



STANTON PARISH COUNCIL

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Chair – Keith Marlow

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE NEXT MEETING OF THE PARISH COUNCIL WILL BE HELD ON

THURSDAY 13 AUGUST 2026 at 7pm at Stanton Village Hall

The public are invited to attend.

AGENDA

1. **Roll Call and Apologies:** To receive and consider acceptance of apologies for absence.
2. **To consider and approve minutes of previous meeting:** 14 May + 9 July 2026 (attached).
3. **Public Forum:** The public are invited to address the Council. The period of time designated for public participation at a meeting shall not exceed 15 minutes (unless directed by the chairman of the meeting). A member of the public shall not speak for more than 5 minutes.
4. **Co-option of Councillors (attached)** - to consider applications for co-option to the role of councillor from Bev Shave.
5. **Reports from:**
 - a. District Councillor Jim Thorndyke
 - b. Suffolk County Councillor Harry Richardson
6. **Clerk's Report** (attached)
7. **Declarations of Interest:** To declare any interest in remaining items on the agenda.
8. **Statutory Business/Governance:**
 - a. **Accounts (attached):**
 - i. to receive Finance Report as at 31st July 2026
 - ii. to approve payments as scheduled (Chairman to sign).
9. **Planning application:**
 - a. **DC/26/0940/FUL – Haulage Depot, Bury Road**
 - i. Conversion of existing garage to office space.
 - ii. Installation of electric vehicle charger to front of garage.

iii. Single story side extension to existing garage.

[DC/26/0940/FUL | Planning application - a. conversion of existing garage to office space b. installation of electric vehicle charger to front of garage c. single storey side extension to existing garage | Haulage Depot Bury Road Stanton Suffolk IP31 2BZ](#)

b. DC/26/1197/PIP

i. Permission in principle - nine self-build homes and vehicle accesses

<https://planning.westsuffolk.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=summary&keyVal=TJCCASPD03E00>

10. Matters for noting and resolution:

a. Play Area Inspection Reports for July 2025 (attached)

Cllrs Marlow/
Meadwell

i. Pocket Park

ii. Skate Park

iii. Village Hall

b. Village Maintenance List (attached)

Parish Clerk

To review Maintenance List and agree actions to be taken (Highways and Recreation Ground)

c. The Grundle (attached)

Cllr Foulds

To discuss a written report following an inspection of The Grundle (deferred from Parish Council meeting on 14 May).

d. Firework Display (attached)

Cllr Marlow

To receive an update and approve the proposed costs

e. Book Exchange

Cllr Marlow

To receive an update

f. Signage for Old School Park

Cllr Marlow

To consider proposals for signage and agree any necessary action

g. November Budget Meeting

Cllr Marlow

To agree the date and arrangements for the November budget meeting.

h. Electrical Quote (attached)

Cllr Meadwell

To consider the quotation and approve expenditure

i. Internment of Ashes Application

Parish Clerk

To consider and approve an application for the internment of ashes.

j. Village Show – Parish Council Awards and 2027 show

Cllr Foulds

To receive an update on the Parish Council awards and discuss arrangements for the 2027 show.

K. Coop lighting

Cllr Thorndyke

Update on progress

l. A143 and bus provision

Cllr Richardson

Update on progress

m. Application for the Amendment to Headstone

Parish Clerk

To consider and approve the application for an amendment to an existing headstone

11. Correspondence received:

a. The CCP – Technical meeting - proposals for Shepherds Grove

b. All Saints Parochial Church Council – Moving of notice board

12. Matters for discussion:

To consider any questions to the Chairman and whether items should be added to future agendas.

a. Planters and Street Vegetation

To discuss the provision and maintenance of planters and other vegetation along the street and agree any actions required.

b. Proposal of a Cricket Net

To consider the proposal for a cricket net and agree any necessary action.

c. Recycling Glass

To discuss issues relating to glass recycling and agree any necessary action.

13. Date of next meetings.

To confirm the next scheduled Parish Council meeting on **Thursday 10 September 2026 at 7pm**

Signed: *Sophie Bond*

Clerk to Stanton Parish Council

Date: 04/08/2026