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Glencoe and Glen Etive Community Council

Minutes of Meeting of the Council on Tuesday 14th May 2013 in St. Mary's Church Hall, 7.30pm

Councillors Present

GM	Gwen McTaggart (secretary)
DS	David Smith (treasurer)
TM	Thomas Janzen
SM	Simon Meldrum
IM	Iain McTaggart

Apologies From

AS	Alister Sutherland (chairman)
JH	Jonny Henshall

DS Chaired the meeting

Approval of Previous Minutes & Matters Arising

Minutes of meeting 12th March 2013 - proposed by SM, seconded by GM.

A litter pick in the village is to be arranged for June, TJ will speak to Marion Moir.

DS to contact HC Tech Services about their timetable for litter picks and if blue re-cycling bins could be situated in the car park.

IM to contact the relevant agency about the continued flooding on the cycle track at Tigh Phuirt.

The result of the traffic speed monitoring in the village has concluded that the average speed of vehicles was 24.6mph. The request by the Community Council to lower the speed limit to 20mph has been put before the Local Members for a decision.

Finance

The treasurer reported that CC accounts were ready for consideration at the AGM.
The CC account stands at £583.34.

Correspondence Received

Highland Council review of polling districts and voting venues.

Letter from Highland Council about setting up a Fair Trade group in the community.
The councillors support the idea of fair trade and will display the letter to gauge interest.

Letter from the Licensing Board to inform us that The Glencoe Ski Centre have applied for an entertainment and off sales licence. The CC had no objections to this application.

Community Company

The working group are still trying to obtain funding for the Orbital Track.

AOCB

The CC expressed concerns about the changes to the ticket prices being considered for travel on the Corran Ferry. The books of 30 tickets are being phased out so the increase in prices will be a serious blow to local residents.

A local resident had reported to DS that debris from an accident on Invercoe bridge was causing a danger to pedestrians and pets. DS had reported the problem to the HC Roads Department.

DS reported that Glencoe Play Sports had received some funding. The group now intends to buy 2 new pieces of play equipment for the play park.

DS reported that the Village Hall committee was unsuccessful in obtaining funding for the hall roof.

DS to contact the HC access officer about placing a sign on or near the gate which will indicate public access is allowed along the core path from Invercoe to the Lochan. It is felt that the gates deter people from using the path.

Date and Time of next CC Meeting

11th June 2013 at 7.30pm in St Mary's Church Hall.