

CARR-BRIDGE & VICINITY COMMUNITY COUNCIL
Draft Minutes of Meeting on Thursday 30th May 2013 in the Village Hall

Present: Andrew Kirk (Chair), Scott Bruce, Fiona McMullen, David Ritchie, Robert McInnes,
In attendance:, Roy Brown, Lorraine Anderson, Jan Carlyle, Cllr Bill Lobban, Lis Urquhart

Apologies: Kate Adamson, Lara Campbell, Carol Ritchie, Ranald MacWilliam

Concerns of village residents None raised at this stage.

Police Report None received this month. Inspector has moved to Inverness. BL will chase up.

Minutes of 26th April 2013. Minutes agreed unanimously.

Matters Arising

Mannfield Road signs Not known but AK to find out. *Subsequently found to be complete.*

Traffic Calming LA. Email to say that the speed sign for the 'Safer Routes to School' will be put up on 4th June. LU Watched traffic for 25 mins and of 30 vehicles only 2 were below 30mph. There may be more construction traffic using the road but they could be persuaded to go the other route to Grantown. AK. The CC is trying to progress these measures. LA will pursue AMcI. Could we get 20mph through the village? Unlikely but BL to ask.

Housing development CNPA website shows many letters of comment but does not appear to have them all although there may be some delay in posts. The CC should speak at the meeting as all objectors will have 10 minutes in total to present to the committee. Important for CC to speak. *Subsequently discovered that CC has 10 minutes to comment and all other objectors will be allowed a total of 10 mins.*

Planning for Consultation re revision of CNPA Development Plan We have until 4th July to respond. CNPA will send 2 people for our drop in day which is to be on Friday 28th June from 16:00 to 19:00. Discussion on options although no-one is clear about the effects long term. BL to clarify with Karen Major. Flyers to go out to advertise.

Bike Park RMcW unable to attend but emailed a report. Park is now running and has some members joining. He recorded his thanks to Cllr Stuart Black, the CC and to CBA for support and financial help. AK thanked Ranald for progressing the project.

Drains in Reed Court BL hadn't chased up his original email but will do so now.

Squirrel Signs Dougie Edwards will let us have some samples.

Riverside Path Community Payback Scheme people are only ever there for a short time so progress is slow. Possibly made the fence too high. RMcI will ask them to make it a max of 1metre. AK thanked RMcI and Tom Adams for their renovation of the seat by Ellan Bridge.

Free Standing Goal Posts RMcI has erected the goal posts and has been checked by HC H&S. It was agreed to leave the nets up rather than remove them at the end of each game.

Changing rooms Floor has been soaking wet but this is because of burst pipes. RMcI has aired the room and leaks have been fixed. . £15 charge for football but should it be more? FMcM wondered who owned the clubhouse. Generally thought to be HC – Property Services but BL will find out.

***Football and Bowling Club Pavilion to stay on Agenda.**

Treasurer's Report

FMcM. No change from year end but have paid Food Hyg. Cert. for Church, P/copy for drop in day and timber for the fence. A/cs are audited and ready to go to HC.

Planning Applications

None other than the development

Porridge Making Championships

Progressing. Nothing new to report

Carve CarrBridge

Progressing. Nothing new to report

Secretary's report

Reports to read

KA attended the Assoc of Planners

Managing Obstructions on adopted roads

Variation of Licence for Carrbridge Hotel. Nothing contentious.

Fairtrade in the Highlands

Mary's Meals letter.

Capita conferences

CC is in the midst of consultations on:

Changes to Liquor Licences in Highland Region

A9 dualling

Any Other Business

Carving at triangle AK Colin Watt offered to get it back up and has now been done.

Sewer under bridge AK. Contractors returned and have tidied up the site which was left untidy.

Ellanwood Road Playpark Owned by HC. Only one piece remains. Can it be reinstated? Local group are investigating grants.

Duck Race FMcM Need tickets soon in order to have time to sell. KA to order. Date agreed as Sunday August 4th 2013. Volunteers for duck sorting to meet at shed at 7:00 on Tuesday 4th June

AGM Notification must go out now

Road sign at South Entrance LAnderson washed it herself after waiting for HC to deal with it.

Speed traps LU can we pass message to Police that we need more.

Dog fouling LA. Can we have more boxes in the woods? BL Perpetual problem. Bins can only be where bin lorries can access. People can use any council waste bins to dispose of dog poo.

Date of next Meeting Thursday 27th June in Village Hall, **AGM** at 7:00 - CC mtg at 7.30pm