

## KYLE OF SUTHERLAND Gala week

## COMMITTEE MEETING – SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2010

<u>Present</u> - Claire Bruce, Caroline Munro, Gail Munro, Elissa Steven, Carrie Vetters, Carol Morrice, Sally Mackintosh

<u>Apologies</u> – Alan Ross, Wilma Campbell

Item	Action By
Minutes from 6 <sup>th</sup> June approved by Elissa and seconded by Gail.	
Points from previous meeting –	
Film night licence. CB has had a further discussion with Joan Bishop and has agreed to discuss possible funding of a series of film nights as an 'arts programme' with the Highland Council. Will keep committee updated on progress.	Info
AR to confirm details for Blue Ridge.	
Queen Dance. Not busy, only 50 people attended. Suggest we get big name band to pull in crowd next year and also stick to original May date. Ashlee Dale chosen as Queen.	
CB to discuss lifting system for bouncy castle and slide with Scott Bruce and complete application to BTWF.	
Finances	
Current balance is £3155.09.  Queen dance made £155 profit, despite low attendance	Info
Fundraising	
Lots of castle and slide hires recently and more during July. Also board messages are going well. Agreed to increase charges to £5 for charities and individuals and £10 for commercial messages.  Callum Mackinnon is going to fit Perspex sheet over blackboard to save us having to paint it each time.	Info
Thrift shop. Youth Group committee has had meeting, but we have not been told of their decision. CV to remind Hayley to email Caroline.	CV
Pub Quiz League. CB to chase outstanding organisations and ask Paul Martin if he would be willing to do the comparing.	СВ
Co-op ticket sales. Date confirmed as Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> June.	All

Three shifts of 2 hours if possible please, if enough people available.	
Elissa suggested we do a bag packing day at a local supermarket as this is a great way to raise funds and will investigate further. Carol to speak to the Co-op to get date for around October.	СМо
250 Club – bank account is now open. Can start to publicise. CB to do posters and flyers. CMo to draw up standing order forms for applicants to complete. Use Gala mobile number and dedicated email address on advertising.	CB CMo
CMu suggested that the funds that are raised from 250 club be ring-fenced for buying replacement equipment, for example if the bouncy castle is burst, as this would be a big one-off expense for us to cover. This was agreed.	All
CB still to write to local companies asking them to sponsor events during the week.	СВ
Carrie has written to Hugh Fullerton-Smith at Alladale, but no response. SM suggested we also write to the Invershin and Bridge hotels. ES confirmed that Shin Blinds would provide sponsorship for the	ES/Info
Children's Sports (£50). SM to speak to Pet Pals in Lairg about providing sponsorship for Pet Show.	SM
Programme	
CB has contacted Catherine McAngus from Dornoch Festival Week. They would be delighted if we joined in with their sandcastle competition and the time has been confirmed for 10:30 on Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> . DFW will also discuss the suggestion of the fancy dressed ladies' football match at their meeting tomorrow night.	Info
Carol to confirm details of piped band for opening ceremony. Ongoing. Suggested we contact Ardgay and Bonar band to perform.	СМо
Caroline to ask Feis tutors to hold music workshop on Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> in afternoon.	CMu
Colouring competition for programme has been sent to the schools. Folder to be put in Kyle Bakery for entries. Deadline is Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> June.	СВ
Judges for Pet Show and Children's Fancy Dress still to be written to. Queen crowning/floats – MFR have not responded to CV's emails. CMo to speak to a contact that she has about a local DJ performing the ceremony.	CB CMo
CB to write to Ian Campbell and Sons to request the use of their lorry again for the Queen's float and John Mackenzie and Rob Jones for their boats. Ongoing.	СВ
ES has asked Donald Morrison to compare that the What Do Kids Know evening.	ES CM/CV
GM and CV to do questions for WDKK and pass to CMu, who will film the children at the school. Permission slips to be done.	GM/CV CMu

CB to write to Callum Beatie to confirm the security for the end of Gala dance on the 14 <sup>th</sup> .	СВ
CMu to ask Callum Mackinnon if he can escort the rafts down the Kyle during the race, just in case any get in to trouble.	CMu
CB to write to Shelia Thompson from Kyle House B&B to ask her to present the trophy to the winners of the raft race.	СВ
More publicity to be done for the Float Parade – prize fund of £50, £30 and £20. Notice to go on blackboard, posters and advert in Raggie.	СВ
Pub Quiz. CB to email 2009 questions to committee to prevent duplicates.	ALL
SM – Music and Science & Nature CV – Food & Drink GM – Geography ES – Sport CMo – General Knowledge CMu – History CB – Current Affairs and picture round.	
CB to ask Phil Meldrum about girl who did face painting at Rosehall Funday. Ask her to attend opening ceremony, if not too expensive.	СВ
AOCB	
Lairg Gala have asked if we could provide a ladies' football team for Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> July, as well as the bouncy castle and slide, for their fun night. ES confirmed she would play and CMo is going to ask Gillian B if she would also take part. CMu to contact Ashlee Dale (Queen) to ask if she could take part.  Lairg have also asked if the slide and castle could attend their event on Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> July. CB to ask David Anderson if he could help.	ES/CMo CMu
CMu has asked for a quote for a 2 <sup>nd</sup> for the banner. Waiting for price. CB to speak to George Johnstone about banner and bunting being put up.	CMu CB
Agreed that slogan for t-shirts should be 'Men Wanted' on the front and 'We need some heroes!' on the reverse.  CMo to purchase t-shirts for everyone. CB has got transfers.	СМо
CB to put trophy note in to Raggie mid-July.	СВ
CB to email the programme to committee members.	СВ
Next Meeting TBC	