

SANDGATE ANNUAL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

Date: Time: Monday 20th May 2024 at 7.00pm or at the Fall of the Annual Parish Meeting whichever is earlier Sandgate Parish Council Library Sandgate High Street To ALL MEMBERS OF SANDGATE PARISH COUNCIL

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to attend a Sandgate Council meeting on the date and at the time and place shown above.

Sandgate Parish Clerk

The meeting will be open to the press and public. The meeting will also be broadcast live at https://www.facebook.com/sandgatepc

Twenty minutes have been set-aside at the beginning of the meeting for the public to ask questions of the Council. Speakers will be allowed a maximum of two minutes to ask their question. Questions can either be asked in person or emailed to clerk@sandgatepc.org.uk to arrive one working day before the meeting and they will be presented to the meeting for reply.

AGENDA

- 1. Election of Chairman and Vice-Chairman for 2024/5
- 2. Declaration of Acceptance of Office
- 3. Apologies for Absence
- **Declarations of Interest** Members are invited to declare disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests in items on the agenda as required by the Council's Code of Conduct and by the Localism Act 2011.
- 5. Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on 22nd April to be confirmed as a correct record and signed
- 6. Chairman's opening remarks
- 7. Appointment of members to committees

To agree the appointments to the committees in Appendix A of this agenda. Chairs of committees will be decided by the next meeting of that committee.

8. Schedule of meetings for 2024-25

To agree the schedule of meetings of the Council and its committees for 2024-5 in Appendix B of this agenda.

9. Review and adoption of appropriate standing orders, financial regulations, and other governance arrangements- these are unchanged since last year with the exception of the Financial Regulations when the term 'Resources Committee' has been amended to 'Finance Committee'

To consider the following for approval

- Standing orders
- Financial regulations
- Governance review
- Terms of reference
- Risk management
- Statement of internal control
- 11. Tenders for Handyman, Land Maintenance & Caretaker Contracts- Clerk's report to be discussed & considered.
- 12. Information to bring any other matters to the Council's attention
- 13. Date of the next meeting Monday 24th June 2024



COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP 2024-25

* The Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Council are ex-officio members of all committees.

** All councillors are substitute members on all committees and up to two may be called upon by the clerks in the event of known absences.

| LIBRARY COMMITTEE 1. Gary Fuller 2. Rosa Morris Non-Councillor Adrian Watts | ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE 1. Kirsty Hogden 2. Susan Claris 3. Peter Hickman 4. Rosa Morris 5. Nicola South |
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| FINANCE COMMITTEE 1. Michael Fitch 2. Gary Fuller 3. Simon Horton 4. Hazel Barrett | PLANNING 1. Hazel Barrett 2. Susan Claris 3. Michael Fitch 4. Peter Hickman 5. Simon Horton 6. Nicola South |
| SEA FESTIVAL & EVENTS COMMITTEE (Twinning) 1. Hazel Barrett 2. Rosa Morris Non-Councillors Adrian Watts | PERSONNEL 1. Gary Fuller 2. Simon Horton |

Appendix B SANDGATE PARISH COUNCIL SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS 2024/25

Commencing **6.30pm** at Sandgate Parish Council Library James Morris Court, Sandgate High Street CT20 3RR

Main Parish Council Meetings

Usually held on the Fourth Monday of each month (except May & August) at 6.30pm

2024 2025

20th May (Annual Parish Meeting)
24th June
24th February
22nd July
23rd September
28th April

28th October 25th November 16th December

Finance Committee

Usually held on the Third Monday of every month at 6.30pm

2024 2025

13th May at 6.3020th January17th June17th February15th July17th March16th September21st April

21st October 18th November 9th December

Environment Committee Meetings

Usually held on the Second Monday of every other month at 6.30pm

2024

13th May at the fall of the Finance 13th January 8th July 10th March

9th September 11th November

Planning Committee

Meetings to take place as required

Library Committee

Quarterly meetings on a schedule to be determined

Sea Festival Committee

Meetings to take place as required

Personnel Committee

Meetings to take place as required