

**Minutes of the meeting of the Benson Parish Council Finance Committee held on
Thursday 21st May 2026 at 4.45pm**

Present:	Cllr Jordan (Chair)	(RJ)
	Cllr Pattison	(BP)
	Cllr Baylis	(PB)
	Cllr Murray	(PM)
	Cllr Skeels	(IS)
	Nicola Copland	(CLK)
Proper Officer:	Anna Field	(RFO)

1. **Apologies and note of absence** – none
2. **Declarations of Interest** – Cllr Jordan signed re item 5
3. **Public Session** – none
4. **Vote to exclude the general public from the remainder of this meeting pursuant to section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 because of the sensitive nature of the business to be transacted under the agenda** unanimous
5. RFO presented the summary of the legal position re the Tennis Club lease. It was agreed no further action is required at this time. Any developments will be reported to the Committee by the RFO in the normal way