

## GLAMIS & AREA COMMUNITY COUNCIL

### Glamis Kinnettles Douglstown Glen Ogilvie Charleston Roundyhill

Minutes of the meeting held on Monday 20th September 2021 at 7.30pm in the Coffee Shop

#### Present :

R. Dick(chair), J.Johnston (secretary), C.Jackson (treasurer),R.Finlay, E.Walker Munro, K.Wreford

#### Attending Members:

Provost R.Proctor, Cllr J.Bell, Cllr A.McMillan Douglas

#### Apologies:

None given

#### Minutes:

Passed unanimously

#### Matters Arising

It was pointed out that although they didn't stay for the whole meeting both C.Jackson and E.Walker Munro had actually attended the meeting but this had not been minuted so the minutes will be amended.

R.Proctor has spoken with the curator of the House of Dun who has said that he has tasked the archivist to look out for the War Memorial book. E.Walker Munro has spoken to C.Alexander the N.T.S liaison person who thought the information may have been sent to Edinburgh. Apparently there is no copy of the book at the Castle although there maybe a possibility that the book is at the Meffan Institute Museum or the Gateway to the Glens museum. E.Walker Munro has agreed to contact the Meffan.

R.Dick has applied for funding from the Participatory Budgeting for flashing 20mph signs for Glamis and Charleston. A request for funding for the play park from the NHS Community Innovation Fund has been unsuccessful.

K.Wreford has expressed an interest in rejoining the Community Council. After being proposed by E.Walker Munro and seconded by C.Jackson K.Wreford was duly added to the ranks of the Community Council

#### Treasurer's Report

There is approximately £11000 in the Community Council bank account apportioned between various sub headings. C.Jackson is in the process of trying to set up internet banking. A suggestion was made that the Gardening Club could be approached for funding towards the Play Park. £420 has been received from Angus Council for administration fees.

#### Police Report

There is nothing in the Police report pertaining to rural areas.

#### Planning

There are no new applications pertaining to our area.

## Correspondence

An email has been received by R.Finlay thanking the Estate for the grass cutting at the goal posts and the dog walkers path network . It was much appreciated. We were also asked to emphasise that the Community Shop is still open. Opening hours are Monday to Saturday 11-2. Donations are always welcome and volunteers to man the shop are always needed. Apparently the shop has raised just over £3900 since it re opened at the end of April.

With regards to the Community Orchard R.Finlay has spoken to W.Inglis and Neil who have said they are leaving the area till later in the year before clearing it.

## Councillors Report

Apparently there was a full council meeting held recently which turned out to be a marathon session.

The Bi Annual Community Council meeting will take place in November.

R.Proctor informed the Council that Kirriemuir Rotary have a clothing bank and are in the process of trying to get the clothes donated distributed.

It was announced that there is a possibility that a number of Afghan refugees could be coming to Angus

## A.O.C.B

The Scout hut is coming along nicely. The Guides have restarted in the Masonic Hall

At the last meeting it was suggested that we could possibly use the Angus Council car park for a car boot sale. Cllr Bell looked into to this and has found out that this is not possible.

The Christmas lights will be switched on on the 28th November.

It had been suggested that as a village we could hold a Christmas market but the date suggested appears to clash with a similar event being held at the castle.

The Christmas Lights club would like to erect a lighted reindeer at the War Memorial with the possibility of flood lighting the Memorial to which the Council agreed.

E.Walker Munro may be away on Remembrance Day but has agreed to start planning the event anyway.

A suggestion was raised with regards to supporting vulnerable people in the village especially if they didn't drive. It was suggested that a rota could be drawn up of people who would be willing to drive vulnerable people to appointments etc. However this may impact on an individual's insurance so volunteers would need to be aware of this.

The Friendship club is starting up again on a monthly basis. Come April the club hopes to meet twice a month with speakers. At the moment the club meets on the 2nd Wednesday of the month between 2 and 4pm.

With regards to celebrations to celebrate the Queen's Jubilee it had been suggested that an event maybe held at the castle but apparently no such event is going to take place. A celebration is to be held in the Parks in Montrose and the Community Council is more than welcome to join them.

Next meeting is 18/11/2021 and will be held in the Coffee Shop at 7.30pm.

