

AGENDA ITEM

EASINGTON VILLAGE PARISH COUNCIL CEMETERY & GROUNDS MEETING

SEPTEMBER 2025

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Proposal to construct a permanent memorial at Seaton Holme.

Background

The only memorial to the fallen in Easington Village is a stone and memorial window located within St Mary's Church. Traditionally, the Chair of EVPC visits this on Remembrance Day and lays a wreath on behalf of Council. However, this is not well attended by the public or villagers in general, and thus is not seen.

Indeed, many people do not know that it exists.

An Armistice Day service held on the lawn of Seaton Holme in November 2024 was very well attended by the general public including around 100 children from St Mary's CE school who included Remembrance as part of their curriculum.

This will also happen again on Tuesday 11 November 2025 and the Headteacher of the Primary School has indicated that the whole school will attend.

Proposal:

The proposal is to construct a simple memorial wall on the grass in front of Seaton Holme near to the existing flag pole. The design will include all of the names on the existing memorial in the church.

The memorial to be included in the 2026 budget and in place by the end of October 2026.