

DRAFT Minutes of Events Committee at 29th June 2026 at Sturry Parish Office.

Present. Cllr Kathleen Warner, Cllr John Hogben, Cllr Dil Rai. Cllr Chris Gartland and Cllr Steve Birch
Ken Dekker Clerk.

10-26. Apologies for absence

None

11.26. 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.

None

12-26 To approve the minutes of the Events Committee Meeting held on Wednesday 3rd June 2026.

Proposed by Cllr Gartland and seconded by Cllr Hogben all in agreement

13-26. To discuss the budget for the year.

The Clerk stated that the budget had been set in December at £5000.

14-26. To agree the budget for the open-air cinema.

It was agreed that the figure was to be set at £2500, but, if possible, the committee would try and get grants from several sources to offset against the costs.

Cllr Gartland that he had arranged for an ice cream van to be on site plus a burger van who had agreed to donate 10% of their takings.
It was also agreed to have a gazebo as a First Aid and information station.
The members are trying to arrange for the Guides and Scouts to open up for toilet use.

15-26. To Discuss what are we doing for the SABORA event.

Cllr Warner is only too happy to man the SPC table on the Saturday and would like any other Cllrs to help during the afternoon. There will be flyers for the outdoor cinema, pictures showing what has been done in Centenary Woodland and the Dog walking area along with a suggestion box.

16-26. To discuss the budget for the Christmas fayre.

There is now £2700 before VAT that could be spent on the Christmas Fayre.

Date of next meeting. 30th July 2026

Meeting closed at 19:45

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