Clent Parish Council

Councillors are summoned to a Meeting of the Parish Council at
7:00pm on Monday 16th November 2026
at Clent Parish Hall, Church Ave, Clent, Stourbridge DY9 9QT
Press and public are cordially invited to attend.

AGENDA

1. **Apologies for absence**
   To receive apologies and to approve reasons for absence.

2. **Declarations of interest & Dispensations**
   With reference to items on the agenda members are reminded of their responsibility to declare interests (pecuniary and non-pecuniary) and to update their register of interests as required, and consider any requests to the Clerk for dispensations from Members who have declared an interest but wish to stay in the meeting during that time to aid discussion/speak/vote.

3. **Clent Youth Council**
   To receive an update from the Chair of the Youth Council and consider any requests.

4. **Questions from the Public (15 minutes maximum)**
   Electors are invited to give their views and question the Parish Council on issues on this Agenda or raise issues for future consideration at the discretion of the Chairman. The exact duration of the public section is at the discretion of the Chairman.

5. **Updates from District/County Councillors**
   To receive updates from the Bromsgrove District Councillor and Worcestershire County Councillor.

6. **Minutes**
   To resolve to accept the minutes from the Parish Council meeting on the 19th October 2026 as true record of the proceedings.

7. **Correspondence**
   To consider any correspondence received since the last meeting.

8. **Finance**
   (a) To ratify the following payments made via online banking in the month of October 2026:

Clent Parish Council
Payments

Date	Supplier	Payments
31/10/2026	Service Charge	**7.00**
22/10/2026	Direct Debit (SCOTTISHPOWER)	**19.40**
22/10/2026	B/P to: Nick Farress	**838.76**
22/10/2026	B/P to: HMRC PAYE	**99.20**
22/10/2026	B/P to: Edward Sheppard	**500.00**
22/10/2026	B/P to: Clent Parish Hall	**3,000.00**
19/10/2026	B/P to: Edward Sheppard	**819.50**
19/10/2026	B/P to: Edward Sheppard	**458.00**
07/10/2026	B/P to: Clent Cricket Club	**480.00**
07/10/2026	B/P to: Gallagher Insuranc	**2,118.23**
07/10/2026	B/P to: Worcestershire CC	**485.44**

(b) To consider and approve the budget monitoring report (circulated previously)
(c) To consider and approve the monthly bank reconciliation for October 2026 (circulated previously)

9. General maintenance & highway matters
(a) To discuss any highway and/or parish maintenance matters and agree any action necessary.

10. Field Maintenance & Play Areas
(a) Replacement slide options and grant application.
(b) To discuss/consider any other field maintenance issues and agree any action necessary.

11. Planning
To consider any planning applications submitted to Bromsgrove DC and make any comments in support or objection as consultee.

12. Parish Magazine
To agree on content for the next PC article in the parish magazine.

13. Councillors' reports and items for the next Agenda
To receive any items of information from Councillors and consider items for the next Agenda.

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Nick Farress
Clerk & RFO

