

NEWSLETTER

South Cave Parish Council

May 2026

Headlines:

South Cave Parish Council Annual Parish Meeting

Tuesday 19th May 2026

7:30p.m

South Cave WI



SOUTH CAVE ANNAL PARISH MEETING AGENDA

On: Tuesday 19th May 2026

Venue: WI HALL, CHURCH STREET, SOUTH CAVE

All residents are invited to attend - this is your meeting giving you the opportunity to express your views and raise any issues.

Time: 7:30p.m – 9:00p.m

Agenda

7:30 1 To approve the minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting held on 28th May 2025

7:35 2 Matters Arising

7:45 3 Reading of the Financial Statements of the following charities: - Samuel Jobson Bread Charity, Sophia & Elizabeth Barnard Trust, Sophia Barnard Allotments Charity

7:50 4 Speakers:

Richard Hawksworth - Senior Emergency Planning Officer –

To provide an overview of volunteer community flood warden scheme to date

Lee Murphy – South Cave Sports and Recreation

Update on Pavilion Redevelopment, Including Planned Amenities

8:30 5 Parish Council Question Time – Ask questions to the Parish Council

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Running up that hill

In 2021, members of Kingston Upon Hull Athletic Club (KUHAC) were looking for a venue for a new 10K race and were delighted when the Pavilion committee at South Cave said that their building could be the new race HQ and that the run could finish on the Bully Field. Then Cave Castle agreed that the runners could start in front of the hotel and run down its drive and out into the village. With a loop round Ellerker, and a nice scenic stretch round Common Road, the South Cave 10K was complete and eventually 414 runners competed the inaugural event.

Since then the race has become established on the last Sunday in July as an annual event in both villages. It is also a fixture in the local running calendar with 1000 runners expected to take part this year. The feedback from participants has always been enthusiastic and positive with many of the runners commenting on the attractive and challenging course and even more saying how much they appreciated the warm and friendly support from spectators all around the course.



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Some 50 KUHAC volunteer will cover all the corners and turning points, helping to keep everyone safe and making sure that there are as few traffic holdups as possible. A professional traffic management team will be brought in to install temporary traffic lights as the organisers try to cause the least possible delays. This year, they will be introducing a requirement for all cars leaving the parking spaces on the Bully Field to turn left at the bottom of Wadley Plump so that they can leave the village via Willow Flats and not block the exit from Church Street into Market Place. In the weeks leading up to the big day, KUHAC will be putting up warning notices around the course and leafletting all houses in Cave, Ellerker and Broomfleet that will be affected by the race.

As in previous years, the event has a chosen local charity with a donation being added for each person taking part and £3 going into the fund if any runner does not want the special t-shirt. With many runners also adding their own contribution to the charity fund, Hull and East Yorkshire Mind should benefit by at least £1000. In addition, and as a thank you to the village, KUHAC will be donating £500 to the South Cave parish council for its Christmas lights appeal.

If you know someone who is running, or would just like to join in the fun, please come out and give the runners a cheer. Remember that once they have run six miles, they still have to run up that hill to get to the finish by the Pavilion so they deserve your support!

Anyone who is worried that the event might cause them problems on the day can contact one of the organisers by emailing paulfclarke@onetel.com and we will do our best to help.

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Festive Lighting Support for South Cave

Following on from the previous update, the Parish Council has been overwhelmed by the generosity of the organisers of the South Cave 10K event, who have kindly donated £500 towards festive lighting in the village.

Residents may have noticed the absence of the usual column lighting on Church Hill during the 2025 festive period. This was due to the withdrawal of the usual funding for these decorations. The Parish Council is keen to reinstate the five Christmas tree column lights for the 2026 festive season and is currently seeking additional donations to make this possible.

These lights bring a wonderful festive spectacle to Church Hill, enhancing the Christmas spirit and adding a special sparkle to this much-loved part of the village.

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FIREWORKS

The Parish Council understands residents concerns relating to fireworks; however, it does not have statutory powers to deal with noise nuisance complaints.

Responsibility for investigating and taking action on noise issues, including those relating to fireworks, lies with East Riding of Yorkshire Council.

Residents who wish to make a formal complaint should contact the Council's Environmental Health team, who are responsible for enforcing noise control legislation. You can find details and report issues via the Council's website:

- East Riding of Yorkshire Council Environmental Health (search for "noise nuisance" on their site)
- Main website: <https://www.eastriding.gov.uk>
- Telephone: 01482 393939
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Legal position on fireworks in the UK

Fireworks are regulated under several pieces of legislation, including the Fireworks Regulations 2004 and the Environmental Protection Act 1990.

