regan, with the Clerk, powers to decide what names require addition to which Memorial and to commission works to the Memorial(s) before Remembrance Day 2026 accordingly, with spending authority up to £1,500 + VAT accordingly to be funded from General Funds.
7. To consider and approve the creation of new project/line-item with allocation of £10,000 within the 2026/27 budget to cover the hitherto unforeseen expense relating to the emerging new Borough Local.
8. To consider purchase of Spring bulbs and to decide on possible areas to plant these spring bulbs.
9. To consider a possible upgrade to public footpath 22 (Cricket Club to Jolly Farmer).
10. To receive an update on the Devolution of Services Contract with RBWM.
11. To receive an update concerning the progress on the licence agreement with Cookham Dean Football Club and to approve a new licence agreement in the terms sent to the Club on 21st July 2026.

12. To receive an oral report from the Planning Working Party and to resolve to implement its recommendations including the spending on Troy's comments on BLP scoping consultation at a cost of up to £2,500 (+ VAT) and preparing a leaflet to residents about the BLP scoping consultation at a cost of £1,500 (+ VAT) (as well as printing and distribution already agreed), as notified by email from the Chairman, noting that if both commissions are instructed together the leaflet cost will reduce to £500 (+VAT) both to be paid from the line item created at item 7 of this agenda, if so created, or in lieu from General Funds.
13. To receive an oral update regarding the Project to extend the cemetery and improve the chapel.
14. To decide whether to make a planning application for the erection of Welcome boards at AMRG.
15. To receive an update from the Local Access Forum.
16. To receive an oral report on a potential claim in connection with an accident on a footpath.
17. To receive any update on the following CPC Planning Enforcement requests to the RBWM, and any other planning enforcement matters, and to consider any further next steps. *
18. Outside Bodies' and Borough Councillors' reports.
19. To review the Council Action list. *
20. Any other business (by permission of the Chairman and upon which no decisions may be made).

Next meeting Tuesday 1st September 2026 at 7.30pm in the Community Room at Cookham Library.