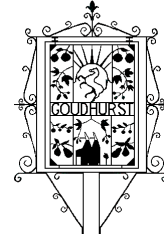


# Goudhurst Parish Council



## Business & Communications 07.03.23

MEETING  
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To: Cllrs Jill Andrew, David Knight, Craig Broom (Chairman), Antony Harris, Barry Noakes, Guy Sutton and Mrs Alison Webster. Cllr Phil Kirkby (ex-officio)

I summon you to a Meeting of the Business & Communications Committee on Tuesday 07 March 2023 at 7.30pm, in Goudhurst Village Hall, where business detailed on this agenda will be discussed.

Goudhurst Parish Council recognise that there are continuing risks associated with COVID-19 and are supportive of individuals wearing masks in meetings and maintaining a social distance. We will continue to provide hand sanitiser at the entrance to the Village Hall. In order to keep everyone safe, please do not attend a meeting if you have COVID-19 symptoms or have tested positive for COVID-19 in the past 5 days. We will continue to review the risks and will comply with any future controls recommended or mandated by HM Government.

**Members of the Public and the Press are welcome to attend this meeting.** At the Chairman's discretion, 15 minutes will be set aside for questions from members of the public each one of whom may be invited to speak for a maximum of 3 minutes in total relating to items on the Agenda or about issues of local concern. Thereafter they have the right, and are welcome, to stay and observe the rest of the Meeting in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, s1.

**Please inform the Clerk if you intend to film or record the Meeting.**

Claire Reed  
Clerk to Goudhurst Parish Council  
02 March 2023

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A quorum for Highways Committee is 3 Members.

# Agenda

<i>Location</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Owner</i>
Goudhurst Village Hall	7/03/23	

1. Apologies for absence
2. Declarations of Interests
3. To resolve to approve the minutes of the meeting held on 10 January 2023.
4. Questions from the Press and the Public
5. To receive an update on the plans for the event to celebrate the coronation of King Charles III and to decide on action needed.
6. To consider the organisation of the business networking event and decide on action needed.
7. To consider the organisation of the Christmas Fete 2023, to decide on a date and on any action needed.
8. To consider any other events for 2023 and to decide on any action needed.
9. Date of next meeting 14 March 2023, 7.30pm

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## BUSINESS & COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

Minutes of a Meeting held on 10 January 2023 at 6.30pm in Goudhurst Village Hall

**Present:** Cllrs Jill Andrew, Craig Broom (Chairman), Antony Harris, David Knight, Barry Noakes, Guy Sutton and Alison Webster.

1. **Apologies:** There were none.
2. **Declarations of interest:** There were none.
3. **Questions from the Press and the Public:** There were none.
4. **It was resolved to approve the minutes of the last meeting held on 15 November 2022.**
5. **Additional signage for the Plain.** It was agreed that Cllr Alison Webster would arrange a meeting with Fitzpatrick Woolmer to discuss option for additional signage on the Plain including any discount for multiple signs. It was **noted** that the Clerk had been approached by Trailtale who create historic trails around points of interest in towns and villages which can be viewed/ followed on a phone app. The Clerk will forward the proposal to committee members for discussion, however it was further noted that this item is also being considered by the Amenities Committee along with new footpath maps. **Action: Cllr Alison Webster and Clerk**
6. **Business Networking Event.** The business networking event is scheduled for 03 March 2023. It was **noted** that Greg Clark MP had agreed to attend as the keynote speaker. It was **agreed** that a working party should be formed to organise the event and create an agenda. The working party members are: Cllr Jill Andrew, Antony Harris and David Knight. It was further agreed that should there be insufficient interest in the event by the beginning of February then the event would be postponed. **Action: Cllrs Jill Andrew, Antony Harris and David Knight**
7. **Coronation Celebration May 2023**  
It was **resolved** to host an event to celebrate the Coronation of HM The King. The event will take place on the weekend of 5/6/7 May 2023 on the Village Green. The Council will hire a large marquee to be the focus point of the activities. The Social Club will be asked to provide a bar for the festivities. **Action: Cllr Craig Broom to approach local organisations, book a marquee and organise food vendors. Clerk to book portable toilets, first aid, bins and security.**
8. **Date of next meeting 07 March 2023, 7.30pm, Goudhurst Village Hall.**

The meeting closed at 20.20