

Dundonald Community Council

Minute

13 02 2025

Present: Community Councillors - [REDACTED]

Members of Public - [REDACTED]

SAC Councillors - None present

SAC - not present

Police Scotland - 2 officers present

Apologies - [REDACTED]

Chairperson's Opening Remarks.

The chair opened the meeting by welcoming all present to our first meeting of 2025.

Police Report.

The police gave a verbal report alongside with written report sent to the secretary. It was noted that over the Christmas period there had been damage to the Castle in the form of spray painting. This is being dealt with by the police. The new bridge in the woods has also been damaged. The police asked that members of the public inform them of any incidents in the village. Officers will hopefully have a higher presence in the village at the weekend. The police have received calls and emails re speeding in the village and will hopefully do speed checks. We were informed to be aware of cold calling bogus workmen. A MOP raised the issue of quad bikes in the woods. The police will respond to this and officers will be up using quad bikes, especially once the weather improves.

Community Matters.

Field - MOP raised the field. The CC was asked what information we had received from SAC. It was noted that we have received no recent communication. It was reported by MOP that a meeting had been held on the field with SAC and reps from DCSRHA, no further information available about this. Concern was expressed that SAC may agree another asset transfer of the field. It was noted that this space is for the whole village. The chair of the CC will write to the appropriate officer of the council. He will also contact the Highland Games Committee re the field.

Reservoir - It was noted that signs have been erected to stop people walking round the reservoir. This should not be the case. The meeting was also informed that on the Troon Angling Club website they wish to secure an asset transfer from SAC of the reservoir.

Lanes in the village - Raised that the lanes across the village are not being cleaned and litter is gathering. Also lighting not good.

Quarry Blast - a MOP raised the strength of the blast last Thursday.

Community Council Meeting

The minutes of the previous meeting were proposed by [REDACTED] and seconded by [REDACTED]

Matters Arising - Cycle Track. Further funding bid to be submitted in April 2025.

Chair Report - written report submitted.

Bank and New Treasurer - Bank Account now an online account.

Secretary Report - All correspondence has been circulated. Raised VE Day. It was agreed to donate £50.00 to Floyd's and Castle Hub if they are celebrating VE Day to assist with costs. Secretary will ask these organisations if they are staging events.

The secretary raised an issue re emails that the CC has been receiving. These emails are asking the CC to ask questions/ find out information that is either private to residents or is readily available in the public domain. Also received an email stating that if we and the elected members do not reply we will be reported. After discussion it was decided to respond that all communications will be dealt with at CC meetings.

Treasurer Report - As noted above

Licensing and Planning - Nothing of note.

Locality Planning. Nothing to report

Date and time of next meeting. Thursday 13th March 2025. Montgomerie Hall. 7pm.

■. Secretary