Cardenden Community Council

Minutes of Meeting held in Corrie Centre on Thursday 18 August 2016

# Present: A. Burns (Chair). D. Taylor, A. Brown, B. Wallace, D. Bogie, D. Roy, A. Roy, R. Liewald,

# W. Duncan, J. Doig, G. Louden, J. Parish

**In Attendance:** Cllr. Erskine,Police officer and 7 members of the public.

 **Apologies:** Cllr. Hood

The minutes of the June meeting were accepted.

**Matters Arising:**  The ‘walking bus’ to Cardenden school will recommence on 22 August.

**Bus Services** New bus timetables started on 15 August. Issues with service 32 and 33 being addressed.

**Doctors Service** The Benarty doctors are moving out of the Cardenden surgery, but the NHS intends to appoint others to the practice.

**Police** A police report was given, with 20 crimes committed and 13 detected during the month. An action plan for schools is being prepared, with a bike marking scheme and training. The police have been in contact with wildlife officers regarding illegal traps in Wallsgreen Park. Push bikes with engines are causing problems.

Various road safety issues discussed, including the recent accident near Kinglassie.

**Local Authority Matters -** Cllr Erskine reported on several local matters. Further work on speed measures at Dundonald are to be taken. A draft report on community facilities is being prepared. A new headteacher has been appointed at Cardenden school and a breakfast club is being set up. At present one janitor is covering 3 schools. The community Pipe Band is doing well. It was reported repairs are to be carried out on the footbridge at Cardenden railway station.

**Community Matters** The annual Village Fair takes place on Sunday 28 August, with the John Thomson football tournament on 4 September. First aid facilities for these and other events was discussed.

The Beautiful Fife Awards will be held on 8 September.

**Planning Applications** RWE’s planning application for Saturday working at the Jamphlars site was discussed and concern was expressed over dust problems in the area. An application to renew approval for the CHAP project has been submitted, but it was pointed out that the community heating system will no longer go ahead.

The application for the football facility in Wallsgreen Park has been withdrawn.

**Donations/Grants** Donations towards the John Thomson Tournament and Bonfire were agreed and grants towards the Santa Train and Animal Zoo were also agreed.

**Vacancy** It was proposed by R. Liewald, seconded by A. Roy to appoint Angela Mitchel as a member of the Community Council.

**Web Site** The Community Council facebook page is to be re-administered.

**AOB** Playparks in the area require upgrading. The swimming pool is being well used, but two rooms are still unuseable.

**Next Meeting: This will be held on 15 September at 7-00 pm in the Corrie Centre.**