

**RECREATION & OPEN SPACES COMMITTEE MEETING – 7.30PM OR ON THE
RISING OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE
17th AUGUST 2026, THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, THE GALTRES CENTRE**

AGENDA

1.	Chairman To elect a Chairman.
2.	To note any apologies and reasons given
3.	To resolve to adjourn the meeting for up to 15 minutes to take questions or comments through the Chairman from members of the public.
4.	Clerk's Progress Report • The Handyman has continued with the programme of repairs to the playgrounds • Joe Tate has cut the edge of the skills track • The willow tree and stump grinding have been completed • Top Cut Trees have completed the work at Millfields, Mallison Hill Woods and the Dawney allotments • Top Cut Trees have been instructed to deal with the damaged tree on Rowan Avenue
5.	Action Plan To receive the action plan and agree any actions required
6.	Terms of Reference To review the terms of reference and agree any amendments
7.	Millfields 7.1 To receive the Management Plan and review progress and required actions 7.2 To consider the installation of a tap and resolve the way forward 7.3 To consider the report from the Fire Services regarding the meadows and resolve the way forward 7.4 To receive an email regarding trees obscuring streetlights and agree the way forward
8.	Memorial Park 8.1 To receive an update from the Memorial Park Working Group and agree any actions required 8.2 To receive an email from a member of the public regarding a fence and agree the way forward
9.	Chase Garth To receive an update from the Chase Garth Working Group and agree any actions required
10.	Management of Other Open Spaces To receive an update and agree any actions required
11.	Playgrounds. 11.1 To receive the playground inspection reports and agree the way forward 11.2 To receive an email from a member of the public regarding a piece of play equipment in the Memorial Park and agree the way forward
12.	Trees 12.1 To receive an email from a member of the public regarding watering the trees in Millfields and agree the way forward 12.2 To receive an update on the management of Mallison Hill Woods
13.0	Risk Assessment To review progress on the Risk Assessment and agree any actions required.
14.0	Finance To note the financial position as of 31 st July 2026

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15.0	Date of the Next Meeting 16 th November 2026 at 7.30pm or on the rising of the Planning Committee.
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10th August 2026

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NOTES FOR MEMBERS; Declarations of Interests

Members are reminded that they will need to consider whether they have a personal or prejudicial interest to declare on any items on this agenda. **Declarations of interest should be made at the start of the relevant agenda item**, but members may also declare an interest as soon as it becomes apparent during discussion. Members need to specify whether it is a personal or prejudicial interest and the nature of the interest when making a declaration. If you have any doubts, please contact the Clerk or NYC Monitoring Officer, in sufficient time to allow any issues which arise to be researched adequately.