Cardenden Community Council

Minutes of Meeting held in Corrie Centre on Thursday 15 October 2015

# Present: A. Burns (Chair). D. Taylor, A. Brown, A. Nisbet, W. Duncan, B. Wallace,

J. Doig, D. Drylie, D. Bogie, D. Roy, A. Roy

**In Attendance:** Cllr. Erskine,Cllr. Hood, Cllr. Chisholm 2 police officers and 5 members of the public.

**Apologies:** R. Liewald

The minutes of the September meeting were accepted

**Matters Arising:**

**Wood Chipping.** At the liaison meeting on 5 October no major issues were reported, although permission for emergency operations is being sought. Additional tree screening is to be carried out.

**Westfield Wind Farm Fund.** The fund has been launched and six mico grants have been awarded. Applications to the main fund will be discussed at the panel meeting on 28 October.

**Jamphlars Pond.** It was reported that ditch clearance has been carried out. A meeting with all interested parties is to be held to discuss a way forward.

**Police Matters.** A police report was given stating 11 incidents reported since the last meeting with 5 detected and the remainder under investigation. The police were thanked for their presence at the John Thomson event and will be in attendance at the community bonfire and remembrance day parade. Parking issues at Dundonald and local schools is still causing concerns, with police still engaging with school children and elderly forums.

**Local Authority Matters.**

A report was give by the councillors. Funding is in place for the proposed all weather pitch in Wallsgreen Park, while the skatepark is nearing completion. Registration for free swimming lessons for children will be taken when Bowhill Pool opens in January. A cycling officer for the Cowdenbeath area is being appointed to work with schools and on the proposed cycle track near Lochgelly.

The Tots2teens members have visited various areas in the district. A lunch club is being run in conjunction with Bowhill Centre during the school holidays. The consultation on library closures will end in three weeks.

Allocation for school minibuses is being reviewed. Road drain and footpath clearance are being pursued. The housing repair programme is under review. The derelict buildings in the area are being pursued by the Community Development Forum.

A report was given on the CHAP project which is being revised.

**Community Matters.** The community bonfire will be held on 6 November in Wallsgreen Park.

Wreathes have been ordered for Remembrance Sunday on 8 November.

**Planning Applications.** Noted.

**AOB.** Further to authorising the purchase of a strimmer for the Rambler Group, this is now on hold until problems with insurance and training are resolved.

Clarification is to be sought regarding non attendance at meetings.

**Next Meeting: This will be held on Thursday 19 November at 7-00 pm in the Corrie Centre.**