

**Holme on Spalding Moor Parish Council**

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Dear Councillor

A meeting of the Burial Committee of Holme on Spalding Moor Parish Council will be held on Wednesday 28 October 2009 in the Methodist Chapel, Selby Road. The meeting will take place after the Special Planning Meeting which starts at 7.30pm. You are summoned to attend, if you are unable to attend, would you please contact me in order that I can record your apologies.

Steve Young

**AGENDA**

The meeting has been called to discuss the Consecration of the new cemetery  
Would you please try and visit the new cemetery before the meeting

The grass has been cut, the hedge has been cut and the Consecration Stones have been put in place so hopefully the site is ready for the event

I will try and meet with Rev Nigel Strafford before the meeting to check any details he needs to arrange, he has confirmed that he can 'supply' the necessary two Church of England Clergy

I have confirmed with the Bishop of Selby that the Consecration will be on Sunday 22 November at 2.00pm

Doreen has confirmed that she will talk to ERYC Planning about the condition to plant a hedge along the two open sides, this was seen as detrimental by the Burial Committee as the view will be spoiled. Indeed the Arch-Deacon of York commented on the wonderful open aspect

I will get a price from Hagrapat to make three new paths from the central path to the hedge in the same style as the existing central path plus I will ask about digging holes for planting of new trees

The advice from Diocesan Registrar contains the following points;

1. A table and chair are needed near the cemetery entrance, I will ask Nigel
2. Light refreshments should be provided, I will ask Nigel if the Church could be used and you can decide who might provide them
3. The Diocesan Registrar will ask Nigel to invite the PCC and Church-wardens
4. We need to invite all Parish Councillors
5. We should invite any Clergy and Ministers of other denominations in the district, would you please list relevant people from HOSM and the surrounding district
6. Funeral Directors, stonecarvers and monumental masons could also be invited, again I will ask Nigel for help but please list any you know of.