

HAWKSHEAD PARISH COUNCIL

The next meeting of Hawkshead Parish Council will take place on Tuesday 18th March 2025 at 7.30 pm in the Lower Market Hall, Hawkshead for the purpose of transacting the business outlined in the Agenda below.

Yours sincerely

Tracey
Tracey Thornley
Clerk to Hawkshead Parish Council

11th March 2025

AGENDA

- 1. Apologies**
To receive apologies for absence
- 2. 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.
- 3. Declaration of Interest**
To receive declarations by elected and co-opted members of disclosable pecuniary interests in respect of items on this agenda
- 4. Minutes**
To authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes of the Hawkshead Parish Council meeting held on 18th February 2025.
- 5. Public Participation**
 - 5.1 To receive reports from
 - Police
 - Westmorland and Furness Councillor
 - National Trust
 - 5.2 To receive comments and representations from members of the public in relation to any item on the Agenda
- 6. Update on Ongoing Issues and Actions from Last Meeting**
 - 6.1 To update on response snow plough and gritters
 - 6.2 To update on purchase of planters to be placed under new welcome signs
 - 6.3 To update on parking spaces being changed to disc parking E1/221629 E1/238799
 - 6.4 To update on the cracked water trough on Roger Ground E1/221633 E1/238786
 - 6.5 To update on request for a streetlight near Springwood – E1/234875
 - 6.6 To update on Cumbria Action – local housing project
 - 6.7 To update on query regarding new permit scheme 1 permit to be shared between 2 vehicles E1/233215 E1/238794
 - 6.8 To update on request for a litter bin along the by-pass E1/234872
 - 6.9 To update on ownership of Main Street Car Park
- 7. Highways**
 - 7.1 To note Highways issues in the Parish
 - 7.2 To update on the drains blocked on the North Lonsdale Road E1/79317 and now all local drains need clearing E1/177362 E1/215114 E1/227471
 - 7.3 To update on hole developing on the road edge near Lakes Lodges E1/110351, E1/133268 E1/143069 E1/227478 E1/238790

- 7.4 To update on loose slab/slate by Tigers Eye E1/177640 EI/227470
- 7.5 To update on loose slabs/slates outside Queens and Chemist E1/177643 E1/201282 EI/227470
- 7.6 To update on potholes in the Outgate area E1/226058 EI/227480 E1/240324, E1/240337, E1/240339, E1/240340
- 7.7 To update on road edge as you head down the hill by the fishery EI/227474 E1/233204 EI/238776
- 7.8 To update on large pothole on the middle of the road at the bottom of the lake on the way to Sawrey E1/233208 E1/238788
- 7.9 To update on blocked culverts Vicarage Lane E1/238782
- 7.10 To update on blocked gully at Hawksgarth E1/238785
- 7.11 To update on bowing wall on the highway near Keen Ground E1/238773

8. Finance & Governance Issues

- 8.1 To authorise payment of the following accounts:-

Clerk wages	£ 529.35
Lengthsman	£ 189.00
- 8.2 To acknowledge payment made prior to the meeting:

Clerk reimbursement of purchase of planters	£ 925.63
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9. Planning

- 9.1 To consider planning applications and formulate comments to the planning Authority:-
 - 7/2024/5178 – Land at Bragg Field, Hawkshead, LA22 0QW - Proposed local convenience store and petrol filling station with revised access form Bragg Field Car Park and a new access from North Lonsdale Road (B5285) including forecourt canopy, roof-mounted PV panels, underground fuel tanks, ATM, EV charging bays, staff and customer parking and associated landscaping, infrastructure, lighting, signage, footpaths and circulatory roads.
 - 7/2025/5097 and 7/2025/5098 (listed building consent) – Walker Ground Cottage, Vicarage Lane, Hawkshead, Ambleside, LA22 OPD – Erection of a lean-to glasshouse.

