



SEAVINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

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The next scheduled Parish Council meeting is to be held on Tuesday 20th January 2026 at 6.30pm in Seavington Millennium Hall.

The Parish Council met this month and discussed a number of issues that may be of interest to residents. Here's a summary of some of the key points:

Planning Applications

Planning Application 21/02654 has attracted a significant number of objections from local residents and continues to be a matter of concern within the community. In contrast, Planning Application 22/00610, relating to land at Upton Lane, has now been approved.

Grass Cutting

The Council has agreed to continue covering the cost of grass cutting for the playing fields. This decision recognises that the village hall does not receive any income from the use of the field and is therefore unable to fund its maintenance.

Precept

The setting of the precept has been deferred until the January meeting. The Council explained that additional time is needed to gather all outstanding quotes to ensure a fully informed decision can be made.

Ranger Work

A fallen tree on Sawpit Lane has been identified as a potential hazard to residents and passers-by. The Parish Council has requested that the Ranger address the issue promptly to ensure the area is made safe.

Car Park Lighting Upgrade

The Council has agreed to fund the replacement of the existing car park lighting outside the village hall, community shop, and café with modern, energy-efficient LED lights. A switch will also be installed inside the shop, allowing staff and volunteers to operate the lights when leaving the premises. This upgrade will improve safety and convenience for all users.

Goal Posts

The Parish Council is delighted to share some exciting news for our community. A brand-new set of goal posts has been installed on the field next to the play park. This addition will provide children, families, and sports enthusiasts with a safe and enjoyable space to play and stay active. The Council hopes these goal posts will be well-used for many years to come, encouraging friendly competition and helping to foster a stronger sense of community.

Community Involvement

Residents are warmly encouraged to attend Parish Council meetings to stay informed about decisions, local developments, and issues affecting the village. These meetings provide a valuable opportunity to engage with Council activities and have a say in matters that impact Seavington.