Cardenden Community Council

Minutes of Meeting held in Corrie Centre on Thursday 17 March 2016

# Present: A. Burns (Chair). D. Taylor, A. Brown, A. Nisbet, B. Wallace, D. Bogie, G. Louden, D. Drylie,

J. Doig,D. Roy, A. Roy, R. Liewald, W. Duncan

**In Attendance:** Cllr. Erskine,Cllr. Hood and 12members of the public.

**Apologies:**Cllr. Chisholm.

The minutes of the February meeting were accepted

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**Matters Arising:**

**New Members.** J. Parish was appointed a member of the Community Council.

**New Web Site.** The new web site is well underway.

**‘Walking Bus’** The possibility of a ‘walking bus’ between the Corrie Centre and Cardenden school has been re-considered and a trial is to be carried out.

**All Weather Pitch**The proposed all weather pitch in Wallsgreen Park was discussed. Money for this project has been allocated and a planning application is being prepared. Although some concerns were expressed, it was agreed to support this project and D. Roy agreed to represent the Community Council during further discussions.A multi use games area is also being considered.

**Local Authority Matters.**

Councillor Erskine reported that concerns were being resolved regarding the part closure of Den Court for renovation. Lochgelly High Schoolhas had success with attainment achieved, while the parent council is to meet in the Corrie Centre. Issues are being discussed concerning halls and centres, which will affect the Corrie Centre.

It was pointed out that the management committee has carried out extensive renovation work on the building.

Land owners whose property adjoins the Jamphlars Pond have been reminded of their responsibility to keep the ditches cleared.Owners whose hedges adjoin public footpaths are being reminded that it is theirresponsibilityto maintain the hedge rather than the Council’s. There is a need for affordable childcare in the community.

Proprietary budgeting for several community projects is being carried out.

Footpath reinstatement has been carried out, but is not considered satisfactory and this has been brought to the attention of the council.

Derelict buildings in the community are being discussed by the Community Forum, but council support is also required.

Councillor Hood reported that the new Lochgelly cycle circuit is progressing and free swimming lessons will be starting now that the swimming pool has reopened.

**Planning Applications.** Noted. An exhibition was held in the Corrie Centre regarding the possible restoration of the former Westfield site.

**Next Meeting: This will be held on Thursday 21 Aprilat 7-00 pm in the Corrie Centre.**