

Agenda May 2026

**Babcary Parish Council**

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2026 8.00pm at The Hut**

Present:

Apologies:

April 2026 Minutes to agreed & signed.

**1) Election of chairman and vice chairman**

**2) Open forum public meeting**

**3) Matters Arising**

- i) Potholes, CAST HH forwarded response to potholes Perry Hill, Dilkes Lane & Foddington Road noted for repairs.  
Sir Keir 24/03/25 “there needs to be accountability in the system of fixing potholes.”
- ii) Defibrillator update.
- iii) Parish Clerk, to get a .gov email, domain, the council will need to use an approved company, BPC cannot ask the government themselves, they can then set up the UK Gov email at the same time. JT to approach Co’s.
- iv) Dog Refuse & bin removal & multi use bin refurbishment progress, PS.
- v) New parish council website - update PS

**4) Finance**

- i) Capital Reserve account stands at £14,792.40 Current Account balance £50.

**5) Planning Consultation -**

- i) 26/00530/FUL Land at end of Dilkes Lane, Babcary  
Awaiting Decision.

- 6) **Red Lion ACV** - car park disposal. Asset of Community Value Ref : ELP/HJS/ACV96S  
Community Right to Bid. The parish council received notification from Somerset Council that the owners of the Red Lion were seeking to dispose of part of the car park. A six-week moratorium period has therefore come into effect from 6 April 2026 and ends on 18 May 2026 giving community groups an opportunity to express an interest in buying the car park asset  
One comment received, Gary Tubridy.

**7) Correspondence**

Tim Marshwood, Heritage at Risk, Finger Posts & Somerset Forge re repairs, SH.  
CAST Henry Hobhouse

**8) AOB**

**Date and Time of Next Meeting:** 8pm Monday 8th of June 2026 in the Hut.