

Farrington Gurney Parish Council

Agenda for 18th April 2016

To: The Chairman and Members of the Farrington Gurney Parish Council.
(Copy to: Cllr L. Kew, Chew Valley Gazette, Journal and the Police)

You are hereby summoned to attend the Farrington Gurney Parish Council Meeting to be held on **Monday 18th April 2016** in the **Memorial Hall immediately following the Annual Parish Meeting**

The business to be dealt with is set out in the Agenda.

"Members are reminded that the Council has a general duty to consider the following matters in the exercise of any of its functions. Equal Opportunities (race, gender, sexual orientation, marital status and any disability) Crime & Disorder, Health & Safety, Human Rights and Biodiversity."

1. To receive any apologies for absence.

2. Police

3. Public

4. Public participation

5. Declaration of Interest

6. Minutes of the Meeting of the Parish Council held on the 21st March 2016

7. Matters arising

Commemorative Medal for HM Queens 90th Birthday - ordered
Signflex (Frome Signs) for Allotment and Playground – sign ordered and delivery awaited
Invitation from Cllr Gilchrist – event 20th April. Cllrs Davis, Hedges and McLennan attending

8. Correspondence requiring a decision, action or for special note

Continued membership of CPRE Campaign to Protect Rural England £36 donation pa

9. Correspondence for information only (available to view before or after meeting)

Council Matters
Countryside voice
Clerks and Council Direct

10. New business (Items presented to Clerk for inclusion on Agenda)

Clerk and Cllr Training from BaNES – following on from email 7th April. Expressions of interest?

11. Planning

Current Applications:
16/01179/LBA & 16/01178/FUL The Manor House – new and for PC review and comment
16/00889/HPD 15 Manor Close – Circulated and No comment response submitted

Applications dealt with by BANES: None

Other Planning Items:

Planning Changes Document – Housing and Planning Bill going through the House of Lords with some controversy. Focuses on Starter Homes, Right to Buy and some changes to Planning including duty of LA to compile a Register of Brownfield Sites and automatic planning permission in principle on brownfield sites. Cllr McLennan / Hedges reviewing.

West of England Joint Strategic Plan (JSP) – workshop 16th April

The JSP will identify major new developments for housing, employment linked to transport infrastructure over the period 2016-2036. The JSP will inform the review of the B&NES Core Strategy that will in turn allocate specific sites within the authority's area.

12. Reports

District Councillor

Liaison Meeting- Parish Liaison 11th May Keynsham Community Space. Topics to be discussed include Highway Plans for A37 with presentation from Kelvin Packer / Stefan Chiffers

Footpaths- PO issued to BaNES for payment

Memorial Hall & Playing Field

Play Area & BMX Track -

Allotments – Allotment Association 20/4/16 MSN 7.00PM – Clerk attending

School Governor – project funding opportunities

ALCA – Update from Clerk/ ALCA Cllr Representative

Highways –

Parish Plans

Web Site- update

Telephone Box & Bus Shelter

Church Yard

13. Financial Matters

Balances - Current account @30th March 16 £12678.56

Cheques for Payment –Shiny and Bright, SSE, EON, GB Sport (Playground inspection) Hall Hire, CPRE membership

Account signatories – Cllr Jeffery to be added

Clerk preparing annual 15-16 accounts

VAT submitted

14. Other Reports (Includes Items for inclusion on agenda for next meeting)

Review of Village Traffic Calming

15. Dates of the next meetings

16th May 2016

20th June 2016

18th July 2016