10. Lengthsman

To receive an update

11. Destination Hawkshead

To receive an update

12. Clerk Vacancy

To arrange advertisement, job description, consider parking permit administration

13. SID Posts

To decide next steps for putting the posts in place

14. Councillor Matters

An opportunity for Councillors to raise issues on behalf of residents. *Note: no decisions can be made on these matters but they may be placed on a future agenda of the Council*

15. Correspondence (for information only)

To note the following e-mails received since last meeting
 Rural Network – RSN Newsletter; Rural Bulletin 18/2/25; Rural Bulletin 25/2/25; Rural Bulletin 4/3/25; RSN Rural Funding Digest – March 2025; Rural Bulletin 11/3/25
 Westmorland & Furness Council – Thousands helping shape future waste and recycling services; 20mph speed limits get the seal of approval from communities; Still time to have your say on the future of electric vehicle infrastructure; TRO C5020 Outgate 27/2/25; Stakeholder Briefing; Mallard preparing to return to service on Saturday 15th February; Parishes – any name changes; Electoral Review of Westmorland and Furness Council; TPTO Footpaths and Bridleways in Grizedale,

Whinlatter and Wythop Woods during Malcolm Wilson Rally; Nominations open for Kendal and Penrith Town Council by-elections; Information on septic tank management and water; Upgraded playground officially opened; Proposal to explore harmonising Parish and Town Council elections in Westmorland and Furness approved; W&FC protects frontline services in tough financial times; Weight restriction to increase on Kendal bridges; The ferry is now running as planned; Council apologises for Walney traffic disruption; 97% of pupils secure place at first choice secondary school; Ukrainian evacuees in Westmorland and Furness reflect as the war enters its third year; 2 businesses in Barrow and Ulverston fail Trading Standards “vape” operation; Community Governance Review Briefing; Windermere Ferry temporary closure; Connecting Cumbria Newsletter February 2025; Electoral Review of W&F – second consultation now open; W&F ward boundary review – draft recommendations; W&FC praised for impressive improvement in latest inspection results; Special monthly markets return to Barrow town centre; Spring into climate action- read our latest green news and tips; List 07 3/3/25; Advice and support published following recent incident in South Cumbria; Devolution Consultation materials to share; Community based projects get cash boost in South Lakeland; Last chance to apply for council apprenticeships; Revised bus timetables on service 505 Ambleside to Coniston and service 516 Ambleside to Dungeon Ghyll; £1 million set to boost active journeys across Westmorland and Furness;

Coniston Cllr – Query regarding visitor numbers and Christmas Fair

Coniston PC – Agenda and Minutes

NALC – Chief Executives bulletin 13/2/25; Events newsletter 18/2; Chief Executives bulletin 20/2/25; Chief Executives bulletin 27/2/25; Chief Executives bulletin 6/3/25; Events newsletter; CALC – WAF community tree and hedgerow planting grant scheme; EV Charging infrastructure – have your say; Devolution update – Government consultation now live; Letter from LDNPA to Town and Parish Councils; LSE/NALC emergency planning survey – request to complete/promote; Community Emergency Planning Workshops; Training Bulletin 26/2/25; 3 new March online workshops – spreadsheets, marketing & storytelling; Cumbria Constabulary Neighbourhood Policing pledge; Cumbria in Bloom – A brand new Parish Councils Award 2025; Training Bulletin 5/3/25; Community Governance Review briefing; A Nature for health approach – 24/4/25; Funding for Community Emergency Planning Groups; Community Governance Review – Consultation Site; Keep Britain Tidy – This years Great British Spring Clean

Cllr Pender – Delay Due to unforeseen technical issue; New road closures; Brathay Bridge Roadworks; Grass cutting Hawksgarth; Improvements in Coniston Waste Water Treatment Plant; Drop in surgeries; Windermere Marathon; Highways and Traffic Working Group – March 5th; Event Management; Lama Lodge planning;

Claife PC – Agenda

Wheelbase – Wheelbase Fred Whitton Challenge Event – notification of road closure – Sunday 11 May 2025;

Cleanstreets – Litterbin Assessment

The Great Run Company – Windermere Marathon 2025

Cllr Mccracken, Coniston PC – meeting to discuss the waymark walks

Cumbria Tourism – Cumbria Tourism February research update and invitation to tracker survey; South Lakeland Area Support – February 2025

Member of the public – Motorhome parking

Member of the public – Re planning application 7/2024/5684 – Lama Lodge

PSCO Ross – Cumbria PFCC Surgery

NT – March Newsletter updates

LDNPA – broken bench in the village

Cumbria Police – February 2025 – Lakes and Lakes Rural; Ulverston, Low Furness, High Furness & Grange;

Cumbria Tourism – Destination Hawkshead meeting – 25/3/25 10-11.30 am

- 16. Date of Next Meeting** To confirm the next meeting will be on Tuesday 15th April 2025 at 7.30 pm in Lower Market Hall, Hawkshead