Key points include:

- Fireworks may generally only be used between 7am and 11pm.
- Extended hours are allowed on certain dates:
 - o Until midnight on New Year's Eve
 - o Until 1am on Chinese New Year, Diwali, and Bonfire Night
- It is an offence to set off fireworks outside these permitted hours (except for licensed displays).
- Fireworks must not cause a statutory nuisance, such as excessive or unreasonable noise, under the Environmental Protection Act 1990.
- Local authorities have powers to investigate complaints and, where appropriate, issue warnings or abatement notices.

If a display is organised and falls within permitted hours, it may be lawful, but it can still be investigated if it is considered to create a noise nuisance.

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FIRST FRUITS COMMUNITY ALLOTMENT & ORCHARD

We have almost 2 acres of land in South Cave, where we meet up to grow fruit & vegetables and share the harvest. We have been established since 2010 and have a long-term lease with the East Riding Council.

All are welcome. No previous experience is needed but if you do have some, then bring your own growing skills along to share. Recent new members say...

"I joined last summer. I liked the idea of a community allotment where the heavy work is shared and you don't have to be an expert. There's a big variety of fruit and veg. Everyone is friendly and there are some very knowledgeable people to learn from. There are lots of different jobs, so you can just join in and contribute where you feel you can. All in all, it's one of the most enjoyable groups I've come across in beautiful surroundings. I will definitely keep on going."

"I joined in October last year. What a wonderful relaxing location amongst people who warmly welcomed me. I'm very excited to see the results of sowing and nurturing plants. There's also the bonus of spotting wildlife!"

We meet all year round, wearing sun hats or thermals as there's always something to do. Come along to enjoy fresh air, exercise and meet up with old and new friends. We share a huge variety of produce and there are lots of photos on our Facebook page "First Fruits Community Allotment & Orchard, South Cave". (You don't have to have a Facebook account to see this.)

For more information phone Steve on 07807 365667, send a message on Facebook or walk down Moors Lane for a chat. We meet regularly on Saturday mornings from 9.30am and again mid-week.

We look forward to meeting you!



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Caring for Our Village Trees

Trees are such an important part of what makes South Cave special. From the character of our streets to the beauty of our green spaces, they help shape the village we all enjoy every day.

The Parish Council is committed to looking after our trees — both the long-established ones and any new planting — so they can continue to benefit the community now and in the future.

Trees do so much for us. They help keep our air clean, provide shade in warmer weather, and support local wildlife by creating natural habitats for birds and insects. They also help manage rainwater and contribute to a healthier environment overall.

Just as importantly, trees add to the look and feel of the village. Whether lining our roads, framing our footpaths, or standing proudly in open spaces, they create a welcoming and calming atmosphere that many residents value.

Looking after our trees is key. Regular checks and maintenance help keep them healthy and safe, particularly during periods of bad weather. Where trees do need to be removed due to age, disease, or safety concerns, the Parish Council aims to replace them wherever possible, often with native species that are well suited to the local area.

The Parish Council will continue working with residents, landowners, and partner organisations to care for existing trees, encourage new planting, and seek out funding opportunities to support this work.

By taking care of our trees today, we're helping to ensure South Cave remains a green, attractive, and enjoyable place for everyone — now and for years to come

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Allotments in South Cave – Grow Your Own!

Have you ever thought about growing your own fruit and vegetables, spending more time outdoors, or simply enjoying a peaceful hobby in the fresh air? An allotment could be just what you're looking for.

There is currently a waiting list for allotments in South Cave, and the Parish Council is inviting residents to register their interest. Allotments offer a wonderful opportunity to connect with nature, learn new skills, and enjoy the satisfaction of growing your own produce.

Tending an allotment isn't just about gardening—it's also great for your health and wellbeing. Regular time outdoors can help reduce stress, boost mood, and improve physical fitness. Many people find that working on their plot provides a real sense of achievement, as well as a chance to meet others in the community who share similar interests.

Whether you're an experienced gardener or a complete beginner, allotments are a rewarding way to enjoy the outdoors and contribute to a greener, healthier lifestyle.

If you would like to join the waiting list and apply for an allotment, please contact the Parish Clerk at clerk@southcavepc.gov.uk

to request an application form.



