

DALSTON PARISH COUNCIL

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3rd February 2026

You are summoned to attend the Monthly Meeting of Dalston Parish Council at Forge Green Office on the 10th February 2026 at Forge Green 7.15pm.

S. Milburn Clerk

AGENDA

Apologies

To receive apologies for absence.

Minutes

To authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on the 13th January 2026 as a true record.

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 .

Declarations of Interest

To receive declarations by elected and co-opted members of interests in respect of items on this agenda. Members are reminded that, in accordance with the revised Code of Conduct, they are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests or other registerable interests which have not already been declared in the Council's Register of Interests. (It is a criminal offence not to declare a disclosable pecuniary interest either in the Register or at the meeting.) Members may, however, also decide, in the interests of clarity and transparency, to declare at this point in the meeting, any such disclosable pecuniary interests which they have already declared in the Register, as well as any other registerable or other interests. If a member requires advice on any item involving a possible declaration of interest which could affect his/her ability to speak and/or vote, he/she is advised to contact the clerk at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting.

1. Public Participation

Members of the public are given an opportunity to ask questions and raise matters of interest relating to the agenda and the Parish.

2. Cumberland Councillor Report

3. Planning Decisions and Applications

Decisions:

Appn Ref:25/0616 Cardew Hall, Cardew, Dalston, Carlisle, CA5 7JQ. Roofing Over Existing Uncovered Manure Store. Granted.

Appn Ref: 25/0589 Low Flanders, Buckabank, Dalston, Carlisle, CA5 7AF. Erection Of Vintage Agricultural Storage Building; Creation Of Access Track And Associated Hardstanding. Granted..

4. Clerk and Chairman Report

- To decide if cemetery signage be altered to include no cycling in the cemetery.
- Wigton Town Council quotation to maintain the land at Hawksdale £728 per annum.
- Royal Garden Party 8th May 2026 Nomination.
- Cllr Robson resignation. Volunteer to inspect EV chargers / put up flags.

- British Heart Foundation application for defib at Lingey Close rejected. Discuss funding alternatives.
- Train Station signage.

5. Correspondence

- Correspondence requesting the white lines at the station be re marked and on the opposite side of the road no parking lines to be placed by the wasteland.
- A request to place a memorial seat on a piece of land at Raughton has been received. The Clerk has asked the church commissioners and highways to see if they own the piece of land.

6. Speed Limit Traffic Regulation Order Reviews

- To prepare list for consideration.

7. To move the fence to The Green and make both grassed areas on the Kingsway equal in size

- Westwood plan.
- Parishioner correspondence.

8. Access Path to the Cemetery

To discuss Westwoods quotation to form a hardstanding.

9. The Green Grazing Agreement

To authorise the signing of the Agreement.

10. Forge Green Review Group Meeting 21st January 2026 Update.

11. AutoSpeedWatch Update.

12. Meeting Dates

To approve the following meeting dates:- Annual Meeting of the Parish Council 6.30pm in the Victory Hall on the 12th May 2026. Annual Parish Meeting 7.30pm in the Victory Hall on the 12th May 2026. The 9th June Parish Council Meeting to take place in Primrose Hall, Gaitsgill.

13. Financial

- To Authorise payments.
- To consider the accounts for 9 months to 31 December 2025.

14. Cemetery Matters

15. Councillor Matters

Date of Forthcoming Meetings

Next meeting of the Parish Council to be held on the 10th March 2026 in Forge Green at 7.15pm.

Policy & Resource Meeting Dates for 2026 – TBC

Property & Maintenance Meeting dates for 2026 - TBC