

Meeting of the Kirkhill & Bunchrew Community Council

Minute of Meeting, Tuesday 24th April 2018

Present

Fred Geddes, Cameron Kemp, Cllr. Emma Knox, Alistair MacNeil, Judith Rumbold, Karen Young.

In attendance

P.C. Scott Maclean, Lindsey Stout (Minutes Secretary).

| 1. Apologies | <u>Actions</u> |
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| Chris Heaton-Armstrong. | |
| 2. Minutes of the meeting of 28 th February 2018 | |
| Approved, following change to date of meeting to reflect actual date of 24 th April, as opposed to original date set of 17 th April. Proposed by Alistair MacNeil, seconded by Fred Geddes. | |
| 3. Matters Arising of the meeting of 28 th February 2018 | |
| Item 3 | |
| The defibrillator at the Community Centre in Kirkhill. Alistair MacNeil has spoken to Erik Lundberg. Erik says that it is regularly maintained. Query for Erik Lundberg – is it registered with the Ambulance Service? | АМ |
| There has been a delay in starting pruning in the Millennium Garden but the cause is known and the matter is in the hands of Erik Lundberg. | |
| The potholes have been filled but the edge has not been repaired. There is less damage to the road surface at present because there are less timber-carrying vehicles on the road at present. | |
| Item 7 | |
| The website is out of date. Could Dave Knox put on a link to the Community Council Facebook page and take off the link for the old website? | Cllr EK/CK |
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4. Police Report

P.C. Scott Maclean was in attendance. A dog control notice was issued for a dog loose in a field. Sheep might abort. No damage was done. There was the same issue with the same dog two years ago.

One person was charged for drink-driving. 3 penalties were issued. One person was reported for speeding, at a speed outside the limits of a discretionary ticket.

5. Planning Issues

Fred Geddes wrote a reminder to Alan Bryce, Enforcement Officer regarding Planning Application Ref. 15/04751/MSC Erection of Managers House at Lentran by Brandon Landscaping Ltd. The next meeting with the applicant is on 30th April 2018. Cllr. Emma Knox said that she will contact him to say that it is not good enough. The previous Planning Officer, Keith Gibson, had met with Fred Geddes on site and was in agreement that the work was not in agreement with the planning proposal.

6. Any Other Business

Wardlaw Mausoleum. Erik Lundberg has been in contact with Alistair MacNeil. Erik is in the process of investigating a fund to pinpoint areas of the Mausoleum which could do with maintenance, including the trees.

Potholes. Fred Geddes said that there were potholes on the road from Lentran Station to Newtonhill, on the corner. There is a link on the Highland Council website to report potholes. FG Fred Geddes will report these.

Litter. Fred Geddes reported that a member of the public had complained about litter on the verge from Clachnaharry to Bunchrew. A team has been out to pick litter. Litter clearing is in response to complaints.

Recycling Centre. Fred Geddes asked that forms be given out at the recycling centre instead of having to go to another office to get one, which puts people off recycling and encourages dumping in the countryside. Cllr. Emma Knox is to look into this.

14. Dates of Future Meetings

- Tuesday 29th May 2018
- Tuesday 21 August 2018

Meetings are to be held at the Old North Inn, Inchmore and begin at 7.30pm. The next meeting, on Tuesday 29th May 2018, is the Annual General Meeting. All are welcome.





The next meeting is on Tuesday 29th May 2018 at 7:30pm in the Old North Inn



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