

DAILY COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of Wednesday 02 March 2022

Community Centre

at 7.00pm

1. Present: John Whiteford, Ronnie Turnbull, Fiona de Faye, Phil Waddingham, Billy Scobie (co-opt), Helena Menhinick
Attending: Jenna Cains – Biosphere (speaker), Cllr Alec Clark, Louise Murdoch, Chris Campbell (Link officer/SAC), Robin McCurdie, Sam Cooper
Apologies: Neil Bannatyne (co-opt), Ellen Traynor (co-opt), Jenny Fergusson, Colin Christian, Stuart Nelson

RT asked that it be minuted that we show our support for the people of Ukraine being under siege by Russia – which we all agreed.

2. Declaration of Interest: JW – Wind Farms

3. Minutes of Previous Meeting

Minutes of 02 February 2022 were proposed by RT and seconded by PW.

4. Police Report

Police not in attendance, however provided reports. There were 11 incidents raised in the month of February with 4 crime reports being created from these incidents all of which have been detected.

Public Nuisance: 1	Concern For Person: 1	Assist Members of the
Road Traffic Matters: 2	Abandoned 999: 1	Public: 1
Drugs: 1	Alarms: 1	Police Info: 1
Disturbance: 1	Domestic Incident: 1	

Crime Report Breakdown:

1 x Drugs	1 x Assault
1 x Police Obstruction	1 x Bail Offences

Cllr AC advised that Sergeant Legge will be looking to organise another Community Speed Watch Schemes meeting in the coming weeks.

PW advised that there had been vandalism/damage to the planter at the Miners Memorial – CC(LO) advised about Community Safety issues. The new Chief Inspector for South Ayrshire Kevin Lammie had indicated that he would like to visit various CCs.

Calls to the Police are confidential and can be anonymous.

Methods of contacting Police: In an emergency always dial 999 Non-urgent: 101
AyrshireLPSTGirvanSouthCarrick@scotland.pnn.police.uk NEW ADDRESS
Social Media, not for reporting crime, not monitored 24/7:
www.scotland.police.uk www.facebook.com/ayrshirepolice Twitter @AyrshirePolice

5. Jenna Cains – Galloway & South Ayrshire Biosphere

Jenna Cains explained briefly where the Biosphere is and indicated that the actual area was due for re-evaluation – whether to be larger. Dailly is already a Proud Supporter, but we could become a Biosphere Community (like Ballantrae, Ochiltree). We would have to put a little effort into becoming one, demonstrating that we are committed to the ethos of a Biosphere. We would have a community meeting and a workshop to start the process of information gathering. The template is established, and we must think what is great about our area/community. There are also other ways for businesses and groups to show their support for a Biosphere. Once listed the Biosphere will be promoting your community and its attributes. This would align with the Galloway National Park that is also being promoted for this area.

6. Matters Arising

Community Association

NB was not available, however we were aware that the Association had received funding from VASA Mental Health and Wellbeing fund for upgrading the drop-in room.

A member asked where the Christmas lights were stored. Secretary to check with NB.

Platinum Jubilee

PW (lead for Jubilee celebrations) had sent out an email with an outline of possible dates/times of functions over the 4 days – fete, car boot, disco, treasurer hunt, 5-aside/bowls tournaments. He would be looking for more input and volunteers, and he was still waiting for several responses (School, Alex Paton/sponsors, others). The beacon is being handled by Bargany/JDH – he will advise location. There will be a disco, either in the bowling hall or the community centre – depends on numbers and facilities. There was also discussion on availability of DJs etc – being worked on. Noted that we should be as sustainable as possible.

The main costs could be £2,750 with possible income from tickets/entry at £750. It was unanimously agreed that £2,000 would be in the budget and that Treasurer and Secretary would help manage costs. PW advised that it would be better to purchase the marquee rather than rent on - £300 v £600. Looking for the power supply at the Memorial Park for the various activities. Secretary advised PW that Zurich Insurance indicate that we are covered for such an event, depending on numbers – she would forward info.

