

Dufftown and District Community Council Minutes
Tuesday 19th Jan 16 at 1900 in the Community Centre Dufftown

Chair: Bunty Campbell

Attendees

- George Tulloch (Secretary)
- Fred Allan (Treasurer)
- Ally MacDonald
- Dennis Dalgarno
- James Nicol
- Morag Ross
- Zoe Bremner (Minutes Secretary)

Visitors:

- No visitors present

Apologies

- Alistair Jeffs (Vice-Chairman)

Topic		Discussion	Action
1.	Police Update	Nil	
2.	Guest Presentations	Nil	
3.	Minutes of Last Meeting	<p>The Chairman opened the meeting at 1900 and welcomed everyone to the first meeting of 2016. Apologies were noted from Alistair Jeffs (Vice-Chairman).</p> <p>The minutes were accepted as a true record of the meeting. Proposed by Dennis Dalgarno and seconded by Jim Nicol..</p>	
4.	Matters Arising	<p>Youth Project – Fred reported that the Youth Project now have a registered logo, and are still looking for adult helpers to come along on a Friday when ever possible as the more helpers there are the more youths they can accommodate for. Fred also stated that they are still searching for a more permanent location for the group.</p> <p>Planning for Real – A meeting with Gillian Bailey, who is willing to come to Dufftown, was agreed for either Tue 2nd Feb or Wed 3rd Feb to discuss the Planning for Real booklets with the DDCC members.</p> <p>Economical Development- Morag to look up date for deadline on funding.</p> <p>RBS building is for sale (including the Stephen and Rob offices) asking for £75,000.</p> <p>Fife St Footpath – The Secretary contacted Elaine Penny (Moray Council) and she confirmed that a dropped kerb will be present at the new footpath.</p> <p>Railings at Crachie – Donald Ross informed the Secretary that there are many reasons as to why the railing should not be put back up down at Crachie. DDCC will continue to work to see if the railing can be reinstated.</p>	<p>Morag to report back to members with a confirmation date.</p>

		<p>Memorial Park Railings/Gate – No further information at present.</p> <p>Clocktower Flagpole – Nothing further to report.</p> <p>New Street Sign – Nothing further to report .</p> <p>New Member Training – Members chose Mon 22nd Feb for the date of the New Member Training, Morag will contact Tracey Rae to confirm the date and report back.</p> <p>Sharing of Head Teachers – Nothing further to report.</p>	<p>Update.</p> <p>Update.</p> <p>Update.</p> <p>Morag to confirm date.</p>
5.	Correspondence	Morag was made aware of an award called My Place Award and thought that Dufftown in Bloom should be put forward, Morag will look more into this and update at then next meeting.	Morag to report her findings.
6.	Treasurers Report	The Treasurer gave an update, Morag found out from previous minutes that the financial year is from Oct-Sept. The Treasurer will look into this more.	
7.	Community Feedback	<p>Smith the Bakers – Dangerous Premises – The Secretary wrote to Moray Council to inform them of the danger to the public from the flat above The Bakers, and the piece of wood in question was removed in Dec. No further action to be taken, closed.</p> <p>Crash Barrier at Parkmore – Several emails were received from Moray Council about the Crash barrier, they believe there is no need for a barrier and have erected road signs to make people aware of the bend in the road. Therefore the DDCC made the decision to go ahead with the Petition that will be posted in local businesses in Dufftown and the Spearings. The Secretary will contact the KDCC (Keith) to see their view on the Parkmore Brae.</p>	
8.	Reports		
	a) Local Councillor(s)	Cllr McConachie, Cllr Murdoch and Cllr Paul not present.	
	b) Community Council Sub Group	N/A	
9.	Planning Issues	Nothing to report	
10.	The Joint Community Council of Moray	Nothing to report	
11.	AOCB	<p>Mobile Banking- If there are any issues with the mobile banking please contact the Chair (Bunty Campbell)</p> <p>Dennis Dulgarno received a Community Award from TSI Moray.</p>	
12.	Date, Time and Venue of Next Meeting	Next meeting will be held on Tuesday 16 th Feb 16 at 1900 in the Community Centre.	