

Barbon Parish Council

Dear Councillors,

You are summoned to attend a meeting of **Barbon Parish Council**
to be held on Thursday 30th July 2026 at 7pm at Barbon Village Hall.

Yours sincerely,

Kevin M Price. Parish Clerk

AGENDA:

1. **Apologies** – to receive apologies from Councillors unable to be present at this meeting.
2. **Public participation** – to hear questions of comments from members of the public present, which may become agenda items for a future meeting.
3. **Requests for Dispensations** - The Clerk to report any requests received since the previous meeting for dispensations to speak and/or vote on any matter where a member has a disclosable pecuniary interest.
4. **Declarations of interest** - To receive declarations by elected and co-opted members of interests in respect of items on this agenda.
5. **Minutes of the last meeting** - to authorise the Chairman to sign, as a true record, the minutes of the meeting held on 14th May 2026 (circulated).
6. **Reports from Westmorland and Furness Councillors (if present)**

7. Finance:

a. To pay any outstanding accounts, including:

Barbon Village Hall		
	£16.00	Hire of hall
William H Hartley		
	£48.00	Maintenance
K M Price	£148.51	Quarterly expenses, including use of home office and travel

- b.** To receive a report from the Internal Auditor.
- c.** To note the cash and budget statements (attached)
- d.** To agree the frequency and extent of grasscutting.

8. **'Assertion 10 – Digital & Data Compliance'** – to receive an update, and to discuss further who will be updating the new website with agendas/minutes etc.
9. **Planning** - at present there are no planning matters.
10. **Dog fouling** – to consider how to address this continuing problem.
11. **Parish Plan/Resilience Plan** – to receive an update
12. **Waste bin** – to receive an update on a second bin to be sited on the edge of the Village Hall entrance.
13. **Litter management:**
 - a. To consider arranging a litter-pick as discussed at the last meeting.
 - b. To note the litter situation at Hodge Bridge and agree action.
14. **Location of post box** – to consider the proposed move of the post box to the Village Hall.
15. **Appearance of village** – to consider the provision of planters and flowers to enhance the village.
16. **Correspondence** - Clerk to report on other correspondence received.
Including:
 - a. Barbon Inn car park and the 'pitch up' scheme.
 - b. West Lune Solar Farm proposal - KL District - Community Action Group
17. **Date and place of the next meeting:**

Wednesday 2nd September 2026 at 7pm at Barbon Village Hall.

Kevin M Price. Barbon Parish Clerk. 23rd July 2026

Please note that these meetings are open to the public who are most welcome to attend.

They may make comments or raise items of concern only under item 3 of the Annual Parish Meeting. The length of time a member of the public can spend in raising a matter during public participation sessions is restricted to 3 minutes and a member of the public may raise a maximum of two matters during this session. (Both of these restrictions to be relaxed at the discretion of the Chairman of the meeting).

A member of the public may only speak at other times during the meeting if invited to do so by the Chairman.

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