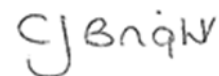




A meeting of Beaminster Town Council's Community Engagement Committee will be held in the Cowie Room, Public Hall on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2026 at 7.00pm



14<sup>th</sup> January 2026

## AGENDA

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
2. **MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**  
To **APPROVE** the minutes of the previous meeting held 4<sup>th</sup> November 2025.  
(*attached*)
3. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST & DISPENSATIONS**
4. **CHRISTMAS LIGHT FESTIVAL**  
To **CONSIDER** several key issues raised by the results of the 2025 Christmas Lights Festival (held Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2025):
  - a.) Road safety concerns
  - b.) The possible need for additional volunteers
  - c.) A need for clear plans to address post-Christmas clean-up regarding the removal of lights from the 50 (approximately) small trees displayed throughout the town in 2027 and beyond.
5. **DORSET DAY EVENT**  
To **REVIEW** the status of plans for holding a party of celebration on the Memorial Playing Fields on 31<sup>st</sup> May 2026.
6. **EVENTS FOR 2026**  
To review progress on suggestions raised at the previous meeting.
7. **DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING**  
The date of the next meeting will be Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2026.