Bourtons Parish Council Website Accessibility Statement – agreed February 2026 minute 0226.22

This statement applies to content published on the Bourtons parish website domain and outlines our ongoing efforts to make our website accessible to everyone. It includes our commitment to ensuring equal access and opportunity for all individuals, including those with disabilities.

This website is run by KC graphics on behalf of Bourtons parish council. Council documents, Bourton Broadsheets, Church services and news items are updated by one of the councillors. It is designed to be used by as many people as possible. The text should be clear and simple to understand. You should be able to:

- zoom in up to 300% without problems;
- navigate most of the website using just a keyboard;
- navigate most of the website using speech recognition software;
- use most of the website using a screen reader.

Accessibility:

Parts of this website are not fully accessible. For example:

- some images do not have image descriptions
- many documents are in PDF format and may not be easily accessible to those who are unable to open a PDF document.

Feedback and contact information:

Tell us if you need information in a different format. There's a comment form on every news page.

In your message, include:

- the web address (URL) of the content
- your email address and name
- how you'd like to receive the information.

Bourtons parish council will then endeavour to improve the website to cater to this need. However, changes cannot be guaranteed.

Reporting accessibility problems with this website:

If you find any problems that are not listed on this page or you think we're not meeting the accessibility requirements, please contact us at clerk@bourtons-cherwell-pc.gov.uk

Enforcement procedure:

If you contact us with a complaint and you're not happy with our response contact the Equality Advisory and Support Service (EASS).

The Equality and Human Rights Commission (EHRC) is responsible for enforcing the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018 (the 'accessibility regulations').

Technical information about this website's accessibility:

We are committed to making our website accessible, in accordance with the Public Sector Bodies (Websites and Mobile Applications) (No. 2) Accessibility Regulations 2018.

Compliance status:

This website is compliant with the Web Content Accessibility Guidelines version 2.2 AA standard. The website is regularly tested using WCAG2.2AA compliance tools.

What we're doing to improve accessibility:

Improvements to the site accessibility is an ongoing process. Regular updates will be made to the site to ensure it's at the highest practical level of accessibility.