Dear Councillor

There is to be a Parish Council Meeting to be held at Otley Village Hall (Back Room) on Monday 21st July 2025 at 7.30pm to which your presence is requested and required.

Public Attendance - Members of the Public are welcome to attend.

AGENDA

- 1.) Chairman's Welcome, Apologise and Approval of Absences
- 2.) To receive Declarations of Interest and Consider requests for Dispensations.
- 3.) Public Forum (For any matters on the Agenda)
- 4.) To resolve that the minutes of the Annual Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 19th May 2025 are a true and correct record.
- 5.) To receive reports from Elaine Bryce County Councillor & District Councillor Dan Clery.

6.) MATTERS ARISING – To receive progress on the following -

- a.) Neighbourhood Plan / Referendum -
- b.) Sport and Play Fund -
- c.) Village Hall Roof -
- d.) Grit Bin on Otley Hill -
- e). Deer Signs -
- f.) 30MPH Otley Bottoms -
- g.) Village Map -

7. OTHER MATTERS -

- a.) Replacement Parish Clerk -
- b.) Westerfield Quarry -

8.) Finance – To Authorise BACS payments, acknowledge any receipts received and payment made since last meeting.

- a) To agree Clerks Salary for May & June 2025 = 26.5 hours at agreed rate = £344.50
- b) To agree cost of internal Audit via SALC = £338.40

Since the last meeting the following payments have been made

Clerks Salary for March & April 2025 = £416

Cost of ink jet cartridges and 1 ream of paper = £ 89.38

Cost of Annual SALC Membership Subscription for 2025/26 = £348.84

Cost of Hire of Otley Bowls Club for APM and AGM meetings = £30.00

Cost of Hire of Village Hall from November 2024 to March 2025 = £67.50

Cost of yearly cost of mobile phone for Community First Response = £250

Other Payment made -

Cost of email system for Councillor JE = £12.00

Sweets purchased for Stall at Village Fete = £9.00

Dates for period of exercise of public rights 30th June to 8th August 2025 has been advertise on Parish Council Website.

Documents for the External Audit were sent to PKF Little John on 3rd June 2025.

To be advised at this meeting of Bank Balances for the Parish Council Accounts

9.) Planning Matters -

DC/24/4253/FUL

Address: Otley College Of Agriculture And Horticulture Charity Lane Otley Suffolk

Proposal: HGV training facility for Otley College for HGV's up to 18.75m. The Parish Council have Objected to this application. **Awaiting Decision.** Councillors request Clerk check if this application has gone to Planning Committee.

DC/25/1478/ARM Approval of Reserved Matters of DC/23/2323/OUT

Address: Browngates Ashbocking Road Swilland Ipswich Suffolk IP6 9LJ

Proposal: Outline Application (with some Matters Reserved)- Construction of 3 Bungalows and Garages on land to the south and west of Browngates- Condition 2, 4, 5, 7 10, 11, 12, 13, 15. The Parish Council submitted a No Objection to this application. **Awaiting Decision**

Felix Thornley Cobbold Trust - Stanaway Farm, Charity Lane, Otley – To discuss - Following initial pre-application feedback from East Suffolk Council, considering submission of a planning application for small-scale employment use at Stanaway Farm. Site plan which is a preliminary version only and not publicly available. This plan was sent round prior to this meeting.

10.)HIGHWAYS MATTERS

Request to extend 30MPH Speed limit from Otley Bottoms into the village from the Cattery going out of Village to beyond the junction.

- 11.) RIGHTS OF WAY / FOOTPATHS -
- 12.) SPEED WATCH & SID RESULTS -
- 13.) COMMUNITY COUNCIL REPORT -
- 14.) COUNCILLORS REPORTS & ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS

Date of next meeting Monday 15th September 2025 Otley Village Hall Back Room.