

GLAMIS & AREA COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Glamis Kinnettles Douglstown Glen Ogilvie Charleston Roundyhill

Minutes of the meeting held on 21st November 2022 in the Masonic Hall in Glamis

Present :

E.Walker-Munro(Chair), J.Johnston (Secretary), C.Jackson(Treasurer), R.Dick, J.Vivers,E.Watson

Attending Members:

Cllr R.Proctor, Cllr J. Bell, Cllr G.Meechan

Matters Arising From Minutes of 10th October

With regards to the Remembrance Book,C.Jackson volunteered to take the copy produce information sheets and get them laminated. Unfortunately there has been a rather significant fire at his office and there is a distinct possibility that the book has not survived.

The Remembrance service was taken by R.Whitmore and Rev.Father Giles Dove. It was suggested that in the future when the Remembrance Day service is taking place the road past the memorial could be closed.

Action 8 EWM to write thank you letters to various individuals and groups who took part in the Remembrance Day Service.

Old rubbish bins for storage have been achieved.

The minutes are to be written up within 10 days of meeting. The minutes will be on display publicly as a draft copy as they won't be approved until the next Community meeting.

Minutes:

Proposed: R.Dick Seconded: E.Walker-Munro

Treasurer's Report

There is £9,608.44 in the Community Council account which includes money for the Gardening Club and Christmas lights. The Gardening Club have £2,235.30 and the Christmas lights have £1,255.31. There is £500 in the account for the purchase of IT equipment. In future minutes the treasurer's report will be itemised with regards to the Gardening Club and the Christmas lights

Action 9 RD and JJ to meet and purchase a computer and printer

Police Report

There is nothing in the report that pertains to our area. However it was advised that people should be extra vigilant with regards to their fuel tanks and should report any suspicious activities. The possibility of hare coarsing was also raised as this is the time of year for it to take place. Should anyone suspect hare coarsing is taking place in their area they are advised to contact the police but do not approach the individuals.

Correspondence

[Vibrant Communities Team and Partners are hosting more 'Cost of Living' roadshows](#) in Angus.

One of these roadshows will be held in Forfar in the British Legion on Wednesday 7th December at 6.30pm. Participants will get access to information, resources and support from various agencies such as Welfare Rights, CAB, DWP and Voluntary Action Angus etc. .

Angus Council are undertaking a review of their kerbside recycling services and are carrying out a survey. Anyone interested in taking part should go to www.angus.gov.uk/binsurvey. This survey closes on 11th December.

A letter has been received from S.Wright on behalf of the Gardening Club. This letter brings up various points with regards to finance, insurance and agendas/minutes all of which will be dealt with later in the meeting.

Planning

There are 4 applications pertaining to our area:

Demolition of an existing garage and formation of extension to the elevation of house-ground floor garage and first floor accommodation at Killary, Douglstown by Mrs Ellie Leith.

Alterations and extension to existing dwelling and change of use from agricultural land to garden ground and formation of tennis court at Brighton Farmhouse, Kinnettles, Forfar by Mr Angus McMillan Douglas

Conversion of existing window opening to door opening at Glamis Primary School, 7 Dundee Rd by Angus Council -Education

Internal and external alterations and extension to dwelling house at Brighton Farmhouse, Kinnettles by Mr Angus McMillan Douglas

Councillors Report

A.Brough (Strathmore Estate) has been in contact with the Council with regards to having an excess of kitchen supplies. Cllr Bell has linked up with some community groups with regards to redistributing these supplies.

Cllr Bell and Cllr Meechan are looking to split their attendance at Community Council meetings. Apparently there are 6 Community Councils in their area and if they both attend all meetings it is time consuming and expensive. They suggested that Cllr Meechan would attend both Glamis and Kirriemuir Community council meetings and Cllr Bell would attend the others. The community council agreed this was a sensible course of action. Cllr Proctor wished to continue to attend all Community council meetings.

A.O.C.B

R.Finlay is in the process of listing all equipment used by the gardening club for the purpose of insurance. Any equipment bought belongs to the Community Council. The inventory is ongoing.

Action 10 CJ to contact A.Frew with regards to insurance cover

The subject was raised again about a leaflet containing information on Community and Angus councillors along with other pertinent telephone numbers.

Action 11 RD to produce leaflet with pertinent information

A suggestion was made that minutes should be displayed on noticeboards in Glamis, Charleston and Douglstown.

Action 12 JV to endeavour to display draft minutes once they have been written up and seen by Community councillors.

It was also suggested that there may be members of the community who would like a copy of the draft minutes to read at their leisure. Any member of the community who would like a copy of the minutes emailed to them should contact the secretary of the Community Council.

A suggestion was made that the Community council could purchase sandbags and store them for use in an emergency. This was to be thought about and discussed again at the next meeting. Apparently Angus Council have a store of sandbags for use in an emergency but would have to be collected by individuals.

The switching on of the Christmas Lights will take place on Sunday 4th December.

Next meeting will take place on Monday 17th January at 7.30pm in the Masonic Hall. Anyone wishing to attend will be most welcome.

Meeting ended 9pm