

What is the Annual Parish Meeting?

This is a meeting for the residents of the village. It provides an opportunity for the Parish Council and other local organisations to report briefly on their activities and achievements over the past year. Importantly it also provides an opportunity for residents to raise issues of concern and to make suggestions for improvements within the village.

Why is there an Annual Parish Meeting?

Every parish in England is required by Law to hold an annual meeting for the electors of the parish. However, many Parish Councils use the meeting as a means of bringing the community together to discuss issues of importance within the parish.

Why come to the Annual Parish Meeting?

Residents are encouraged to come to the meeting to find out what is happening in their village. This is an ideal opportunity to chat to Councillors and other residents on an informal basis and to influence the priorities for the Parish Council for the forthcoming year. The Councillors are on hand to deal with issues such as Housing, Parking and speeding. The meeting itself will not last longer than an hour!

The Chairman of
Hunston Parish Council
Liz Kenney
invites Hunston residents
to the
Annual Parish Meeting
Wednesday 17th April 2013
7.30pm
Hunston Village Hall

Hunston Annual Parish Meeting

Wednesday 17th April 2013

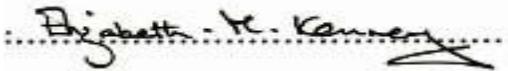
Hunston Village Hall

7.30pm

AGENDA

1. Chairman's welcome
2. Parish Council report
3. Neighbourhood Planning.
4. Village Hall
5. Residents Questions

Not later than 8.30pm refreshments will be offered and it is hoped that residents will stay and chat.

Signed  4th April 2013

Liz Kenney

Chairman – Hunston Parish Council

What are Neighbourhood Plans?

They are a new type of planning document that gives the community the power to plan our village future including what type of new homes are built and where, as well as protecting important aspects of our Village and our Community.

Why is this so important?

Without a Neighbourhood Plan, decisions on what and where development will take place will continue to be taken out of the Community's hands. At the meeting we will explain how a Neighbourhood Plan allows the Community to identify the services and infrastructure that is needed to support our community and make development sustainable.

We can effect change or be affected by change - the choice is yours. Don't leave it to others, find out more, come and express your views and take part in this process.

This is your chance to have an input into what our Neighbourhood Plan might contain. A steering group will be created which will consult widely before its final recommendations go to a public vote which would then give the plan legal status.