



Stone
Town Council

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Dear Councillor,

A meeting of the **MAYOR'S CHARITY SUB COMMITTEE** will be held in the **Council Chamber at 15 Station Road, Stone**, on **TUESDAY 2 JUNE 2026 at 7:15pm**, or on the rising of the Environment Sub-Committee, if later.

The agenda is set out below and I trust you will be able to attend.

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Councillors: A. Best (Chairman), R. Townsend (Vice Chairman), J. Davies, L. Davies,
I. Fordham, T. Kelt, R. Kenney, P. Leason, J. Metters and J. Powell

AGENDA

1. **To receive apologies for absence**
2. **Declarations of Interest**
3. **Requests for Dispensations**
4. **Representations from Members of the Public**

To consider representations from members of the public on items to be considered at this meeting, in accordance with the Council's scheme of public participation.

5. **Minutes of previous meeting**

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Mayor's Charity Sub Committee held on 15 July 2025, Minute Numbers: MC26/001 – MC26/006 (attached).

6. **Mayor 2025-26**

To report the final amounts donated to the Mayor's charities.

7. **Mayor 2026-27**

To confirm the charity/charities for the year.

Will any Councillors who wish to speak at this meeting, but are not members of the Sub-Committee, please inform the Chairman before the start of the meeting

Members of the public are welcome to attend the Mayor's Charity Sub-Committee Meeting as observers and/or to make representations to the committee in accordance with the Council's scheme of public participation. Details of this scheme are displayed on the Town Council's noticeboards and website.

Please access the Council Chamber from the rear of the building.

Stone Town Council – Mayor’s Charity Sub-Committee

Minutes of the meeting held in the Council Chamber at 15 Station Road, Stone, on Tuesday 15 July 2025

PRESENT: Councillor J. Metters in the Chair and
Councillors: A. Best, J. Davies, L. Davies, T. Kelt, R. Kenney and R. Townsend

Officers: R. Edwards, L. Fleetwood and T. Williams

ABSENT: Councillor: I. Fordham, P. Leason, and J. Powell

MC26/001 Apologies

Apologies were received from Councillors: I. Fordham, P. Leason and J. Powell

MC26/002 Declarations of Interest and Requests for Dispensations

None received.

MC26/003 Representations from Members of the Public

None received.

MC26/004 Minutes of previous meeting

The minutes of the Mayor’s Charity Sub-Committee meeting held on 16 July 2024, Minute Numbers MC25/001 – MC25/006 were approved as a correct record.

MC26/005 Mayor 2024-25 – Report of final amounts donated to the Mayor’s Charities

In the absence of Councillor Philip Leason, Town Mayor 2024-25, the Deputy Town Clerk provided a verbal report on the final value that was collected towards the Mayor’s Charities.

She advised the Sub-Committee that the Town Mayor had reported that during his Mayoral year 2024-25, a sum of £3,696.57 had been raised, to be allocated between his chosen charities as follows:

Stone Community First Responders - £2,500
Stone Alzheimer’s Club - £500
Stone Stroke Club - £696.57

The Deputy Town Clerk also reported that she had been advised by the Town Mayor (2024-25) that he was aware of additional funds that would need to be diverted to his charities, when received.

The Sub-Committee congratulated Councillor Leason on the impressive sum of money that he had raised.

RESOLVED: That the total sum collected on behalf of the Mayor's charities for the year 2024-25 be apportioned in the sums specified above.

RESOLVED: That the Town Clerk be awarded delegated authority to distribute the additional late sum of money to the Town Mayor's Charities, when received, in consultation with the Town Mayor 2024-25.

MC26/006 Mayor 2025-26 – To confirm the charities for the year

The Town Mayor, Councillor Jason Metters, proposed that his chosen Mayor's charities for the year 2025-26 would be:

- Stone Community First Responders
- Stone Stroke Club, and
- Stone Alzheimer's Club

RESOLVED: To support the Town Mayor's choice of proposed charities.