## Noise from the Golf Club

Cllr Parry had previously discussed with the owners of the Golf Club a number of issues and they had agreed to provide a list of upcoming events which could be put up on the notice board outside the Village Hall. So far, nothing has been received. The parking is still a concern but the noise levels of groups congregating near the main door have improved slightly. The Community Council felt disappointed that it had not been invited along to attend the Golf Club's last meeting. It was agreed that Cllr Parry would follow up with an e-mail.

## Standard Letter : Response from Community Council to Anne Jenkins

Mrs Wilson had drafted a response on behalf of the Community Council which was circulated at the meeting. There was a query over point 6, as follows:

"Newport City Council has adopted a local resolution protocol for resolving low-level complaints and minor breaches of the Code of Conduct involving Councillors and officers, as recommended the Ombudsman. This involves an informal resolution process but with a right to refer the complaint to the Standards Committee for a final decision, which could result in a recommendation that a Councillor be censured. A copy of this Protocol is attached, for your information.

Would you be interested in adopting this protocol on a voluntary basis and agreeing to any relevant complaints being dealt with in this way?"

A discussion took place and it was agreed the Community Council will adopt the protocol on a voluntary basis. Mrs Wilson would amend the letter on behalf of the Community Council to reflect this and send it to Anne Jenkins, Democratic Services Officer, copying in all members of the Community Council.

**Community Council Policies** 

Clir Brown raised the issue of policies and suggested we should look at implementing some policies. It was agreed that Mrs Wilson would seek advice from Anne Jenkins regarding the statutory policies the Community Council should have in place.

Dangerous dogs issue

Cllr Bell had previously circulated information via e-mail regarding a recent incident involving two dogs in the area whereby a resident had been quite badly attacked. Since then, a number of other residents have also complained about the dogs concerned. The Police are now involved and there is conflicting evidence between the parties involved. The investigations remain ongoing and Cllr Bell asked all to remain vigilant when out walking in the Village.

Cllr Bell asked Cllr Wilding to provide details of the PCSOs in the area. These are Daniel Morgan and Steven Jones.

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