7. Wind Farms – General

Per headings below (have taken away ones that have not been updated recently):

Clauchrie to Knockodhar overhead lines – SPR - *waiting ECU advice.*

Knockcronal – Scoping – ECU00002181 – response lodged - ex-Linfairn, now 9T up to 200m, and 3T up to 180m. Public Events at Dailly and Straiton. *Stratkraft/ECU – extension until 14 February. Objection submitted 13 February.*

Clauchrie – Consents Unit - ECU00002001 (ref 074). SAC formally objected. Public Enquiry – DPEA – WIN-370-3 – is now with the Reporter – a lot of controversy.

Craiginnoddie – reduced to 14T up to max 200m – basically ex-Hadyard Hill Extension – Energie Kontor. Full consultation ECU00002196 – response submitted to ECU. *Additional Information consultation response submitted 13 January 2022. SAC had objected at their Regulatory meeting on 03 February.*

Carrick Forest – reduced to 13T up to 200m inc Energy Storage System – ECU00002063 – scoping response sent. *Full consultation, ECU00003392 - extension granted to 28 May 2022 – have received USBs if anyone would like to use.*

Arecleoch Extension – 13T plus associated infra – Public Enquiry – DPEA – WIN-370-2 – *has been approved.*

Kirk Hill – planning extension granted to 2022 – height now 115.5m. *Received email from Jamie Adam/Ripple Energy – households had also received leaflet re cooperative ownership. Members concerned at lack of notice/advice. Secretary to ask for their attendance and further explanation required. Secretary advised that it was up to the individual whether they decided to take ownership. Question whether the community should invest? Would like more info on how the construction will progress. More info needed re NCCBC and operation of the fund.*

Tralorg – operational since 21 Oct 2020. *Waiting for distribution info, amounts agreed, evaluation report template has been agreed by Benefit Company.*

Knockodhar – 32T tip height up to 200m inc Energy Storage System. South side of Stinchar Valley. In Scoping ECU00002153 – sent response 27 November 2020.

Scienteuch – new wind farm, have not received anything officially – ECU00003318 – 9T, up to 200m – basically Lamdoughty and Keirs Hill, NE of Straiton, S of Patna.

If members of the community have any comments regarding proposed windfarms, they should make their views, whether positive or negative, known to the CC as soon as possible, or direct them straight to the planning application.

8. Paths / Dailly Trails / Dalquharran / Brunston

Secretary had contacted Rachel Shipley/SAC re any updates and Waulkmill Bridge particularly – nothing new. Members agreed that it would be good to have the bridge in place to make the circular route and this could be a good use of benefit funds. There is still the SAC/VAT money (split between Barr and Dailly) to be used.

PW had raised the issue of ownership of the ground around the Memorial Park – still unclear, though Secretary might be able to locate some info. Members agreed that this should be clarified if funds were to be spent on possibly installing a Green Gym, seating, and various planting. Secretary advised that she had been contacted by SAC Ranger Service, and they were already attending the April meeting. FdF was also keen to maintain contact with the Nectar Network. FdF had contacted Peter/AP re cutting the brambles/scrub around the park and river banking – weather dependent. Would be good to have this cleared for the Jubilee, and to also have the path more accessible.

Nothing further on Bargany or Dalquharran.

Please email daillycc@outlook.com or use Facebook messenger/Website contact form to report issues with the Trails/Paths.

9. Roads / Potholes / Gully Pots

Cllr AC advised that the Back Road is scheduled for repair, possible in the next months. Gully Pots should also have been cleared. The School Car Park was in process, and the Head Teacher is being kept informed. It appears that the entrance/exit will now be at the Back Road, and that EV Charge Point(s) will be incorporated.

Everyone should make an effort to report on the ARA website when they encounter potholes or other road issues, to: www.ayrshireroadsalliance.org phone: 01563 503 160 Or SAC phone: 0300 123 0900 SAC website: www.south-ayrshire.gov.uk

10. Hadyard Hill Community Fund Panel and Small Grant Fund

PW advised that the next Panel meeting is 14 March, with next deadline for applications being 11 April.

