

BIDEFORD TOWN COUNCIL



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Richard Coombes
Acting Town Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer

Wednesday 28 January 2026

To: Members of the Tourism Committee

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of **Tourism Committee** of the above-named Council to be held in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Bideford, on **Tuesday 3 February 2026 at 6.30 pm** for the purpose of transacting the following business.

In accordance with The Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960 members of the public are welcome to attend. There is a legal right to film/record/photograph/report public meetings.

R Coombes
Acting Clerk to the Council

AGENDA

1. To receive apologies and reasons for absence.
2. To receive declarations of interest on items on the agenda and note any requests for dispensation received by the Clerk prior to the meeting. Enc
3. Public participation session of 15 minutes duration on items on the agenda.
4. To approve the minutes of the Meeting held on 11 November 2025 as a correct record. (Approved at Town Council Meeting 13 November 2025.) Enc
5. To receive a request, and information, from Torridge District Council regarding the use of the “Christmas Tree holders,” to display “wayfinding aids.” Email/To follow
6. To discuss the preparation, allocation of resources including personnel, for 2026/2027 Events and make recommendations accordingly:
 - a. Bideford Fair, incorporating Mayor’s Introduction Parade, Saturday, 6 June 2026.
 - b. Landivisiau Twinning.

- c. Chudleigh Picnic.
- d. Jigsaw Event.
- e. Afternoon Tea and Cream Tea Festival.
- f. Other Events.

TOURISM COMMITTEE

Councillors:	D Bushby	J Craigie	C Hawkins
	J Hellyer	K Hind	P Lawrence (Chairman)
	S Smith		

Date of Next Meeting: 17 March 2026