

BICKERTON & EGERTON PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held

At Bickerton Scout Hut

16th October 2025 at 7.30 p.m.

Apologies	Cllr A Davies, S Davies, Proctor, Latham and Bourne
In attendance	Present were Cllrs Mills (Chairman), Clare Davies, Benson, Burrows, and Goodwin.
	Mrs Rachel Eardley attended the meeting on behalf of Bickerton Primary School. The school are looking to find funding for new books for the junior section of the school. The library has been improved, but is lacking books for 4 year groups. This equates to £1535.00.
Minutes of the last meeting	Minutes of the last meeting held on 17 th July 2025 were approved and signed by the Chairman
Matters arising	School flashing warning lights – need attention and timings changing – clerk to report. Cllr Burrows confirmed that the telegraph pole on the side of the A534 has now been moved away from the road side.
Accounts	Bank balance £3604.17. Payment to be made £15 for room hire. All in agreement that this payment be made. A discussion was held regarding the schools request for funding, and all councillors were in agreement that the full amount of £1535 be made to the school for the new books required. Clerk to contact Rachel Bourne.
Planning	Green Farm, Egerton – approved with conditions – building not to be used for accommodation.
Correspondence	Clerk confirmed that highways had emailed to say the hedge on Goldford Lane beside the derelict bungalow is currently not a hazard and no work will be carried out. Clerk informed the meeting about a complaint which had been raised in respect of noise late at night coming from the Old Vicarage, which is now being used as an Airbnb. Clerk confirmed she had spoken to the owner to make them aware of this and also stressed that parking for the property should be within the grounds, not on the area which is used for public to park when walking up the hill.
Date and time of next meetings	At the Scout Hut at 7.30pm 15th January 2026 16 th April 2026 16 th July 2026 15 th October 2026