

Caldercruix Community Council
Minutes from meeting held on 13th March 2019

Present

Marion DiNardo, Richard Lewis, Kenny Clark, Gillian Black, Billy Main, Paul Watts, Sian Watts, Thom Ferrie, Chris May, Anne Marie McCabe, Cllr Alan Beveridge and Leeann Campbell.

Apologies

Colin McLeod, Jane Caldwell ad Hannah Francis.

Adoption of minutes from 14th February 2019

Proposed Kenny Clark

Seconded Gillian Black

Correspondence

Email received from St Marys to thank us for the chocolates and card.

George has secured funding and organised a course by St Johns Scotland in the use of a defib and stand by CPR. 30th May @ St Phillips from 7pm. Need names asap **Leeann, Anne Marie, Billy and Gillian interested.**

Police Report

Officers were unavailable to attend the meeting but Sgt had sent information.

50 calls – 6 crimes, 3 domestic, breech, speeding and vandalism.

Vandalism is an on going issue involving quad bikes, this has been passed to Airdrie Problem Solving Team.

Trailer camera at A89 resulted in a speeding offence and 2 tickets.

PC Begg has completed the first part of dirt bike training along with another 3 ofices.

Next Quad bike meeting 3rd April.

Treasurer's report

.£2314

Money for flower boxes at entrance to village has now been reimbursed.

Debit card transaction of £2.50 is the auditing of the books.

All paperwork has been audited, signed and forwarded to NLC.

Matters Arising

LAP Meeting – Marion and AnneMarie attended alongside Alan. Police reported a slight increase in burglaries garden sheds and bogus callers and that a youth disorder issue is also in hand.

Fire Service are hoping to introduce a cadet system.

Monklands hospital review of the consultation process will be completed in May 2019.

3 Areas outlined for money within the village.

Heritage project £35,000, Adjacent area at play park £10,000 and Play area £25,000. Alan to check what the area adjacent to play park is.

Chair person Report

Project War Memorial/ Heritage Garden

Heritage funding from National Lottery.(difficult to get)

Wren Landfill

Meeting with Sonia we don't need to lease it consultation event we should have rough plan drawings. Event 26th March from 6pm till 8pm.

Headteachers both on board to do interpretation boards on village and to hold an exhibition to showcase the childrens work at the end of the process. Suggested that the work would be carried out after the summer holidays.

Billy to look into seeing if can get a banner Whats on..... with facebook and webpage.

Barrels

Need a meeting with John Ashcroft re placing of the barrels. Alan to sort. Barrels as come off A89, along main street and in the circle at the top shops.

Have our own competition within the village and enter into the Airdrie North competition being organised by George from Plains Community Futures.

Devise a contract for people taking on the barrels so if no longer can manage them who to contact to hand them over.

Litter pick

Was a success. Many thanks to Chris May for the gloves. A few families attended to help.

St Phillips school head has said if we can give her dates she can possibly get us some help with these. Option for before Fun Day.

Summer Fayre

Saturday 10th August Alan to sort out the let at community centre.

Awaiting to hear from Nat re the rides. Leeann has emailed a few people who had tables last year to see if they would like to again this year (Helen McKay, Foodbank, Scouts).

Do you think we could purchase some more gazebos cost was approximately £140 if we hire from NLC in region of £500 for the 3. Members felt that this would be a better option as we wouldn't need to hire each year.

Going to ask for donations, 2 dance schools, Aces and possibly Owls.

Money from the raffle to be kept separate from other Fun Day money as this money can go towards the Defibrillator. Chemist will be happy to have the electricity supply via there, Would involve 2 members doing a monthly check once it is in situ. Just Giving page to be set up for donations.

Local Councillor

Work to be started by Criminal Justice service to the paths up Gowan Brae. Stones being given by Cairnlea Quarry.

John Whittaker is going to get the machine to clear up the paths and circle area at the top shop. (will be done once machine is fixed)

A89 speeding is a big issue.

Fly tipping covert cameras stick out a mile as they can be seen.

City link deal 2023 road from Newhouse link road between Clarkston and Plains. Will improve access to M8.

AOCB

Monkey Survey winner not contacted us so number 2 to be offered prize.

Bus companies throwing out rubbish from school buses and night service by McGills.

Concern around rubbish tips taking no vans and trailers and also fly tipping with the cost of uplifts

Community Action plan a meeting has been organised with Ruth.

Area at bottom of Gowan Brae by the new red and yellow signage could we possibly do something to it to make it look nicer possibly make into a rockery area. (to approach villagers to see if can get a mini digger to help).

No word from planning as yet although there is a proposal to turn the Owl and Trout into holiday flats. Leeann to email P Prentice to look at email addresses.

Alan to look at conditions of planning along Eastfield Road as appears to becoming larger.

More bins are needed in the village and along cycle path.

Fishing session starts again March 14th.

Thom to email Ladbroke's to see if can get the building painted to tidy it up.

Date Next meeting 18th April 2019 at 7pm.