

BALLACHULISH COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Draft Minutes of Meeting held in Jubilee Pavilion on 3rd May 2016

Present: K Small (KaS); D Kitson (DK); S Grant – Vice-Chair (SG); A Jack (AJ):
Kevin Smith (Chair) ; Andrew Baxter (AB); Rob Malpas (RM);

Apologies: James Waugh (JW):

Minutes of last meeting - Proposed by Kas and seconded by KS

1. National Scenic Area –Memorandum ongoing. Meeting rescheduled 26/5 7pm at village hall
2. Police. Speeding and Vandalism in area noted. Police patrols in the area stepped up.
3. Boatsheds –Moving forward at a pace. Survey required on sheds
4. Co-operative Shop – Entrance & Exit signs to be chased. Notice board to be in place ASAP. Enquiries to be made to re site the bottle bank. Funding for display sign to be requested.
5. Xmas Lights. Rope lights to be ordered. Pea lights for Shinty field to be confirmed
6. War Memorial –Ongoing. Confirmation regarding current site issues to be confirmed.
7. Recycling point. Coop happy for Bottle bank to be sited by council bin.
8. Finances – Finances submitted.
9. Cycle Path & Flooding on A82 south of roundabout –Hoping to start ASAP.
10. Bus Stop – Bus stop at JSMTTC has damage. AB to chase
11. Play Park Committee – Fund raising already off to a good start Preparations for the coming year are ongoing. Glenahulish play area to be looked into for community asset
12. Ballachulish Company – Latest edition of newsletter sent out.

13. A O C B

- a) Arch – Concerns noted to Highland council. Letter to historic Scotland to be drafted.
- b) School Bridge needs repair work carried out, Iain Bruce Low to be contacted. SG to chase. Materials on site, awaiting better weather. (Ongoing). Chase as a matter of urgency
- c) The pathway was washed away again in the floods. Tec services to be asked for a solution as it is now in a dangerous way. Highland council to speak to Scottish Water in order to rectify issue.
- d) Statue of James of the Glen at Ballachulish Bridge. Transport Scotland to be chased on safety concerns.
- e) Possibility of youngsters in area to be involved in repainting of the underpass. Ongoing
- f) Concerns were noted regarding the possibility of landslips at the back of the village. Sepa to look at water impact on village due to recent storms. Sepa & Flood management teams to visit village ASAP.
- g) Village emergency Plan. Planning has started
- h) Village Clean up. More equipment needed. AB to look into option of a grant.

Next meeting 7th June 2016

All are welcome