

# **Agenda**

#### STURRY PARISH COUNCIL

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## To: The members of Sturry Parish Council

I hereby summon you to attend the General Meeting of Sturry Parish Council to be held on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2025 at **7.00pm at Broad Oak Village Hall** for the transaction of the business described in the following agenda.



## 22-25. Apologies for absence

### Public questions.

Before the remainder of the meeting, we will receive questions and statements from members of the public regarding items on the agenda. Any member of the public present at the meeting is entitled to speak for up to three minutes at this point.

- 23-25. To receive Declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and Other Significant Interests and Voluntary Announcements of Other Interests on any agenda items and a reminder to think of any changes to the DPI register held at CCC, such as change of job or home.
- 24-25. To approve the minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
- 25-25. Matters arising from minutes of the Parish meeting on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
- 26-25. Chairman and Councillors' reports.
- 27-25. County and District Councillors' reports.
- 28-25. Community Warden report.
- 29-25. Village Caretaker's report.
- 30-25. Cemetery Superintendent's Report.

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- 31-25. Clerks Report.
- 32-25. Outside Bodies members reports.
- 33-25. Finance

## (a) Payments for approval.

£40	David Hards	Mole Catcher
£132.85	Westleyhire	Toilet hire and cleaning Cemetery
£30.95	Amazon	Gate Springs for dog walking area
£26.97	Amazon	Wall clock for office
£28.51	Mustang Washrooms	Toilet refuge
£1250.89	J Caddick	Grounds maintenance
£492	Up and Out Platforms	Taking down of Christmas lights

## (b) Accounts for approval and signature

- 34-25. To Discuss and agree levelling of ground over St Anne's Plots for ease of grass cutting.
- 35-25. To Discuss and agree having a speaker at the APM in reference 'Cyber talk', this meeting will be held sometime in May
- 36-25 To Discuss and agree the defibrillator training as suggested by Cllr Gartland.
- 37-25 To discuss and agree replacement tools for Payback team.
- 38-25. To Discuss and agree what to do with the idea of new plants on Bakery Green
- 39-25. To Discuss and agree hiring a tracked woodchipper suggested by Clir. Gartland
- 40-25. To Discuss and agree extending Beech hedge in front of residents' property at Broad Oak green.
- 41-25. To Discuss and agree if the Council are going to light the beacon for the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of VE day on the 8<sup>th</sup> May 2025.
- 42-25 To discuss and agree purchase of a chain saw for the caretaker to use for trimming of trees in centenary woodland and for the caretaker to go on a chain saw users coarse.
- 43-25 To Discuss Co-Option of a resident onto the Council.



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44-25 Update on grounds maintenance contract, John Caddick is going to retire this year so we will be asking for tenders for our next meeting.

Date for next meeting.

12th March 2025 at Sturry Social Centre

Exclusion of the press and public pursuant of section 1 of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960.

45-25 To decide on Co-option as previously discussed at item 42-25.