DOBWALLS PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of Dobwalls Parish Council held at Dobwalls United Church on Thursday 19 March 2026

Present: Councillors: T Kitto (Chair), D Allen, B Clark, M Exall, S Jackson, M Taylor, Parish Clerk, Councillor J Pascoe (CC)

040/26	**Apologies** Councillor B Champion
041/26	**Declarations of Interest** None
042/26	**Unitary Councillor's report** Councillor Pascoe reported that there has been an increase of 4.99% for the Council Tax. The Tamar Toll Consultation is now live. The joint CAP meeting had been successful. The next meeting is on the 7 April at East Taphouse. The Community Fayre is in Liskeard on Saturday.
043/26	**Public Participation** A parishioner raised concerns about parking on the grass verges at Havett Close. A suggestion was made for the parishioner to follow up.
044/26	**Planning** **<u>Applications</u>** There were no objections to the following applications:- • PA26/00919 19 Pendray Gardens Change of use from play park to domestic garden curtilage • PA26/00790 Application for Permission in Principle for Construction of 5 Dwellings and Associated Works (Minimum 5 Maximum 5) **<u>Appeal</u>** • Appeal Notification PA25/06100 Land North of Oak Tree Barn
045/26	**To confirm the Non-Confidential Minutes of the Meeting held on 18 February 2026** It was resolved to approve the minutes of the meeting held on the 18 February 2026 which were confirmed as a true and correct record.
046/26	**Matters arising from the above minutes** None
047/26	**Skate Park** It was agreed to report the broken fencing to CC. The new sign wording was agreed. The Parish Council are waiting to hear from Pearce Fine Homes about the adoption of Beechwood Drive by Cornwall Council.
048/26	**LMP 2026/2027** Councillor Jackson to liaise with the footpaths contractor to clarify which footpaths are being cut and which should be cut.
049/26	**Community Emergency Plan** It was agreed to begin drafting an emergency plan using the CC template. Councillor Clark to liaise with the village hall for confirmation that the hall could be used in an emergency. The school and pub were suggested as a back up.
050/26	**Lane to Jubilee Field** A Councillor had met with two contractors on site and quotes are awaited. It was agreed to contact the residents of the Lane to keep them updated.
051/26	**Purchase of laptops x 2** A budget of £1000 was agreed.

052/26	**Correspondence for action** None
053/26	**Correspondence for information (Circulated to All)** • Dobwalls CSW Group • South East Cornwall CAP - Tamar Tag Fees consultation and Extraordinary CAP meeting 12th March • Affordable Housing Newsletter – March • National Highways: A38 Saltash Tunnel update (February / March 2026) • Anna Gelderd MP's Weekly Update • Emergency Resilience • PCSO S Edser update. Since 30/1/26 to 26/2/26 there have been the following crimes in the Dobwalls area that are disclosable. Malicious Communication/Harassment • Local councils interactive mapping • Closure Intenton - Junction West Of Sunnymead To The A38, Dobwalls • Closure Order - Junction East of Lantoom, Dobwalls • Community Preparedness Newsletter
054/26	**Finance** It was resolved to approve the financial statements that had been circulated including expenditure totalling £2968.01.
055/26	**Any other business (Members are reminded that no decisions can be made under this item it is for information only)** Thanks were given to Steve Tamblin for clearing the ditches by the theme park. Councillor Clark reported that plans are moving on with a community event. Councillor Jackson attended the Transport CAP meeting. Councillor S Jackson and B Clark attended the planning training and had circulated the presentation. The pub are planning a car boot sale on the 4 May. Double yellow lines are now outside the school It was suggested that a hot/soft drinks voucher is offered for litter pick volunteers after the litter pick at The Highwayman pub if open. Councillor Exall to follow up. It was agreed to investigate purchasing a desktop version of Microsoft Publisher for The Villager.
056/26	**Items for inclusion in future meetings** None
057/26	**Date of the next meeting** Wednesday 22 April 2026 6.30 pm Dobwalls United Church PL14 6NS