

Thirsk Town Council

**A Meeting of Thirsk Town Council will be held on Monday, 19 January 2026
commencing at 7.15 p.m. in Thirsk and Sowerby Town Hall Annexe**

Agenda

- 1. To receive apologies for absence**
- 2. Declarations of Interest**
- 3. Police Report**
- 4. To Receive Reports on Matters Relating to Thirsk:**
North Yorkshire Council
- 5. Open Forum**
Members of the public may raise matters with the Town Council
- 6. Minutes**
 - a) To approve the Minutes of the Town Council Meeting held on 17 November 2025
 - b) Matters Arising
- 7. Committee Minutes and Reports**
 - a) Planning Committee – Minutes of Meeting held on 17 November 2025 & a Summary dated 15 December 2025
- 8. Burial Board Minutes/Report, Applications for Memorials**
- 9. Correspondence/Items Raised**
 - a) Yorkshire Air Ambulance – Request for Donation**
To receive an email dated 19 November 2025 from Yorkshire Air Ambulance. Attached pages 3 & 4.
 - b) Sensory Gardens - Maintenance**
To receive a letter dated 1 December 2025 from Ms Rebecca Frank. Attached page 5.
 - c) Planned Road Restriction Notification – Thirsk 10 Mile Run 2026**
To receive an email dated 22 December 2025 from North Yorkshire Council. Attached page 6.
 - d) Christmas in Thirsk**
To receive emails dated 3 January 2026 and 6 January 2026 from Ms Jo Wood. Attached pages 7 & 8.
 - e) Urban Highway Grass Cutting**
To receive a letter dated 6 January 2026 from North Yorkshire Council. Attached pages 9 & 10.
 - f) Thirsk Town Investment Plan Survey**
To receive an email and attachment dated 9 January 2026 from North Yorkshire Council. Attached pages 11 to 14.

g) Riponian Stages Rally – Sunday, 8 February 2026

To receive a letter dated January 2026 from Mr Alan Hill, Ripon Motor Sport Club Limited. Attached page 15.

h) Visit Thirsk Website – Visitor Metrics

Cllr Duffey has requested that this item be placed on the agenda. Attached page 16.

10. Budgets/Precept 2026/27

To consider the following documents and set the precept for the financial year 2026/2027 (all attached)

- (i) Summary budget
- (ii) Administration/miscellaneous/grants/donations
- (iii) Burial Board budget
- (iv) Amenities budget (incorporating Central Areas)
- (v) Personnel & Office budget
- (vi) Public Conveniences budget
- (vii) Draft precept calculation
- (viii) Parish precept calculator

11. Accounts for Payment

12. Reports from Members/Representatives

H Kemp
Clerk to the Council