

# Culture and Leisure Overview and Scrutiny Committee



SOUTH  
KESTEVEN  
DISTRICT  
COUNCIL

Tuesday, 14 October 2025 at 10.00 am  
Council Chamber – South Kesteven House,  
St. Peter's Hill, Grantham, NG31 6PZ

**Committee** Councillor Murray Turner (Chairman)  
**Members:** Councillor Barry Dobson (Vice-Chairman)

Councillor Matthew Bailey, Councillor Emma Baker, Councillor James Denniston, Councillor Gareth Knight, Councillor Robert Leadenhams, Councillor Chris Noon and Councillor Rhea Raysia

## Agenda

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- 1. Public Speaking**  
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- 2. Apologies for absence**
- 3. Disclosure of Interests**  
Members are asked to disclose any interests in matters for consideration at the meeting.
- 4. Minutes from the meeting held on 15 July 2025** (Pages 3 - 13)
- 5. Minutes from the Extraordinary meeting held on 28 August 2025** (Pages 15 - 23)

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6. **Updates from the previous meeting** (Page 25)
7. **Announcements or updates from the Leader of the Council, Cabinet Members or the Head of Paid Service**
8. **Play Area Strategy Update** (Pages 27 - 45)  
To provide an update to the Committee on progress of the Action Plan accompanying the Play Area Strategy.
9. **Grantham Parks Update** (Pages 47 - 57)  
To provide the Committee with information relating to the three main Grantham Parks and the facilities and activities provided
10. **Cultural Strategy 6 monthly Update** (Pages 59 - 79)  
To update the committee on progress with the action plan and KPIs regarding the cultural strategy.
11. **Sport and Physical Activity Strategy (2021 - 2026) – October 2025 Update** (Pages 81 - 92)  
To provide an update on the progress and delivery of the Sport and Physical Activity Strategy (2021 - 2026) and the accompanying Action Plan.
12. **LeisureSK Ltd Performance Report** (Pages 93 - 100)  
To provide an update to the Culture and Leisure Overview and Scrutiny Committee on the performance of LeisureSK Ltd against the leisure management contract objectives
13. **Work Programme 2025/26** (Pages 101 - 103)
14. **Any other business which the Chairman, by reason of special circumstances, decides is urgent**