

GLAMIS & AREA COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Glamis Kinnettles Douglstown Glen Ogilvie Charleston Roundyhill

Minutes of Meeting Held on Monday 23rd July 2018

At the Strathmore Arms.

Present: Rae Dick (Chairing Meeting), Katrine Wreford, Julia Richards

In Attendance: Councillors Ronnie Proctor and Angus McMillan Douglas. 2 Police Representatives, Gail Beattie and Vicki Crichton and 2 representatives from the Windfarm Trust, John Wood & Margaret Stoker

Apologies: Euan Walker-Munro, Councillor Julie Bell

1. Minutes

Minutes of June Meeting were passed as a correct record

2. Matters Arising

NT- Margaret Waddell reported that some faith has been restored in the NTS. Everything is in a purpose built unit at the Brechin Business Park, where the contents are all being catalogued by a dedicated team from Edinburgh. Some items will be on show at the House of Dun. If anyone wants the return of any items loaned. Contact is William Duff. (previously informed it was Cameron Hynd)

Superschool – Western Angus. Angus McMillan Douglas pointed out that this was not in fact a proposal, but in the very very early stages. It would not affect our area in any event.

2018 Armistice Project – Euan is going to investigate. Thoughts are that the War Memorial could be lit up for the week.

Cycling Routes – ‘Active Travel’ – limited monies available. Practical ideas wanted. Contact for this Julie Bell

3. Police Report

Not completed yet as they were rather tied up with the Golf. Deanbank House had quite a lot taken, and in this connection, someone has been charged with receiving stolen goods. They mentioned that it was worth signing up on line to Rural Watch where they can get advice and see the trends.

As usual be vigilant and lock up lawn movers and other garden bits.

If anyone asks for scrap, please take note of their number plate etc.

4. Kinnettles /Glamis

Angus McMillan Douglas reported that this is owned by Chinese Investors. It is a Hotel that is mainly for Corporate lets. They propose to invest more money – turning the Stables into accommodation. Parties Saturday Nights. They are easy neighbours!

5. Planning

2 Applications - Rear Extension at 18 Charleston and alterations/extension The Row, Douglstown

6. Defibrillator

Elizabeth McKee informed us that the Estate has agreed to a Defib being placed on the side of the building next to the garage and toilets. Maps will be provided to show the villagers where it is. There will be CCTV and signage. Costing is £3500. There is no money pledged at present. Will apply to the Windfarm Trust, and crowdfunding to raise the monies. Letters have been prepared to send out to local businesses.

Elizabeth McKee requested that she and the Ingrams be co-opted onto the Committee. Rae Dick said this was the first she was aware of it, and could not make any decisions without the Chairman Euan Walker-Munro. The whole Committee would have to have a meeting together to discuss, which would be minuted. The outcome would be notified to her.

Representatives from the Glamis Windfarm Trust explained that the application must be made by the Community Council, and the final day for this is 31st July. No works can be started until the application has been approved by the Trust.

7. Christmas Lights

Holly said that she is awaiting a quotation for the actual lighting. It is planned to replace the existing as a start. Jordan will contact the electrician. Graeme Nugent has said that he has had pledged £700. The Extravaganza (together with cash donations) made £458.07. More fund raising is planned. An application to the Windfarm Trust will be made, for match funding at the end of this month.

8. AOCB

Ronnie Proctor said that the Black Watch are 'exercising their right to march' to celebrate their safe return from Iraq. 11am 14th September in Forfar.

Rae Dick mentioned that it was good to see the Gin Bothy Application making progress.

There is someone who will paint the benches. Paint to be provided by the CC. Proposed Katrine Wreford seconded Julia Richards.

Joyce White & others have been looking after the gardens in the square. Requested the purchase of a garden hose, and other plants. CC will pay for this – Proposed by Julia Richards seconded by Katrine Wreford. Thanks went to them and Alan Jones and Elizabeth McKee for assisting with water access.

Thanked John Wood and Margaret Stoker for attending on behalf of the Glamis Windfarm Trust.

Being no further competent business Meeting closed at 9 pm

Next Meeting to be held on Monday 20th August 2018 , 7.30 in Strathmore Arms.

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Minutes of A Supplementary Meeting of Community Council following on from meeting of 23rd. July 2018.

Held on 25th. July 2018 at 7.30pm

Present: Chair; Euan Walker-Munro, Secretary; Rae Dick Treasurer; Julia Richards, Katrine Wreford.

This Supplementary Meeting was called to discuss and take forward issues raised at the meeting on 23rd. July, with a full quota of members.

1. Defibrillator

In order to expedite the purchase and placing of a defibrillator it was unanimously agreed to:

- a) co-opt Mrs. Elizabeth McKee to the Community Council. Proposed by Katrine Wreford,
Seconded Rae Dick
- b) Invite Mr. Sandy Ingram and Mrs. Margaret Ingram to become Associate Members of the Community Council Proposed by Rae Dick, Seconded Julia Richards
- c) Make a donation to start the fundraising effort off of £500.00. It was also agreed to 'underwrite' the necessary amount to hopefully secure a grant from the Windfarm Trust. Proposed Julia Richards, Seconded Euan Walker-Munro

It was also agreed to ask Mrs. McKee to furnish members with a copy of the plans/costs to furnish and site the defibrillator in Glamis, and to outline plans for fundraising. This to be placed on record.

2. Christmas Lights

In order to further enable the work of the Christmas Lights sub group, it was unanimously agreed to:

- a) co-opt Mr. Jordan Todd to the Community Council Proposed Euan Walker-Munro, Seconded Rae Dick
- b) Invite Ms. Hollie Forbes and Mr. Robert Findlay to become Associate Members of the Community Council Proposed Katrine Wreford Seconded Julia Richards.

It was also agreed to ask the group to furnish the Community Council with costings and a plan to take this

project forward. Including any other fundraising initiatives. This to be placed on record.

It was further agreed to make a donation of £500.00 towards the cost of the lights. Proposed Julia Richards ,
Seconded Katrine Wreford.

3. AOCB

It was agreed a concerted effort will be made to recruit two more Community Councillors from outwith Glamis village – we need to have the whole district represented, being mindful of diversity and gender balance notwithstanding!

The meeting closed at 8.30pm.