

Kirkhill & Bunchrew Community Council

Minutes of meeting held in the Old North Inn on Tuesday 23 August 2016.

Chairperson: Cameron Kemp

Present: Fred Geddes, Karen Young, Judith Rumbold, Helen Carmichael, Jean Davis, Margaret Davidson.

PC MacIver attended for part of meeting.

1). **Apologies** – Chris Heaton-Armstrong, Emma Knox.

2). **Minutes of meeting Tuesday 28th June 2016** –

The minutes were agreed as a true record. Proposer Judith Rumbold and Seconder Fred Geddes.

3). **Matters Arising** – Jim Ogilvie had afternoon tea at the Inverness Town House arranged by Provost Helen Carmichael on 10 August in recognition of his long and dedicated service as Secretary to the Community Council. Jim was accompanied by his god daughter. Judith, Karen and Cameron also attended. This all went very well and was enjoyed by those attending including the guided tour of the Town House.

4). **Police Report** – The following is the report from Police Scotland:

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT FORM

Command Area	Inverness	Community Group	Kirkhill and Bunchrew
Station	Beauly	Officer	PC 746 Macdonald
Date of Meeting	23/08//2016	Location	Bog Roy Public House
Meeting Attended	PC 311 MacIver	Meeting Not Attended (Contact Made)	N/A

Meeting Preparation

<p>Ward and Local Policing Plan Priorities.</p>	<p>Activities conducted over the reporting period to support those priorities.</p>
<p>1. Road Safety</p> <p>2. Public Protection</p> <p>3. Alcohol / Antisocial Behavior</p> <p>4. Crimes of Dishonesty</p>	<p>1. Police have been carrying out checks on the A862 and a number of drivers have been issued with fixed penalties for Mobile Phone, seatbelt, speeding offences as well as construction and use offences.</p> <p>2. Nothing relevant to area.</p> <p>3. A males were apprehended following a disturbance at a house in Kirkhill. A report has been sent to the PF. The owner of two dogs in Kirkhill has been issued with a Dog Control Notice</p> <p>4. Nothing Relevant to the area</p>
<p>Update on Previously Agreed Actions – See previous OP 55/8 & Relevant Reference on the Area Command Action Tracking Table</p>	
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<p>Update on any local community safety issues / trends within the community and any assistance / information requested from the community. Review IMPACT / intelligence etc</p>	
<p>630 incidents have been logged in the west rural section since 18/6/2016.</p> <p>Many of these incidents relate to Belladrum music and Groove Festivals which have occurred within the beat areas.</p>	

The key message at the meeting was that members of the public are encouraged to report anything suspicious by calling 101.

5). **Planning Issues** – There has been an application for forestry buildings at the sawmill site at Newtonhill.

6). **AOB** – The position of Secretary remains vacant and those interested in this vital role on the Community Council are encouraged to make themselves known.

The SSE Liaison Officer is to be invited to the next available CC meeting.

Discussion is ongoing about the provision of housing for disabled needs on land adjacent to the Inchmore playing field.