

## **Minutes of Whiteinch Community Council Meeting held on Tuesday, 28<sup>th</sup> October 2025 in the Whiteinch Centre**

**Present:** R Cunningham (Chair), M McCrae (Vice-Chair, Treasurer), W Walker (Secretary), C McGeoch, I McKillop, E Macdonald, L Stevenson, N Kelly, A Wasmer Miguel (Associate Member), Cllr Reid-McConnell

- 1. Apologies:** N Robertson, Cllr Jassemi
- 2. Minutes of Previous Meeting:** Approved by C McGeogh and Seconded E Brown

Record of thanks to outgoing Chair, M McCrae, for all her hard work in the community. Welcome to new Associate Member A Wasmer Miguel

### **Matters Arising**

- 3.1 Commonwealth Games.** WCC has been asked to continue to promote the Commonwealth Games volunteer program.
  - 3.2 Community Council meet-up.** R Cunningham attended a recent meet-up event with other Glasgow community councils, organised by Dennistoun Community Council. The goal is to share experience and best practice and ensure more collaboration. Another meeting will be held in early 2026.
  - 3.3 Murals.** The group discussed the possibility of further murals in the area. Cllr Reid-McConnell suggested a walkaround the area to identify possible sites and volunteered to investigate potential sites. It was noted the Summerfield Centre are considering a mural on a wall near their site.
- ### **4 Reports**
- 4.1 Police.** Report circulated before meeting that advised a couple of drug arrests, and motor vehicle incidents.
  - 4.2 Councillors.** A Thornwood Roundabout consultation is now live, [Thornwood Roundabout and National Cycle Network Route 7 Project - Glasgow City Council](#) The consultation will run from Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October to Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December. Officers will host a public drop in event on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November between 2-7pm at Partick Library. Glasgow Eco Trust and the new West Feminist Transport Group are organising a couple of sessions involving a workshop and walkaround of the area in November.  
A few complaints have been received about the Halloween Event on South Street. Although not in Whiteinch area, Cllr Reid-McConnell will raise with Glasgow City Council, as another event is due to place over the Christmas period.  
Cllr Reid-McConnell will investigate dates for the installation of the deployable CCTV in Edzell Street.
  - 4.3 Area Partnership.** The contract has been awarded for the dirt track in Victoria Park. There will be a Curling Club meeting on the 5<sup>th</sup> November. A park and stride for St Paul's Primary School is in discussion. Noted that parking of AMK vehicles is an issue in this area.

**4.4 Fossil Grove.** Renovation is ongoing and the contract has been extended slightly. Work is scheduled to in November. There will be a grand reopening, and the building will be wind and watertight.

**4.5 Friends of Victoria Park.** Bat walk on 9<sup>th</sup> of October was a huge success. Remembrance Sunday event will take place in Victoria Park on 8<sup>th</sup> November.

**4.6 Victoria Park Community Trust.** 1200 trees to be surveyed in Victoria Park. The AGM was held recently. Plans for BBQ protocols in place for Summer 2026. The basketball court will be upgraded in November and painted in the Spring. Thanks to Cllr Reid-McConnell and Glasgow Life for this. Ceildh will take place on 30<sup>th</sup> November.

**4.7 WSHA/Whiteinch Centre.** Report circulated that included list of festive events including Festive Fayre on the 29<sup>th</sup> November. CEO will attend November WCC meeting to give general update, including refurbishment of kitchen area. A Glasgow University European conference is being hosted by the Centre at the end of November and will bring together 50-60 students from across Europe. The case study will be Whiteinch and Scotstoun. Rise and Shine continues to operate on a Wednesday between 8-10. The Centre will continue to be used as a vaccination centre to early 2027.

**4.8 WCC Social Media/Website. No report.**

## **5 Finance**

Current statement. £451.31.

**6 Licensing.** None.

**7 Planning Applications.** Planning permission is being sought for the site adjacent to Whiteinch Primary School in Medwyn Street for use as a community garden and erection of perimeter fencing. All agreed this was very positive and Secretary will email to confirm WCC support this.

**8 AOCB.** None.

**Next meeting: Tuesday, November 25th, 2025, at 6:30pm**