

**STEWARTFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL
MINUTES**

Date: Tuesday 9 December 2003 **Time:** 8.00pm

Venue: Stewartfield Community Centre, 3 MacNeish Way, Stewartfield

Present

G Shannon (Chair), S Fraser (Dep Chair), A Vann (Secretary), E Young (Treasurer),
A Maxwell, P Rayson, V Yaneske

Apologies

S Jess, Cllr McCann

In Attendance

E Docherty. PC Sharp

Stewartfield Residents

A list of those present is held by the secretary.

23.1 Introduction

The Chairman welcomed all those present

23.2 Previous Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved. Proposed by A Maxwell Seconded by G Shannon.

23.3 Police Report

PC Sharp informed the meeting that although the all over crime figure had dropped from that of the previous month there had been an increase in vehicle crime. The method most commonly used to enter the car was simply brute force i.e. breaking a window.

During the previous month 1 person had been charged with indecent assault and there had been 3 thefts from Safeway. During the last month there had been 2 thefts from Safeway.

23.4 South Lanarkshire Council Report

None

23.5 Office Bearers Reports

Chairman

Nothing to report

Secretary

- 1 The secretary reported that Mr Maher had replied to his phone call regarding the Pilot Scheme for recycling. There had been some concern expressed by the householders regarding the length of time between the collection of the refuse as it was now 2 weeks instead of weekly. The number of complaints had fallen steeply after the residents had been instructed more clearly as to what rubbish went into which bin. Mr Maher assured the Secretary that the situation was being monitored.
- 2 The RAF Regional Community Relations Officer had offered to attend a meeting and talk of the need for low flying. The members decided that as there was no low flying in this area there was no necessity for enlightenment on this issue.
- 3 The secretary was still awaiting a reply from Duncan Robertson of SEPA regarding the figures for the treatment plant at CALA Housing.

Treasurer

The meeting was informed that the bank balance stood at £1354.12

23.6 Cathkin Landfill Site

The Chairman told the meeting that there was nothing further to report at this time

23.7 Matters Arising

Alastair Maxwell reported the fact that there was a great deal of rubbish on the path along Stewartfield Cres from Stewartfield Road to the Safeway. The Secretary said he would check this and inform the appropriate body.

Concern was expressed about the advertising boards which had appeared on Stewartfield Way at the new development near Kingsgate. It was generally felt that these would be temporary, being removed when the construction was finished.

Val Yaneske asked if there had been any progress regarding the Stewartfield Signs. The Secretary informed her that this problem had been left with George Kelman who agreed to attend to it.

Emily Young asked if there had been any feedback from Douglas Scott of Roads and Transportation Department. The Secretary informed her that no feedback had yet occurred. He promised to contact Mr Scott.

23.8 AOB

The Secretary wished the Council to accept Nigel Pentland's offer to set up a website at the costs which the secretary had indicated earlier. This was agreed

23.9 Date of next meeting will be 13th January 2004