



Calstock Parish Council

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RECREATIONS AND OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE, Tuesday 03 February 2026

Minutes of Calstock Parish Council's Recreations and Open Spaces Committee held on Tuesday 03 February 2026 in the Tamar Valley Centre at 1900.

Those present were:

Councillors: Cllr Trapp (Chair); Cllr Alford, Cllr Clarke, Cllr Greenwood, Cllr Wakem, Cllr Warwick.

1. Apologies

Cllr Ledger, Cllr Spurr.

2. Declarations of Members' Interests

None.

3. Public Participation

None.

4. Approve minutes of last meetings: 28-10-2025

Proposal/resolution: to approve the minutes of the meeting held on 28 October 2025.

Proposed: Cllr Alford, seconded: Cllr Greenwood – unanimous.

5. Matters Arising:

- Local Maintenance Partnership enhanced capital works grant – a further £1300 has been received with some work left to complete.
- Zip Wire, Harrowbarrow – Tesco are now supporting the zipwire as part of their Stronger Starts campaign the deadline for which is 31-03-2026; it was agreed to progress the installation in the new financial year.

6. New Correspondence:

- The Clerk reported that a Freedom of Information Request has received for maintenance records for St Ann's Chapel King George V site following an alleged injury to a dog on uneven ground, allegedly sustained on 30 November 2025.

7. Football Club request to use St Ann's Chapel ground (new request)

Cllr Trapp explained that he and the Clerk had met Richard Lipinski who currently runs a veterans club in Lee Moor. Richard is hoping to move to Cornwall and approached the Clerk to ask to use St Ann's Chapel ground. Cllr Trapp said he seems keen with ideas for pitch improvement and sponsorship. It was made clear that the Council would not be able to support financially. The Clerk has researched what Fields in Trust allow on their fields (the management company for King George V fields). The Clerk reported that the previous club who had shown interest in Gunnislake but been offered St Ann's Chapel do not wish to proceed. Proposal/resolution: to recommend to Full Council that Richard Lipinski's team are permitted use of the field so long as it remains open and accessible to other users. Proposed: Cllr Greenwood, seconded: Cllr Warwick – unanimous.

8. Footpath modification order Metherell/Newton – closed due to subsidence, awaiting report from Cornwall Council

This item was noted and the Clerk advised that the Parish Council does not get involved in any suggestions or campaigns from effected landowners that could lead to a dispute with another set of landowners.

9. Review Cost Centre Income and Expenditure

This item was noted.

The meeting closed at: 1930

Signed:

Date: