



Notice is hereby given that the next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on:

Day/Date **Wednesday 1 September 2021**
Time: **7.00p.m.**
Venue: **Gainford Village Hall**

Councillors are summoned to attend

Signed: *Martin Clark*
Parish Clerk

Public Participation 7.00 - 7.15pm

15-minute discussion period for members of the public to raise questions from items on the agenda.

AGENDA

1. Acceptance, or otherwise of apologies

None to date

2. Declarations of Interest:

Members are asked to consider whether they might have a personal or a pecuniary interest in any matter included on the agenda for this meeting. If so, it is requested that any such interest be declared now. If subsequently during the consideration of any matter, it becomes apparent to any member that he/she does, indeed, have an interest, it should then be declared immediately.

Minutes

3. Minutes of the ordinary meeting held on 21 July 2021

To approve the minutes of the council meeting held on the 21 July 2021

4. Gainford Hall

Mr Duncan Peake will advise the council on the progress on the restoration of Gainford Hall

5. Finance

5.1 September meeting reconciliation and payments

5.2 Gainford Recreational Ground: Rent review

6. Allotments (St Peter's)

Cllr's Kennan & Buckley will give a verbal report on their recent allotment inspection and discussions with tenants.

7. Local Maintenance/Village Issues

7.1 Information board at the Spa – damaged and in need of replacement

7.2 Oak tree on island – referred too as requiring inspection due to concerns over its health. Permission is required to employ a tree surgeon to inspect.

7.3 Speeding in village

8. Correspondence

Submitted – Details of correspondence received

Correspondence in month – August 2021

CDALC	Area representation on TAP
CDALC	General update
Healthwatch County Durham	Children and young person's mental health
DCC notice	Recovery grant supporting business
NALC	Online events
CDALC	Planning Training event
NALC	Rural Housing
Victim Support	Appeal
Resident	Concern over tree status on island
TAP	Bulb planting

9. Planning

No planning applications received for comment.

10. Youth Summer Sports

Cllr Hannan will give a short verbal report on the outcomes from the summer sports sessions.

11. Raby Stakeholder Meetings

A verbal update will be given on any recent stakeholder group meetings.

12. Statement of Community Engagement

Item deferred from July.

*Members of the public should contact the Clerk if they have any matters to be raised within the public participation period that relate to the business to be conducted on this agenda.

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