

CARR-BRIDGE & VICINITY COMMUNITY COUNCIL AGENDA

Meeting on Thursday, 26th April 2007 in the Village Hall at 7.30pm

Apologies

1. Concerns of Village Residents and AOCB
2. Minutes of Meeting 29th March 2007
3. Matters Arising
 - Items not reported on at last meeting (see minutes)*
 - Buses thro' Village – timetable, Inspector looking at it
 - Shed for Village Hall ? now back to container
 - Site for Fire Board Shed
 - Railway Station: platforms for train arrivals
 - Marquee ?hire and insurance
 - Community newsletter – formal ratification of advert prices
 - Riverside Walk – funding availableMatters Outstanding
 - Carr-Bridge Ahead
 - Southern entrance to Village - rocks
4. Treasurer's report [FMcM](#)
5. Housing Carr Road development [?site meeting CNPA](#)
6. Planning Applications New applications [MG](#)
7. Porridge Competition [LJolly](#)
Duck Race [FMcM new ducks. Confirm 5th August](#)
The Gathering
8. Promotion/marketing of 3 events in Carr-Bridge [CN, SB and LJolly](#)
9. Secretary's Report
 - HC meeting 16th April – report
 - CNPA Community Investment Programme
 - Core Paths Plan - Report of Consultation. Meeting 24th May. Village hall
 - Future of post Offices. Letter from Peter Peacock
 - Friends of the Earth. Free training on Planning Issues for Community CouncillorsItems available for reading: [KA](#)
 - Sepaview
 - The Right Track – Paths for All partnership
12. Date of next meeting: Thursday , 31st May 2007, in the Village Hall at **8pm**

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Minutes of meeting held on Thursday, 29th March 2007, in the Village Hall at 7.30pm

Action points in red

Present: David Ritchie, Kate Adamson, Carol Neely, Mary Grant, Lara Campbell
In Attendance Mary Kinnaird, Barbara Kuwall, Linda Jolly, PC Ross Polworth
Apologies: John Armstrong, Scott Bruce, Fiona McMullen and Stuart Black,

Concerns of residents

Dry stane wall at Fairwinds Concern about state. **All** to look at it

Trees in Ellanwood Road Sally Taylor is concerned about them. SBlack to be told

Items not reported on at last meeting

Path in woods behind Landmark blocked by 3 trees **SB**

Concerns over standards in Hilditch Court. CC to write to Albyn about our concerns. Black bin liners being used as curtains, caravan in car park. **Was I supposed to write?**

Also concerns over condition of Struan House Hotel. SB to look into it.

Barbara Kuwall asked about the sign for the Bowling Green. MG to chase up.

Minutes of meeting 22nd February 2007

Have been displayed in PO. Two corrections: Marquee Lara advised that the company have now been paid the extra £125.00, they **will have** sent the missing side and we can keep the larger marquee. Prices for hiring to be decided **after** checking Curlew website **and insurance situation**. Subject to this they were accepted as correct records

Matters Arising

Smiley Face SBlack reports that it has had to be re-calibrated, but should be in place soon

Container for Village hall It was agreed that a shed would be much more attractive in the Car Park area than a container.

Suggestion that might be sited in field

Buses through Village Timetable not the same as times busses arrive. Inspector is checking

Railway Station and platforms for trains All trains are on East platform – unless north & south trains are passing each other. GG has achieved good answers so far and AKirk is giving him details

Marquee ?Hire

Fire Appliance storage It was reported that the Fire Board had probably asked for permission to put a shed by the car park. More information next meeting. (After the meeting we got the plans of the site)

Path by river Dulnain SBlack reports that there are grant schemes for paths and also the Small Grants Scheme. We can contact Bob Grant at CNPA (he works with Sandra Middleton)

Carr Road/Crannich Park Development

CNPA Planning meeting decided that they should pay another site visit and get further reports

Planning Applications

3 Carr Place – porch and extension at back. No objections

Duck race

DR and LJ agreed to see if Risk Assessment needs revision. Date discussed: first weekend in August is Truckfest so several helpers will be away, but there is a big orienteering competition in Badenoch & Strathspey with lots of visitors. Agreed to defer for Chairman's decision!

Three events in Carr-Bridge

Porrige Competition and The Gathering – nil to report

Promotion and marketing of the 3 events

Our accounts are required so we can see how much could be spent on this. It was agreed that some money should be ring-fenced for this and for expenditure prior to the events but with the majority of the funds from the events going to Village Hall fund

From this item, it was also agreed that we should have a Treasurer's report every meeting – with at least totals in account

and expenditure expected **FMcM** Correct procedure on accounting is important for the Community Councillors

Secretary's Report

Police Report Main concern has been ice balls through windows in Station Road. P.C. Ross Polworth said that the police did attend that evening, but normally do not go to house involved as experience says it is a disadvantage to householders. Also spoke to group of boys in car park, some from Carr-bridge, who had alcohol close to them but were not drinking it. They will continue to monitor the situation

Last B & S Area Committee today SBlack attended. Now into purdah for election

Community Council Insurance via HC & Zurich. Last year £64.05. This year £175.31

Badenoch & Strathspey Community Council Forum. Mon April 16th. New election process and planning issues to be explained. It is for all Community Councillors

Postwatch Scotland Email contact

NHS Scotland New secure care Clinic proposal

NHS Highland Chairman will visit Community Councils on request

AOCB

Christmas Lights Committee Colin Watt has agreed to take part. Meeting to be arranged with DR, MG and LJolly

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