

TAWSTOCK PARISH COUNCIL

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A meeting of the Parks and Open Space Committee of Tawstock Parish Council will be held in the small room at the Methodist Church, Rhododendron Avenue, Sticklepath, Barnstaple on Tuesday 14th October 2025 at 6.30 p.m.

Councillors Bowden (Chair)

Councillors Bates, Jenkins, Knight, Lofthouse and Needham

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence
2. To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 26th June 2025.
3. Items brought forward at the discretion of the Chair as a matter of urgency.
4. Grounds Maintenance Area – Inspections.
 - a) Pursuant to the last meeting Councillor Needham to report frequency of Inspections undertaken by Fremington PC.
 - b) To evaluate ad-hoc work/maintenance undertaken and the possible inclusion in the contract and consider Part time Handyperson options. Clerk to report
5. **Tower View Recreation Area**
 - a) Provision of Solar powered lights. Pursuant to the last meeting Councillor Knight to report advice from NDC Parks Officer.
 - b) Grant funding from the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) to support crime prevention initiatives and tackle antisocial behaviour. Councillor Needham to report.
 - c) Publication of information/pictures of the ongoing work in Tower View on the Park Noticeboard. To consider wording.
 - d) RoSPA Annual Inspection Issues.
 - i) Provision of a new goal net and posts.
 - ii) Worn area in the goal mouth. To consider quote from Lewis Evely
 - e) Additional Play Equipment. Councillor Lofthouse to report
 - f) Tree/hedge planting. Councillor Lofthouse to report
 - g) Replacement of dead trees Eastern end. Councillor Lofthouse to report
6. **Tudor Park.**
 - a) New Noticeboard. To consider the suitability of the surplus noticeboards from Barnstaple Town Council. Councillor Lofthouse to report re sizes and keys.
 - b) Update on inspections and discussions with the blind lady resident about her fence. Councillor Needham to report.
7. Provision of White information signs indicating the location of the two parks. Pursuant to the last meeting Councillor Knight to report advice from DCC Councillor Leaver.
8. Tawstock Cemetery
 - a) Location of new noticeboard. Councillor Knight to report

- b) Cutting of large Hedge. Councillor Knight to report
- 9. Holywell – Provision of Shrubs. Clerk to report
- 10. Pathway between Tawcroft and Sandringham. Councillor Bowden to report