

Smeeth Parish Council

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Wednesday November 5th 2025

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1. To note those present
2. To receive and approve apologies for absence.
3. To receive declarations of interest (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and Other Significant Interests). The nature as well as the existence of any such interest must be declared.
4. To approve the minutes of the meetings held on 10th September 2025.
5. To discuss matters arising from previous minutes that are not covered by the agenda
6. Public session: To receive questions and comments from the public on any agenda item
7. To receive report from the Borough Councillor
8. Footpaths and Highways
9. Planning matters: to authorise a response to any application(s) and to note any recent planning decisions by Ashford Borough Council or any correspondence on planning matters.
 - 9.1 To receive the report of the most recent Planning Applications
10. KALC Report
11. Financial matters:
 - a) To note the Parish Council's financial position.
 - b) To authorise any payments.
 - c) To discuss/agree 2025-26 grant applications.
 - d) To receive any update on the playing field play equipment
 - e) To receive grant applications for 2026-27
 - f) To agree the Clerk's salary
 - g) To agree the draft budget for 2026-27 and the precept amount for 2026-27
12. Correspondence
13. Local Organisations - Updates
 - Community Led Plan
 - Playing Field Association
 - Royal British Legion
 - Scouts and Guides
 - Smeeth Sandpit Company
 - Smeeth WI
 - Speedwatch
 - Village Hall
14. Village Caretaker Scheme
15. Any Other Business (for information purposes only):
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 - Wednesday 14th January 2026**
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