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Dog Fouling — Let's Keep South Cave Clean Together

The Parish Council has received a number of reports about dog fouling in the village — not only on footpaths, but also in some of our open spaces that everyone should be able to enjoy.

We're lucky to live in such a beautiful area, and a simple walk around South Cave should be a pleasant experience for all. Unfortunately, dog fouling can spoil this, making paths and green spaces less enjoyable and, at times, posing a health risk — particularly for children and other animals.

The good news is that the vast majority of dog owners are responsible and considerate. The Parish Council would like to sincerely thank everyone who regularly cleans up after their dogs and helps keep our village looking its best — your efforts really do make a difference.

There are, however, a small number of instances where this responsibility is not being met. As a reminder, under current regulations, anyone in charge of a dog must clean up after it in public areas, including footpaths, parks, and open spaces. Failure to do so can result in a fixed penalty notice or further action.

How to Report Dog Fouling -If you notice ongoing issues, you can report them directly to East Riding of Yorkshire Council:

- Visit: www.eastriding.gov.uk/environment/pests-dogs-and-animals/dog-control-and-ownership/
- Call: 01482 393939

Reporting helps the dog warden service target problem areas and take appropriate action where needed.

By working together and continuing to look out for one another, we can keep South Cave clean, safe, and enjoyable for everyone.

Thank you for your support and community spirit.

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Spring has sprung at Mires Beck



As part of our Easter celebrations here we put together a Easter Trail around the woods and sales area. Our service users and visitors enjoyed finding the letters to work out our Easter word. Keep a look out for our Children's Gardening Week trail, at the end of May!

Changes at Mires Beck

There has been some great changes to the site over winter, from new electrics to help save power and reduce bills. A big change you will notice is your drive to the site has been improved with our new road. I think when you come to visit you will notice the difference.

Dates for your diary:

- Children's Gardening week trail starts - 23rd May 2026
- Summer Fair - 13th June 2026
- National Gardening Scheme Open Gardens - 8th July 2026

Change of opening hours

We are now open 7 days a week with our retail team ready to help. Our opening hours are 10.00am until 4.00pm right through until October. On these lovely Spring days there is nothing better than a wander around our sales area looking at the abundance of beautiful plants.

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New Bus Shelter Installed at Market Place, South Cave

Residents may have noticed the new bus shelter recently installed at Market Place in South Cave. The Parish Council is pleased to confirm that full funding for the project was secured through East Riding of Yorkshire Council.

The new shelter replaces the previous structure, which had become damaged, unstable, and beyond economical repair. In its place, a modern, low-maintenance shelter has been installed to better serve the community.

It is hoped that the improved facility will encourage the use of public transport by providing a more comfortable waiting area, offering protection from the weather and passing traffic.

The Parish Council would like to extend its thanks to East Riding of Yorkshire Council for supporting the grant application and providing full funding for this much-needed resource within the village.



REMINDER TO OUR RESIDENTS.

The National Parks & Wildlife Service (NPWS) of the Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage is reminding the public that the cutting, grubbing, burning or other destruction of "vegetation growing in any hedge or ditch" between the 1st March and 31st August is prohibited to protect birds nests.

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Get in Touch with US

Call 01430 421044 or email clerk@southcavepc.gov.uk, Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm

www.southcavepc.gov.uk

Please be aware the Town Hall opening hours are Monday 9:00am to 4:30pm, Tuesday to Friday 9:00a.m to 1:00p.m

If you wish to report fly tipping also this must be reported to the ERYC direct as soon as you see the problem by calling: 01482 393939 or visiting the Eryc website at Fly-tipping and illegal waste disposal (eastriding.gov.uk)

Fallen Trees or Dangerous Trees on a footpath or public highway please call ERYC on 01482 393939 or visit:

<https://www.eastriding.gov.uk/environment/roads-streets-traffic-and-parking/roads-pavements-and-traffic/road-and-footpath-maintenance/>

Fly Posting and Illegal Signage please call the ERYC on 01482 393939 or visit: Fly-posting and illegal advertising signs (eastriding.gov.uk)

Dog Fouling, Control and Ownership, please call the ERYC on 01482 393939 or visit:

<https://www.eastriding.gov.uk/environment/pests-dogs-and-animals/dog-control-and-ownership/>

East Riding of Yorkshire Council Website: www.eastriding.gov.uk

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