

Bellyeoman Community Council

Serving NE Dunfermline

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MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 09 MAY 2012 AT 7.00PM IN THE JEAN MACKIE CENTRE. DUNFERMLINE.

PRESENT:

Wilma Allday (Madam Chairman), Derek Moore (Vice Chair), John Dudgeon (Secretary), Kate Findlay (Treasurer), Graeme Whyte, Jessie Cartmell, Douglas Campbell, Sylvia Reedie, Community Police Officers Mark Thomson & Sally Kinsell. Members of the public were Chris Wise, also Derek & Isabel Fawcett.

- 1] <u>Madam Chairman's Welcome / Apologies:</u> Madam Chairman welcomed everyone to the meeting; Apologies were received from Cllr David Mogg, Cllr Helen Law & Cllr William Campbell
- 2] <u>Minutes:</u> The Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. They were moved by Douglas Campbell and seconded by Jessie Cartmell.

3] Matters Arising From Minutes:

Trees at Alderston Drive:- Chris Wise asked if she could give an update of the actions taken so far, we asked for Mr Young, Alderston Drive Resident, to respond before 16th March, which they did, They had admitted their wrong doing and he had appointed an Arbourist and he would attend on 9th April, this was quick enough and a further letter was sent to hasten the situation this prompted a visit by Mr Young to Derek Fawcett was successful and an Arbourist attended site to make a report, he agreed with Derek Fawcett whom he spoke to while on site that the destruction was unacceptable and they would receive a copy of the report and remedial action, we are making progress, Chris, Derek & Isabel Fawcett left after this point.

QMH & Robertson Road Parking:- Derek Moore attended the recent NHS meeting, updated the meeting on NHS Day Clinics this will depend on funding. This could make the parking problems worse as clinics in the community will close, Match Funding of £20k for bicycles has been accepted. The shared car scheme from Les Park Rd car park has been unsuccessful:- On-going

Leys Park Road Car Park:- The bus will stop shortly as Tesco have delayed for 2 years, there has been considerable work done on the new flats being constructed off Leys Park Rd. causing a lot of mess. The entrance to these flats will now be off Appin Crescent.

Pathway in Park (New Nursery) including Lighting at recycling area:- On-going New Row Parking: -On-going

Newsletter/David O'Donnell:- There have been several areas where copies were not received and there was a query about the price of £300 for delivery this will be looked into. Wilma to ask David **Buses: -** Sylvia stated that there was to be a meeting in June to look at all the services, Some services have major problems with roadworks in the town centre, should improve when the works complete. – On-going

Co-op Verges: - Wilma stated that Cllr McCulloch had written to the Co-op, with no response, the fact that the site is controlled by a Managing Agents, also there is a problem with perished goods being found in the bin at the play park, after a general discussion and it was thought that the Co-op manager should be notified: – On-going

Parking in Balfour Court:- Sylvia stated that the school had been informed and it was agreed to keep this on:- On-going.

Queens Diamond Jubilee Celebrations at the school:- Sylvia stated that the School was having a Party on 1st June Fife Council had supplied Party bags and was inviting elderly people from the care homes in the area. Bellyyeoman CC would provide additional funding for each child to receive a commemorative coin, all senior children would receive a stick pin and Nursery would receive a rosette. Pictures would be taken. Also Sylvia was at the school to present the certificates for the sponsored Litter Pick and a cheque for £200 towards the sponsorship. A general discussion on where funding was coming from Derek stated that he thought we had been irresponsible in giving out money without discussions. It has been proposed by Sylvia to donate £300, seconded by John Dudgeon, this was carried, Derek abstained. Derek asked if we could cover all other people in the area, this was not possible. Graeme stated that only the £300 for distribution of newsletters was still



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to be authorised and he also stated that Sylvia has tried to go out into the community to find worthy causes to distribute community funding and the reaction from some present has been unpleasant and rude tonight, someone trying to do something positive and being met, with aggression and brick wall.

Madam Chairman's Report: The chairman had nothing to report that was not covered later in the agenda.

5] Secretary's Report Inc Correspondence:

The following correspondence was reported and made available to the meeting by the Secretary.

Correspondence Received:

Party	Details	
Fife Council	Planning Committee Meeting Agenda 20 th March	
Fife Council	Planning Committee Meeting Agenda 17 th April	
Fife Council	Improving Fife Roads Leaflet	
E Mail to Wilma	Flooding at Care Home	

6] Treasurer's Report:

The Treasurer, Kate Findlay stated that the balance of the Community Council account stood at £3100 + 65p tax. A thank you card has been received from the school for the £200. The Eco Council are planning to buy Eco bins for the school. The grant this year will be £868.24, apologies to the school for the delayed cheque, original lost in the post.

7] Council:

No councillors, but Flooding on Robertson Rd. continues after resurfacing, this will be brought to the councillors attention at next meeting.

Police Report:- Brief report on annual crime figures ,800 less crimes reported, 60% detection rate +6% best in Fife. Target sales of alcohol on Robertson Rd. and Townhill Rd now the whole area. Also speeding.

Local crime figures:- detected crimes 8 assaults, 2 drugs related, 6 RTA, 8 BOP, 1 offensive weapon. Sneak thefts are happening again be aware. Operation Segment, town centre initiative. Milk deliveries to commercial premises have to be delivered to a secure area. Personal safety talk on the 16th May at the Jean MacKay Centre, with Frazer Laird Next CEM meeting 3rd July in Townhill. Drugs awareness.

9] AOCB:

Douglas brought this to the meeting, the Road sign on Robertson Road at Whitefield Rd. end where the new water main, has not been replaced.

10] DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING:

The date & time of the next meeting was scheduled for Wednesday 13th Jun 2012 at 7.00pm in the Jean Mackie Centre, Robertson Road, Dunfermline.

There being no further business, the meeting closed at 0900pm.

Signed:	
Date:	