# Ferryden & Craig Community Council

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# MINUTES OF FERRYDEN AND CRAIG COMMUNITY COUNCIL

# **HELD ON 3 MAY 2022**

**Present:**, Gordon Brown, Gordon Paterson, Michelle Connelly, David Cameron, Jamie Livingston, Michelle Mackay, Fiona Minty, 2 pupils from Ferryden Primary School, Sgt Mustard, and a few residents

Apologies:- Betty Paton, Cllr Duff

DETAILS	ACTION	DATE FIRST IN MINS
Welcome to meeting.  Chairman Gordon welcomed everyone to the meeting. Thoughts to Cllr Sturrock who recently passed away, and we appreciated all the help and support he provided to the community council in the last few years		
Action items from previous meeting		
Steps to the beach Ross Christie has provided a quote for £780. To be run by Craig Mullen to check no issue in using the Seagreen funds for this purpose. We will also seek a second quote.		
The Ferryden Cobble Gordon Brown is waiting for Graeme Newton to get back to him. Aware Graeme presently away on holiday		
<b>Buses on pier</b> Gordon Brown advises that the CCTV confirmed that the Bus did catch his car and the bus company has acknowledged this and promised that drivers will be instructed to be more careful in the turning circle.		
Queen's Green Canopy School advise that they already planted trees on the school but still keen to be involved with this initiative. Await an update from David Pullar		
Winter Resilience Gordon Paterson to put together something to advertise on Facebook to ascertain of there is any interest in the community to take this forward.		
Drain cover Still rattling – refer back to Cllr Duff		
Trees at Montrose Port Authority Gordon Paterson advised he has now received the required email address and will contact the Port Authority to receive their thoughts.		

## **Treasurers Report**

Gordon provided a report on the annual accounts. They reveal that the council had a surplus of funds this year of £380-02 to bring available funds up to £6568-61. However Gordon asks everyone to remember that of the funds £700 is to be used for IT upgrade and £4682-00 are ringfenced for Seagreen approved projects.

This means that for normal activities there are available funds of £1186.61

## **Planning Report**

Nothing contentious

#### **Police Report**

Monthly report received, and 76 crimes committed in Montrose in April, but a number of crimes may be related to one incident. Dealing with vulnerable people and helplines noted at back of report.

Aware the 20mph is an issue, and try to undertake initiatives to support these. Recently have done one in front of the school

Monthly report is sent out in a separate email

#### Ferryden School Report

Nominated for recovery inspectors from 9 May. Excited to be able to see how good the school is

Stain glass window – raising monies designed by 2 pupils. Commemorate 50<sup>th</sup> birthday. In process in being made. Needing funds to help. Already 'fund raised £600, but need £1000.

Queen jubilee - school garden party, details to be finalised. On Wednesday before celebration

Sports Day to be 13 May, followed by school BBQ

Community café – been very successful. Next café 10 June

Youth Music P5/6 – week long workshop walk to explore Ferryden for inspiration and then each class to compose a song to represent village

Green Canopy – look to plant 7 trees to represent each 10 years in park. Have planted trees in school but eco committee will be pleased to get involved

### **Items for Consideration:-**

#### Queen's Jubilee

Picnic in park, person contacting council but with vision will need first aiders etc. Waiting to hear. Will need permission to proceed

#### Picnic bench

Flagstones are loose and need attendance. Ask for pictures to allow to see what is needed and can contact contractors

Next Meeting is 7 June 2022 at Ferryden & Montrose South Church Hall at 7:30PM.

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