

# Levens Parish Council

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## Annual Parish Meeting

To be held in accordance with the requirements of the Local Government Act 1972.

**TUESDAY 19 MAY 2026**

**To be held at Levens Village Hall (formally Levens Institute)  
at 7.30 p.m.**

### Introductory Note

It is a legal requirement for parishes to hold a village meeting once a year between 01 March and 30 June. Such events are not meetings of the local parish council and parish councils are not legally bound to organise the event. Traditionally, however, most parish councils, including Levens, accept the responsibility for doing so.

Where there is a Parish Council, the Chair of the Council will preside, and the agenda must include reports on Parish Council business over the previous 12 months. In addition to delivering the legal requirements, Annual Parish Meetings also provide an opportunity for parishioners to catch-up on local matters and to hear about the activities of voluntary or local community groups. Annual Parish Meetings may include slots for guest speakers to give a short presentation on a topic of local interest.

The Agenda for the Levens Annual Parish Meeting 2026 is as follows, but please note that the order of items may change to accommodate presentations.

### **AGENDA**

1. Apologies
2. Draft Minutes of the 2025 Annual Parish Meeting (see Parish Council webpage)
3. Chairman's Report (available on the website from Friday 15 May)
4. Finance Report: (available on the website from Friday 15 May)
  - a) Summary Report 2024-25
  - b) Report 2025-26
5. Update from Westmorland and Furness Council
6. Public Forum: Comments and questions from residents on village matters
7. Reports from Village Organisations

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Clerk to Levens Parish Council

10 May 2026