



www.abpc.org.uk

The Mission Hall
Forge Hill
Aldington
Kent
TN25 7DT

TO MEMBERS ALDINGTON AND BONNINGTON PARISH COUNCIL.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to attend the meeting of the **PARISH COUNCIL** to be held on **Monday 11th September 2023 at 7.30 pm** in Aldington Village Hall, Roman Road, Aldington.

Peter Setterfield

Peter Setterfield PSLCC
Parish Clerk.

AGENDA

- 1. To receive and accept apologies for absence:**
- 2. To receive any declarations of interest from members:**
- 3. Public Participation Session:**
- 4. Neighbourhood Watch:**
- 5. Ashford Borough Councillor's Report:**
- 6. Solar:**
An update will be given at the meeting.
- 7. To approve the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 10th July 2023:**
- 8. Chairman's Report:**

9. Finance:

The Parish Council is asked to approve the schedule of payments attached.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. To receive and authorise the payment of the items of expenditure.**
- 2. To authorise the transfer of £51,000.00 from deposit account to current account**

10. Finance, Quarterly review:

Report ABPC/23/008 brings to the Parish Council an update on its financial standing against its budget at the end of the first quarter of the financial year.

11. Aldington Hub:

The Aldington Hub was established as a joint venture between the Events Committee of the Parish Council and Aldington WI just over a year ago. The weekly meeting goes from strength to strength with an increasing number of residents dropping in for a cuppa and a chat.

Payment for teas, coffees and a cake is by way of donation as opposed to a fixed charge. Income to the end of July was £2,130.13, which includes a donation from the Percy Earl Trust, against expenditure of £877.50 leaving a balance of £1,252.63 which is ring-fenced within the Parish Council's accounts.

12. Planning Committee:

The Chairman of the Planning Committee will give an overview on the applications that have been considered.

13. Neighbourhood Plan:

An update will be given at the meeting.

14. Events Committee:

An update will be given at the meeting.

15. Business Plan:

An update will be given at the meeting.

16. Any items for information:

17. Exclusion of the Public:

That under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, the Public and representatives of the press and broadcast media be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the following items of business as publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest because of the confidential nature of the business to be conducted.

18. Outdoor Gym:

Schedule of Payments made prior to the meeting

Payee	Purpose	Amount
Staff costs		£2,385.79
Bonnington PCC St Rumwolds	Sponsor flower festival	£90.00
Harmer & Sons	Ground maintenance	£192.00
BWP Creative	Website fees	£273.60
KALC	Training course	£60.00
L Harman	Reimbursement	£307.72
A Eardley	Neighbourhood Plan	£1,980.00
Harmer & Sons	Grounds maintenance	£990.00
KALC	Training Course	£60.00
KALC	Training course	£252.00
Aldington Village Hall	Room hire	£297.50
L Harman	Reimbursement	£371.00
C Wimble	Handyman expenses	£311.78
G Taylor	Reimbursement	£644.46

Schedule of payments to be made at the meeting

Payee	Purpose	Amount
KALC	Training	£84.00
Zurich insurance		£1,572.19
L Harman	Reimbursement	£60.00
NALC	Training	£52.04
Harmer & Sons	Grounds Maintenance	£990.00
L Harman	Reimbursement	£60.00
Staff costs		£2,412.94
Aldington Village Hall	Room hire	£217.50