

Minute of Beaulieu Community Council Meeting held in Phipps Hall on Monday the 27th October 2014 at 7pm.

Present C Council – Tony Boyland, Maratena Coleman, Rosemary McDonald, Seona Fraser, James Campbell, Jane Campbell, Jim Stewart.

Police SGT C Stuart and PC K McKenzie

Apologies Belle Maxwell, Helen Carmichael, Margaret Davidson, Tracey Chalmers

1. Minute of previous meeting held on the 29th September 2014 (no 69) was read and approved. Proposed by Seona Fraser and seconded by James Campbell.
2. Police Report: Ps Stuart gave a brief summary of the police report and highlighted a few incidents; Road Traffic Officer issued 2 fixed penalty notices regarding speeding and seat belt offences, an incident of alcohol abuse whereby a male was taken to Raigmore by ambulance, one incident of anti social behaviour whereby a male was charged with wasting police time and police are still patrolling Braeview regarding local youths drinking in the area. – **Action point** – Maratena Coleman will contact Councillor Carmichael with regards to By Law drinking signs for the village.
3. Matters arising:
 - 3(A) Monument Clean Up: Tony Boyland and James Campbell are in discussion with all parties involved and as such the item is still ongoing.
 - 3(B) Fountain in the Square- This item is still ongoing and James Campbell will inform Beaulieu CC of any updates.
 - 3(C) Buildings at rear of Shinty Club – Ongoing - Action Tony Boyland will contact all interested parties to try and move this project forward.
 - 3(D) Maple Vale Play Park – Councillor Carmichael has requested Iain Reid attend at the next Ward Business meeting as £4k has been allocated to the project from the Ward discretionary budget and as such this project is still ongoing.
 - 3(E) Elliot's yard- A letter was sent to Ord Ltd highlighting concerns raised and a reply was received back from Mr John MacLean stating that all concerns raised have been addressed. This item is now closed.
 - 3(F) Trim Track Beaulieu Primary School- Funding is at £6570 with further fundraising activities planned. This item is closed until further updates are available.
 - 3(G) Lovat Memorial Gardens – Ongoing - Beaulieu Business Association have this project in hand and are organising any works.

3(H) Access to River at Ferry Road – Ongoing – James Campbell is in contact with Mr John Robins who has volunteered to repair the slip way and Lovat Estates and as a result a number of boat owners have been using the access.

3(I) SSE noise abatement at Kilmorack power station – BCC will continue to monitor this matter.

3(J) Bus shelter at Co- Op – Ongoing Councillor Carmichael called a meeting with planning, road and transport departments and the outcome was that a traffic survey would be undertaken and this is in operation. There was also a count of pedestrians taken over 12 hours from 7am to 7pm (a photograph appeared in the Inverness Courier on 14/10/14 of local mothers and children who support this project). There is funding available for a shelter, however it was pointed out that this could obstruct the sight lines for traffic leaving Priory Way. Helen will report back to the BCC when all information is gathered.

3(K) Excess signs in situ on Station Road – Ongoing - Helen Carmichael has reported this matter to the planning department.

3(L) Wood Carving at Old Priory – Ongoing - Seona Fraser has been in touch with the contractor via e-mail and is waiting on a starting date for this project.

3(M) Remembrance Day Wreaths – James Campbell and Tony Boyland will organise an insert for the BCC Wreath, the service will be held at the Toll Monument on Sunday the 9th November at 3pm.

3(N) Braeview Park zip wire – Ongoing - Iain Reid the Parks Officer has now passed all details regarding the failed zip wire onto the manufacturers and is waiting for an update.

3(O) Knott Weed at Ferry Road- Ongoing - Funding is available to deal with this problem which will take time to complete, John Parrott will contact James Campbell with any updates.

3(P) Donation from Mrs Joey Hercher – **Action** James Campbell will contact Joey regarding her donation to see if she would like it to be used to go towards a bench at the wood carving at the Old Priory.

3(Q) Houses at Station Road – Tony Boyland has been in touch with planning regarding concerns about white washing Glenoran, this will not happen and the house will keep its pink sandstone, this item is now closed.

3(R) Cycle Route – Ongoing – Awaiting feasibility study.

4. Planning – Maratena Coleman sent an e-mail to Alan Todd at planning regarding a detailed drainage plan of the proposed site in the fields behind Croyard Drive, awaiting a reply.

A.O.C.B –

(A) Concerns were highlighted regarding the trees at the Toll monument becoming overgrown and blocking the view of the monument – **Action** – Maratena Coleman will contact Councillor Carmichael regarding this.

(B) It was agreed to hold the BCC Christmas party on the 10th December in the Priory at 6pm. Mrs Jane Campbell will book the venue.

| D.O.N.M Monday the 24th November

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