

# DUNURE COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 19 JUNE 2012  
IN KENNEDY HALL, DUNURE, AT 7.30PM

**SEDERUNT:** Mr Phil Findlay(Chair); Mr Roy Storie(Treasurer); Mrs Jean McGinn, (Secretary);  
Mr Andrew Guthrie; Mr Adam Montgomerie; Mrs Dorothy Ward.  
Mr Alexander Gibson (Co-opted)

**IN ATTENDANCE:** Councillor Sandra Goldie; P C Lee Stirrat, Mrs Anne Bolton

1. **APOLOGIES:** Mrs Thea Petticrew, Councillor Wm Grant

ADOPTION OF MINUTES for meeting of 15 May: Proposed by Mr P Findlay, Seconded Mr R Storie.

**POLICE REPORT: for the period 15.5.12 to 19.6.12.**

On the evening of 26 May a male & 3 females attended an address in Castle Rd. A carer answered and a member of the group asked to use the bathroom. On being refused entry they became argumentative and stated they would report the carer. Concern that if there had not been a carer present the elderly householder may have allowed them access. The persons were described as of an Asian appearance and in their thirties.

Around 2100hrs on Tuesday 29 May two males approached another address in Castle Road where they stated they were camping nearby and requested some water. The householder provided this and was later observed to be discarded. Both males described as white, middle fifties wearing hats and under influence of alcohol or drugs.

Due to descriptions these two incidents are not believed to be linked. Extra attention has been provided by officers in the area and no further reports have been received.

**4. COUNCILLOR'S REPORT.** It has been agreed we write to ex Councillor Mairi Low thanking her for her commitment over the last five years and wishing her well in the future. We have had a communication from Councillor William Grant who hopes to attend our future meetings though he has given us apologies for this meeting owing to a previous engagement.

Councillor Goldie is happy to attend our meetings and we congratulated her on her re-election. She has no report to make at this time. However, in response to a request from Mrs Bolton about the possibility of weekly bus tickets for this route, Councillor Goldie will make enquiries on Mrs Bolton's behalf.

**5. LINK OFFICER'S REPORT:** No report but Mrs Petticrew is always happy to respond to email enquiries.

## 6. MATTERS ARISING:

- **Jubilee/Olympic Torch Celebrations:** Mr Guthrie reported this event went well and was deemed a success. Lanterns were lit at the labyrinth, a procession moved on to the harbour where a paper boat was launched and culminated with the lighting of the bonfire.
- **Tree Pruning between Arran View and Castle Road.** Mrs Petticrew states she is unaware of the council having trimmed these trees in the past. First of all the owners will have to be found and contacted, permission sought to have this work done and then she will get the council to give an estimate for the work.
- **CCCF:** Mrs Ward is prepared to continue being our representative here.
- **Mrs Ward** confirms preparations are in hand for the Gala Day which will take place on Saturday 23 June.

## 7. FINANCIAL REPORT:

The Auditor has now returned the balance sheet with all adjustments made. At this date we have a balance outstanding of £180.42.

## 8. OPEN FORUM:

**Mrs Bolton** was querying why travellers are unable to buy a weekly or season bus ticket for the route between Dunure and Ayr. Councillor Goldie will look into this.

## 9 CORRESPONDENCE:

Certificate of insurance to march 2013  
Scottish Natural Heritage Magazine  
Flyer re meetings about Tourism in Carrick  
Email from Julia Whitaker (Ailsa Horizons) wishing to attend our August meeting.

**PLANNING:** Agricultural Shed at Fisherton Farm permitted.

## 10. ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

**The Art Exhibition** will be held from Monday 30 July to Sunday 5 August.

***There being no other business, the meeting closed at 8.50pm and the next meeting will be held on Tuesday 21 August 2012.***