Tarleton Parish Council

Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on Monday 13th April 2026 at 7.30pm at the Pavilion, Carr Lane, Tarleton

Present
Cllrs. S Bryan; R Bryan; Mee; McDiarmid; Hargreaves; Tyson; Daly and Eminson.

There was one member of the public present.

A member of the public asked whether the County Council could be contacted in respect of Lengths man works to the gutters. It was heard that this had been raised with Highways.

It was also requested that the Lancashire County Councillor be invited to a future meeting.

2025/133 Chairman's welcome and opening remarks

The Chairman Cllr S Bryan welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2025/134 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Cllrs R Evans, M Evans and J Mee.

2025/135 Notifications of Interests

There were no declarations of interest.

2025/136 Minutes of the last meeting

It was resolved that the minutes of the meeting held on 9th March 2026 should be approved and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

2025/137 Clerk's Report (for information only)

a) The Clerk reported that the leases had been chased.
b) It was reported that the business rates had been paid for the year in the sum of £2,600.00.
c) The Clerk advised that all salaries were in line with the agreed changes and minimum wage increase.
d) It was reported that, in respect of the car parks, SJR had submitted plans to Lancashire County Council. Tarleton Estates had also been making progress and hoped to have an update shortly.
e) The Clerk advised that vandalism at Carr Lane had been reported and had been caught on CCTV. It was hoped that this would be resolved. Shaun Rimmer had been

asked to quote for fixing all doors.
f) It was reported that the bus shelter on Hesketh Lane had been reinstalled.

2025/138 Parish Council Working Groups

a) Sports & Community Users – It was reported that the Verti draining had been completed during the week. It was also noted that the new furniture could not be taken outside in any circumstances.
b) Estate Management – It was heard that the group had met on 6th April. The car park was discussed and urgency was expressed. It was hoped that the application would be submitted during the summer.
c) Communication & Media Working Group – Nothing to report.
d) The Finance Working Group – Nothing to report.
e) The Planning Working Group – It was noted that the Len Wright's Stables application could not be commented on until it had come through planning.
f) Mere Brow Village Hall – Nothing to report.

2025/139 Financial Matters
(a) It was resolved that the payments listed should be approved. £

(b) Items of income received since last meeting:
None.

2025/140 Planning Matters

a) The following planning applications were considered:
2026/0173/FUL - 26 Mere Brow Lane, Tarleton, Preston, Lancashire, PR4 6JP
b) 2026/0214/PNA - Auldene, Taylors Meanygate, Tarleton, Preston, Lancashire.
c) 2026/0226/PIP - 83 The Marshes Lane, Mere Brow, Tarleton, Preston, Lancashire
d) 2026/0074/FUL- 74 Church Road, Tarleton, Preston, Lancashire, PR4 6UP.
e) 2026/0158/FUL - Auriga Coffee House, Unit 5, Blackgate Lane Business Park, Dunscar Way, Tarleton.
f) 2026/0234/FUL - Land South East Of, Bank Bridge, Tarleton, Lancashire.
g) 2026/0152/FUL- 6 Fermor Road, Tarleton, Preston, Lancashire, PR4 6AN.

Members resolved to write in regarding 2026/0074/FUL with concerns about the close proximity of this to other similar in situ businesses. There were also concerns about parking and pedestrian safety. Members also resolved to request and extension to response regarding application 2026/0234/FUL until after the next meeting. It was resolved that no representation be made on any application.

2025/141 Correspondence
There was no correspondence to report.

2025/142 Next Meeting

The date and location of the next meeting scheduled for **Monday 11th May 2026**. The Meeting will follow the Annual Parish meeting commencing at 7.00 pm at the **Pavilion, Carr Lane.** The Annual Meeting of the Council and the monthly Parish Council meeting will follow at the same venue no earlier than 7.30pm but no later than 8.00pm.