

STEWARTFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL MINUTES

Date: Tuesday 14 November 2006

Time: 8.00pm

Venue: Stewartfield Community Centre, 3 MacNeish Way, Stewartfield

Present

A Maxwell(Chairman),A Vann(Secretary), S Jess, N Pentland, T Fitzpatrick, V Yaneske

Apologies

E Young, D Wallace, Cllr McCann

In Attendance

E Docherty

50.1 Introduction

The Chair welcomed all those present

50.2 Previous Minutes

The minutes were amended as follows:

49.6 AOB The following sentence was added: “ R Stevenson of 3 Catrine wished to speak to Cllr Hughes about the unsatisfactory state of the path from Catrine to West Mains road but Cllr Hughes had already left the meeting.”

The amended minutes were adopted Proposer T Fitzpatrick Seconder N Pentland

50.3 Police Report

The Secretary reported that he had delivered the previous minutes to EK Police Station as PC Burnside was due back on Friday 10th November.

As PC Burnside was not present there was no report.

50.4 South Lanarkshire Council Report

The Secretary informed the meeting that Cllr McCann had addressed all the problems aired at the previous meeting.

M Wood had phoned David Mc Nidder regarding the bushes on the walkway parallel to Market Hill. She had not yet checked if her complaint had been dealt with.

At this point T Fitzpatrick mentioned his concern at the quantity of flies in Deepdale a few weeks previously. It was voiced that a close eye should be kept regarding the flies, come the spring in 2007.

50.5 Office Bearers' Reports

Chairman

Nothing to report.

Treasurer

The treasurer had asked the Secretary to inform the meeting that the present balance was £1360.87

Secretary

The secretary informed the meeting that he had reported the state of the bushes at the end of Farndale, Bishopdale, Cragdale and Rosedale and that some of this problem had been dealt with.

The reason for the removal of the mature trees at the Arrotshole farm had been ascertained by a phone call to Allison Russell at planning. The Secretary was assured that the trees were either diseased or had reached their full life span.

The members were informed that the Association of Community Councils had a new Secretary and that the job was still unpaid voluntary work. A check would now be made regarding the Community Council's insurance. The secretary promised to examine the position of insurance through Margaret Armstrong as some members indicated that the hall would be insured and thus it may not be necessary for a separate insurance.

50.6 AOB

Nigel Pentland announced that renewal of the website was due. This would be £60. He promised to attend to the matter via the Treasurer.

50.7 Date of next meeting 12 December 2006