



# NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

## NEWSLETTER

January 2026



The designated boundaries for the Barnham Broom Neighbourhood Plan

### BOUNDARIES & GRANTS; WE HAVE BIG NEWS

We're pleased to confirm that, following the Parish Council submission to South Norfolk Council, the Parish boundaries for Barnham Broom have been **officially designated** by the council for the Neighbourhood Plan.

This means our Neighbourhood Plan is officially in progress and we're able to apply for monetary grants...

Speaking of which, we're **ECSTATIC** to confirm that South Norfolk Council has awarded us a total of **£16,000 grant** to go towards the production of our Neighbourhood Plan. This money (along with the £1,564.39 already raised) will cover the majority, if not all, the associated costs and relieves the pressure on the community to raise funds. It also means we can pay a Consultant to do the majority of the work, relieving the pressure from the Working Group which is made up of local volunteers.

### PLANS FOR EARLY 2026

There will be lots happening in this new year, including:

- Consultant onboarding
- Draft Vision & Objectives for community feedback
- Community Engagement Questionnaires

### SCHOOL COMPETITION WINNERS

We had fantastic entries from Barnham Broom Primary School children, submitting writing and artwork to represent Barnham Broom. This was displayed, and voted for, at our Launch Event in October. The children have now all received their certificates and prizes.

### PARISH COUNCIL

The Working Group have agreed that the Parish Council hold all monies raised, along with the grants from SNDC, for the Neighbourhood Plan.

This will be ring-fenced and reported on at each council meeting.

The charity and bank account we originally set up for the Neighbourhood Plan, has subsequently been closed. We're also pleased that the Parish Council Clerk will be providing administrative support to the working group, and Neighbourhood Plan creation. If you'd prefer, you can contact the clerk regarding the Neighbourhood Plan.

#### KEEP IN TOUCH



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Minutes are on the Parish Council website  
[www.barnhambroompc.wixsite.com/home/neighbourhood-plan](http://www.barnhambroompc.wixsite.com/home/neighbourhood-plan)



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#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Working Group Meeting  
Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 19:30  
Village Hall

ALL WELCOME

