



BRANDON TOWN COUNCIL

Brandon Town Council

Old School House Market Hill Brandon

MINUTES

of the Events

held at 12:30 PM on Monday, 20 July 2026

at Council Chamber - OSH

Issued: Monday, 21 September 2026

Attendance

Present: Cllr Jools Savage, Cllr June Hughes, Cllr Claire Watts

Apologies: Cllr Sam Skinner, Cllr Linda Challiss

Min. 26/001 — 1. Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Cllr Sam Skinner and Cllr Linda Challiss.

Min. 26/002 — 2. Declarations of Interest and requests for Dispensations

No declarations of interest or requests for dispensation were received.

Min. 26/003 — 3. Minutes of Previous Meeting

The minutes of the Events Committee meeting held on 28th May 2026 were considered. It was RESOLVED that the minutes be confirmed as a true record and signed by the Chair.

Proposed by Cllr Jools Savage and seconded by Cllr June Hughes.

Min. 26/004 — 4. Public Participation Time

The Council adjourned to allow public participation. One member of the public was present and no questions were raised. The Council reconvened to continue with the business of the meeting.

Min. 26/005 — 5. Receive updates on agreed Events 2026

The Council received updates on the following events planned for 2026.

Nine Stiles Walk — Scheduled for Sunday 23 August, commencing at 1.00pm, to be held in conjunction with an Open Mike event.

Summer Activities — It was NOTED that eighteen activities had been arranged across four weeks, all of which would be free to attend.

Orchard Day — Scheduled for 20 September 2026. A volunteer had been secured to make apple cider vinegar on the day and to educate attendees about its uses. It was NOTED that invitations would be extended to the Wildlife Trust and the Hedgehog Trust, and that BLP crafty activities would feature. It was further NOTED that Happy to Sing would also be invited to participate.

Heritage Open Days — Commencing Friday 11 September, with over fourteen events planned, some of which would run twice in a single day. It was NOTED that a small number of events were still to be formally registered.

Remembrance Day — It was NOTED that a Lamp Light of Peace event was scheduled for the morning of 11 November on Market Hill.

Christmas — It was NOTED that a meeting with BAUK (Bush Adventures UK) would be required to discuss the Christmas event and the provision of a river sleigh on the day.

It was further NOTED that a Christmas buffet was scheduled for 22 December, to be held for the community by invitation only.

It was NOTED that there had been a great deal of positive discussion and ideas shared in relation to the above events.

Min. 26/006 — 6. Officers Update

It was NOTED that no officers' update had been received since the publication of the agenda.

The meeting closed at 12:46.