

Frithelstock Parish Council

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 NOTICE OF FRITHELSTOCK ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Parish Meeting for Frithelstock will be held on Wednesday, 16th April 2025 at 7.00pm in Frithelstock Village Hall.

The Agenda for the meeting is set out below. All Frithelstock Parish electors are invited to attend and raise matters relating to the Parish.

John Burrill

Chairman of Frithelstock Parish Council
25th February 2025

AGENDA

1. Welcome by the Chairman of Frithelstock Parish Council – Cllr John Burrill
2. Matters arising from the Minutes of 10th April 2024. (Available on the Parish Council website).
3. Chairman's Report of Frithelstock Parish Council
4. Report from Devon County Councillor, Andrew Saywell
5. Report from Torridge District Councillor, Phil Pennington.
6. Police Report
7. Report from Frithelstock Parish Church
8. Report from Village Hall Management Committee
9. Report from Friends of Frithelstock Playing Field
10. Report from Poor's Land and Poor's Money Charity
11. Report from 50 Club
12. Comments and questions from members of the public.
13. Suggested date for next meeting – 15th April 2026.

About the Annual Parish Meeting

Purpose of the Annual Parish Meeting

The purpose of the meeting is so that the Parish Council can explain what it has been doing over the last year and it enables the electors to have their say on anything they consider is important to the people of the Parish.

Who can attend the meeting?

The Annual Parish Meeting is a meeting for all the local government electors for the Parish. It is NOT a meeting of the Parish Council, which any member of the public can participate in.

Anyone can attend the Annual Parish Meeting but only registered electors of Frithelstock Parish may vote.

Who can ask questions and make suggestions?

Any registered elector may ask questions of the Council, which will usually be answered by the Chairman, the Clerk to the Council, or a designated Councillor. An elector may also make suggestions and comment on anything pertinent to the people of Frithelstock. This will be welcomed and is the whole purpose of the meeting. The meeting might vote on an issue discussed, but most decisions taken are generally not binding on the Council.

Who chairs the meeting?

The Chairman of the Council will chair the meeting. If the Chairman is not able to attend, then the meeting will elect a chairman from amongst those electors present.

Will Parish Councillors be there?

Usually they do attend and will speak if need be but the purpose of the meeting is to enable the ordinary electors to have their say. Councillors will listen with interest and as electors themselves, also have the opportunity to raise questions and make comments if they wish.