

## **STRUAN COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

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**Minutes of the meeting of Struan Community Council, held in Struan Primary School on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2016 at 7.00pm**

**Present:** Miss C MacLennan (Chair) Mr A Morrison Mr G MacKinnon, Mr K Davies, Mr I Beaton, Mr B Morris, Mr A Lockhart & Mr M N Beaton

### **Item 1: Welcome**

Miss C MacLennan took the Chair and welcomed all to the Meeting.

### **Item 2: Apologies for Absence**

Mrs H MacLeod

### **Item 3: Minutes of Meeting of 19<sup>th</sup> September 2016**

Minutes from the meeting of 19<sup>th</sup> September 2016 were put forward to the meeting for approval. Adoption of minutes was proposed by Mr K Davies and seconded by Mr I Beaton, duly signed and dated.

### **Item 4: Matters Arising**

#### ***a) Defibrillator Training***

Mr A Morrison advised that he is still in the process of trying to arrange a suitable date for the refresher training to be undertaken. **Action: AM**

#### ***b) Adopt a Kiosk***

Miss C MacLennan advised that since the last meeting she has e-mailed BT for an up date but to date has not received a response. .

#### ***c) Play Park & Cemetery Car Park***

Mr A Morrison advised that he has is still chasing additional estimates to allow funding application to be submitted to the Trust. **Action: AM**

#### ***d) Remembrance Map***

Mr M N Beaton & Mr K Davies provided the meeting with a template of what was proposed to be sited at the War Memorial, they intend laying it out at the Poppy Tea after the Act of Remembrance for those in attendance to view, also may glean additional information that can be incorporated, thereafter, just to finalise wording for the plaque and arrange for production of Map for putting on place. **Action: MNB & KD**

***e) Dun Beag Broch***

Mr A Morrison advised that Ms R Vaughan at Historic Scotland had been in touch further to advise that she and colleagues would be visiting the Broch on 8<sup>th</sup> November 2016, to view the site and identify the works required, in particular in respect to access, she has requested that it would be helpful if a member of eth CC could attend, Mr A Morrison advised that he has agreed to attend the meeting. **Action: AM**

***f) Community Skips***

Mr A Morrison advised he is still in the process of obtaining quotes for the provision of Skips **Action: AM**

***g) Ose Post Box***

Mr A Morrison advised that subsequent to the letter sent to Ms N Lyall at Royal Mail in Inverness, no response has been received, therefore, will write again requesting their comments. **Action: AM**

***h) Struan Village Signs***

Mr A Morrison advised he would chase up

**Action: AM**

***i) Road Surface Conditions***

Mr A Morrison advised that noting further to date has been received.

***j) Bonfire & Fireworks***

Mr A Morrison advised that Grant Funding from the Struan Community Trust had been obtained & all was arranged for the Event on Friday coming, Mr A Morrison will write Trust acknowledging receipt of the Funding.

**Item 5: Act of Remembrance**

As previously discussed the Act of Remembrance will take place at the War Memorial on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November at 10:45am, it was confirmed that the Rev Eastonberry of the Church of Scotland in Dunvegan will attend, British Legion Colour Party will attend, wreaths have been received, Donald Beaton will undertake the presenting, the Free Church can be used if the weather is inclement, Advert will be in the WHFP and the School are once again to provide a Poppy Tea after the event.

**Item 6: Mrs F MacKinnon Presentation**

Miss C MacLennan confirmed that the bench would be ready for collection in the first week of November, therefore, it was agreed to hold the presentation on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2016 in the School at 2.00pm, an invitation is to be extended to all members of the Community to attend. An Afternoon Tea to be served and the catering will be undertaken by Susan MacKinnon & Marie Morrison with assistance from other ladies in the Community, agreed that catering costs would be borne by the CC along with the purchase of a Cake. It was further agreed that after paying for the Bench, Silver Salver and Flowers from the money collected the balance will be given in the form of a cheque. Miss C MacLennan will chair the event and deliver tribute to Mr & Mrs MacKinnon.

**Item 7: Correspondence**

Letter from Struan Community Trust confirming approval of Grant Funding for Fireworks & Bonfire.

**Item 8: AOCB**


**a) Financial Up-Date**

Mr B Morris provided an up date on the financial position to date, at present balance in Account amounts to £4,442.00, incorporated within this figure are amounts of £1,875.00 for Shopping Bus Trips and £960.00 funds for presentation to Mr & Mrs MacKinnon, in addition the Highland Council Grant has been received in the sum of £714.00. Therefore, the true balance of funds available to the CC amounts to £1,607.00.

Date of next Meeting will be Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2017

Miss MacLennan thanked everyone for their attendance

There being no further business, the Meeting closed at 8.05pm.

IAN BEATON 30/1/2017  


G MacKinnon 30/1/2017