



## Dunure Community Council

A meeting of the above Council was convened on 11th November 1986 in the Kennedy Hall Dunure.

Sederunt Mr JA Scobie (Chairman) Mr JKR Melrose (Vice-Chairman)  
Mr Hugh Ralston (Treasurer) Mr W Crawford Mr R Corson  
Mr R Storie Mr R Bunn

Apologies Mrs AWR Kerr Mrs S Turnham

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting held on 21st October 1986 were taken as read and adopted on a proposal from Mr Crawford seconded by Mr Corson.

### Matters arising from previous minutes

1. Treasurer's Report Mr Ralston reported a balance of £162.49 following payment of £25 for Fireworks and £20 to the Secretary's petty cash.
2. Railway Bridge Parapets A letter was received from the Divisional Engineer SRC advising that the weight limit sign indicating a restriction of 13 tons 800 yards ahead at the Fisherton Junction was incorrectly sited and it would be resited near the junction to the Harbour. The Council noted.
3. Dumping of rubbish in the vicinity of Dunure Nothing to report.
4. Privatisation of the 'bus service Mr Scobie and Mr Melrose reported on the meeting held by SRC to discuss the changes to the 'bus services following the decision by the Government to privatise all services. Generally the effect on Dunure would be little with the exception of the withdrawal of the Sunday service and the cancellation of the late 'bus. The route would be a subsidised service with SRC controlling both the fares and the timetable.
5. Representation on Carrick Development Team Nothing to report.
6. Kennedy Hall Mr Corson and Mr Storie confirmed that the state of the Kennedy Hall had been discussed at the meeting in Maybole between K&CDC and the Community Councils with the letter from the Environmental Health Officer being brought to the attention of the Council Officials present. Mr Corson advised that following the meeting it was understood that an architect would be coming to assess the condition of the Hall. \*
7. Meeting of District Council and Community Councils Mr Corson advised the Council that Maybole Community Council had raised the question of farmers removing sand from Croy Shore as this action was having a detrimental effect on the beach. K&CDC agreed to investigate this problem.

The Council thanked Mr Corson and Mr Storie for attending the meeting.



\* A letter has been received from the Director of Administration advising that the question of improvement to the Kennedy Hall would be considered at the next meeting of the District Council's Leisure and Recreation Committee on 11th November 1986. A letter was also received from Mr George Foulkes MP confirming that he had written to K&CDC concerning the Hall.

#### Agenda Items

1. Street Lighting - Lane off Carrick Place Dunure The Chairman read out a letter from the Divisional Engineer SRC stating that due to stringent financial restrictions the Region was unable at the present time to give consideration to the provision of lighting at the above location.
2. Co-option of Mr Stewart, Minister The Council confirmed that Mr Stewart should be co-opted to the Council and invited to attend the next meeting.
3. Carrick 800th Celebrations Mr Allanach joined the meeting and advised that, following suggestions from the Maybole Community Council that the 800th Anniversary of the year when Carrick separated from Galloway should be celebrated. A steering Committee has been formed to organise the celebrations of one week in 1987 with the opening event being an Ecumenical Service at Crossraguel Abbey and the final event on the Saturday with a pageant at Culzean Castle attended by the Earl and Countess of Carrick. Mr Allanach advised the Council that a programme of events was being prepared and a number of organisations has already indicated that they would participate. K&CDC has indicated that a grant would be available. Mr Allanach asked if Dunure would consider taking part particularly in the pageant. The Council thanked Mr Allanach for coming to the meeting and confirmed that they would consider his suggestions. After discussion the Council agreed to consider the form of the Dunure participation at the next meeting and to invite volunteers to be co-opted to the Council to assist with the organisation of the event.

#### Any other business

1. Extension to Butlin's Caravan Park Mr Melrose advised the Council that Butlin had applied for planning permission to construct an extension of 14 acres to the static caravan park. The proposed extension would be from Sunnyside Kennels towards the sea and would not be seen from the road. Following discussion the Council agreed that future expansions of the static caravan area should be kept under review.
2. Garden Bonfires Mr Melrose raised the question of garden bonfires causing a nuisance to residents in adjacent houses. Following discussion the Council agreed to seek the advice of the local Environmental Health Officer on this problem.
3. Subletting of Council Houses The Council noted that apparently a Council house in the village is being sublet with the property being occupied by various persons over a period of time. The Council agreed that the matter be referred to K&CDC Housing Department.

4. Light at Kennedy Hall Mr Bunn raised the problem of the inadequate external light at the Kennedy Hall. Following discussion the Council agreed to refer the matter to the Kennedy Hall and Park Committee.
5. Letter to Mr Leonard Tilley The Council agreed to write to Mr Leonard Tilley thanking him for his efforts to make Bonfire Night such an enjoyable event.
6. Date of next meeting 9th December 1986

Meeting closed at 8.45 pm

*J. Scane*