

Pentney Parish Council, July Report 2026.

On Wednesday 15th July 2026, Pentney Parish Council (PC) held its regular monthly meeting, two members of the public attended. No meeting was held in August.

New Clerk & Cllr!

Pentney Parish Council would like to extend a warm welcome to our new Clerk, Amy Hart who comes to us with valuable Clerking experience from Castle Acre Parish Council and is currently qualifying with CiLCA (Certificate in Local Council Administration). Amy commenced her role on 08th June 2026. Further good news is that Pentney Parish Council is currently full, having recently filled its 'last seat' by extending an offer to Cllr Majid Yazdian-Tehrani, a long-standing Resident of Pentney and Member of the Village Hall committee. Pentney PC looks forward to working with both Amy & Cllr Yazdian-Tehrani.

Narborough Road Bus Shelter Refurbishment

Residents may notice that the successful refurbishment of Pentney Bus Shelter was completed in April 2026 by a local contractor; including works to the roof and internal paint & refresh. It is further welcome news, that upon recent request via the Norfolk County Council 'Bus Shelter funding scheme' that NCC Highways will be covering 80% of the total cost of the works and providing £1,728 (80%) of the £2,160 total cost. As a further update, NCC Highways have also committed to financing and ordering 'raised curbs' for both sides of the road to further aide inclusivity and access. Further works are scheduled in the coming months.

Thank you to our Litter Pickers & Speed Awareness Co-ordinator

Pentney PC has sincere thanks to give this month, the first being to the Resident couple, who have for more years than can be counted, dedicated themselves to picking litter and ensuring that the roadsides and public spaces in the Village have been kept nothing short of spotless. The lack of litter in Pentney has, over the years been noticed not just by our Cllrs but Residents and Visitors to the Village too. The Parish Council would like to wish these Resident Volunteers all the very best for their retirement after 'hanging up' their gloves and litter picking duties this month. Thank you for all the time you have given and for all you have done.

The Parish Council would also like to say a sincere thanks to the Resident who has for several years undertaken our Speed Awareness Co-ordinator role and has made a hugely valuable and ongoing contribution to the Village, keeping Drivers, Residents and Visitors to Pentney much safer on the roads. Our volunteer downloads monthly data and creates reports from Pentney PC's two SAM2 speed monitors stationed in **14 locations** across the Village.

Did you know? According to the SAM2 speed monitors, between April 2025 & April 2026 a total of 189619 journeys were made through Pentney Village of which 44553 (23.5%) were of a speed of above 32.8mph. We can only imagine what these figures would be without the dedicated Volunteer help we continue to receive as a Village...

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Pentney PC's next meeting is 7:30pm, Wednesday 9th September 2026, at Pentney Village Hall.
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