PW pointed out that there was approx. £118,270 of funding available, and that we were lacking in suitable projects. JW asked whether possibly more could be put into the endowment fund – to be discussed at a later date.

This led to further discussion about a possible development group – quite a number of Community Councils do have one. Cllr AC and CC(LO) indicated that Colin Love/SAC could be approached to attend a CC meeting to establish the groundwork for such a group. Generally members thought this would be a good idea, and might be easier for actual projects to get off the ground. We are in the process of completing the Report on the Community Action Plan and the small leaflet with the results is in the process of being published. This is therefore an ideal opportunity for relevant actions/projects to take place.

Secretary advised that she had been unable to review PWs possible letter re the MW rate due to time constraints. She indicated that it should in any case be commented upon by other members of the CC. PW would forward to other members for comment. This letter could then go to Elena Whitham MSP and others. The CC Survey had been completed and returned to Sharon Dowey MSP as suggested.

Funding sources: www.foundationscotland.org.uk/programmes/hadyard-hill-dailly/

Kilgallioch Community Fund and Small Grant Fund, coming soon Tralorg and Kirk Hill.

11. Community Action Plan

Secretary advised that the CAP leaflet is in the process of being published. The Report is being completed.

12. Community Council Elections

Members present had received their letters of appointment. We have 8 members, and allowed

10. Secretary confirmed that we will hold the AGM on 04 May. CC(LO) advised that the new Scheme book will be available then, and members are advised to read it.

13. Carrick Activity Centre

The free access for 12-18yr olds was still well attended. CAC had been successful in their VASA application for Low Impact and Zumba-style classes. There was no update on the indoor bowling in the Sports Hall. Waiting for the completion of the Electric Vehicle Charging Point in the Centre Car Park – Cllr AC said he would ask ARA.

14. Councillor's Report

Cllr AC advised that there would be a special meeting re the Budget, and that they had managed to balance the budget 5 years in a row with services being maintained. The Car Park behind the School would be covered under Capital investment. There were additional challenges with Covid, and especially now with inflation and increased energy costs.

The Regulatory Panel would be meeting to discuss the new Health and Leisure Facility using the Hourston façade and the ground behind. Building work on the new MUGA at Victory Park, Girvan would commence in the summer, at a slightly different location than first envisaged.

15. Treasurer's Report

FdF advised that there had been little movement: DCD a/c: £1,173, DCC a/c: £24,170 – admin and last year's planter expenses. Insurance of £86 to pay.

16. Any Other Business

Litter pick - FdF advised that the next was on 12 March, and that she would set up a schedule of litter picks/village tidy-ups to give people more notice in order to hopefully have more participation.

Community Garden – had received a new Shed.

17. Correspondence

Planning and Decisions:

- o Application under section 36 for permission to erect and operate 13 wind turbines (tip height of up to 200m), energy storage facility and associated infrastructure - Proposed Carrick Windfarm - 22/00094/DEEM - Pending consideration

Various emails re Road works – Amey / ARA

VASA newsletters and various email notices

Kirk Hill Wind Farm – Benefit fund, Ripple Energy, consumer ownership

Ayrshire Cancer Support children and young people's service questionnaires

SAHSCP - Request for Local Green Space Information – Dailly Danners? Green Gym

SAC - Dailly Community Council Platinum Jubilee 2-5/06/22 celebrations

South Ayrshire Community Transport Services Information and My Bus Service 700

Your Zurich Town and Parish policy is due for renewal

VASA - Scotland's Census 2022

PAS - Inviting expressions of interest - Sustaining Choices 2022, Active Travel Action plans
Nectar Network

SAHSCP - First Aid in the Workplace Course for Volunteers

SAHSCP - Open for Applications: Winter Wellbeing Support fund

Biosphere News & Views - February 2022

VASA - SAVA Awards 2022

HSCP – G&SCarrick Locality PP draft minutes 08 Feb 2022 – next meeting 09 Mar

Various correspondence with Community Enterprise/CAP

Various general correspondence about windfarms

Next meeting scheduled for Wednesday 6 April 2022 at 7pm – should be in the Community Centre – please follow guidelines, distancing and mask-wearing.