

## **Sheildaig Village Association Meeting Minutes**

29<sup>th</sup> October, 2013

Kiessimul B&B

Present: Pauline Stevenson, Sarah Wedgwood, Jim Alexander, Nick.

### **Upcoming Events**

*The main purpose of this meeting was to discuss upcoming seasonal events.*

Hallowe'en: Parents have organised traditional guising instead of having a party this year – no SVA input needed.

Guy Fawkes': Monday 5<sup>th</sup> November, 6.30pm weather permitting. Jim and Alistair T. fireworks, Frosty and Pauline bonfire building, tent etc. Pauline and Carolyn food.

Children's Christmas Party: Agreed to fund presents again this year, Jim and Pauline to send cheques out end November. Pauline to approach parents to see if any other SVA input required.

Over 60's Lunch: Provisional dates either 11<sup>th</sup> or 13<sup>th</sup> December. Pauline to make arrangements with Cathryn , Pauline and Sarah to organise invitations etc.

### **Other Business**

Village Hall: All fundraising towards hall improvements to use VA banking system with careful accounting to protect funds for that purpose. Agreed to investigate possibility of part funding by Church of Scotland for some improvements – Sarah to check terms of lease and write to C of S. Agreed we should use volunteers and local expertise where possible for any work on kitchen, curtains etc. Jim to contact Royal Mail regarding the amount they pay in rent for the hall.

Shieldaig Booklet: To use VA banking system as above until the new organisation is up and running.

Swimming Pool: Recent large electricity bill based on estimated usage – Jim to submit meter reading to SSE.

Date of Next Meeting: To be arranged.