



Help Shape Northallerton's Future

Residents, businesses and community groups are being invited to play a part in shaping the future of Northallerton, as the Town Council explores the development of a new Neighbourhood Plan.

A short introduction to the project will take place at the **Annual Town Meeting on Monday 11 May at 7pm**, where you'll have the chance to hear what's involved and share your early thoughts.

A Neighbourhood Plan gives the community a stronger voice in how the town develops—covering things like new developments, green spaces, infrastructure and walking and cycling routes. It's all about making sure local priorities are at the heart of future decisions.

As Mayor Cllr Andrew Hugill shared, *"This is the start of an important conversation about Northallerton's long-term future."*

The meeting will include a brief presentation followed by an opportunity to chat with councillors and the working group. No prior knowledge is needed—just come along, listen, and have your say.

£85,000 Boost for New Town Centre Events

Northallerton is set for an exciting programme of new events, thanks to an **£85,000 grant** awarded to the Town Council and Northallerton BID.

The funding will support *Vibrant Northallerton*—a new partnership-led events programme designed to build on the town's already popular calendar, bringing even more energy into the high street over the next few years.

Plans include four brand-new events:

- Summer Beach Weekend
- Winter Food Market
- Ice & Fire Trail
- Green & Active Living Festival



Together, the events aim to attract thousands of visitors, encourage people to spend longer in the town, and give a real boost to local businesses.

A Northallerton BID spokesperson said the programme is about *"showcasing everything that makes our town special while giving businesses a real boost"*, bringing more people into the town centre and encouraging them to stay longer.

As Mayor of York & North Yorkshire David Skaith highlighted, *"Our high streets are where our communities come together... by supporting Vibrant Northallerton, we're helping create events that bring people in, support local businesses and make the town a place people want to return to."*

Mayor Cllr Andrew Hugill added, *"These new events will add energy and variety to the life of the town and provide more opportunities for residents and visitors to enjoy Northallerton."*

More details and event dates will be announced soon—but it's safe to say there's lots to look forward to!

Welcome to Bean & Bake

We're delighted to welcome **Bean & Bake Café**, now open at Northallerton Town Hall.

Bringing something a little special to the heart of the town, Bean & Bake offers speciality coffees, fine teas and delicious artisan bakes—all with a proud celebration of Yorkshire flavours.

It's a lovely new addition to the Town Hall, and we'd encourage you to stop by, say hello and treat yourself to a warm drink or something freshly baked.

Let's give a warm welcome to this fantastic new local business 🍷

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Annual Town Meeting
Monday 11th May
7pm until 8pm

At our Annual Town Meeting, you'll have the opportunity to:

Meet your Councillors

Chat to members of local community groups

Ask questions



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Mayors Update

Since our last meeting I have attended the following;

Meeting with a member of the public, who attended our last meeting, and Cllr Calvert to discuss the options for the Council supporting a charity he is in the process of setting up. After a discussion the best option seemed to be having a NTC member to sit on the Charity Committee which is yet to be created.

With the Deputy Mayor and Clerk, I attended a breakfast meeting with Rotary Northallerton Mowbray at the Northallerton Inn.

Alongside the Clerk and Deputy Mayor I attended a Steering Group meeting for the NYC Town Investment Plan. A large amount of

information, gathered from workshops over the last few months, is now being collated into a final draft which is expected next month. This will be an important document moving forwards and the Town Council has played a key role in its development.



Best regards

Andrew Hugill

Mayor

Northallerton Town Council



Upcoming Town
Council Monthly
Meeting



**Our Next Town Council Meeting
in the Upper Town Hall**

**Monday 16th June,
7pm**

Local residents are welcome to attend and raise any matters for the council to consider at the start of the meeting.

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