

## Portknockie Community Council

### Minutes of meeting on 11 Jan 2010

Present: Alan Beresford, Gladys Mckenzie, Lil Urquhart,  
Angela Mair, Karen Campbell,

**1 Apologies** – Cathleen Harper, Pearl Murray, Helen Sammon,  
Cllr Gary Coull,

**2 Minutes** were proposed by Lil and seconded by Angela.

**3 Matters arising** were initially suspended to hear from guests.

Gillian Rose of the Community Support Team with Moray council was introduced, as she deals with our area and is new to her post. Alan advised Gillian that he had previously given to her department a detailed report on possible future needs that might require her support. She will go back to her office and refer to Alan's report.

Bob Croucher of The Knocker outlined a few ideas to give the village a voice now that The Knocker has been retired. Suggestions included public notice boards, village correspondent for local newspapers or a virtual net based "newspaper". It was agreed to consider those ideas at a further meeting.

**4 Police Matters** 2 Police officers attended and said they had no report of any incidents in the village. They were told about an air gun being fired in the garage site off Geddes Avenue. They were also to look at the cars parked close to the top of Admiralty Street. Mhairi Page is already dealing with issues previously raised; Alan will follow this up with her.

**5 School Development -**

**6 Matters for elected members**

Alan will let Cllr Shepherd know that the Community Council supports his motion to have more grit boxes throughout the village.

**7 Correspondence** was discussed.

**8 Treasurer's report**

Knocker £1186.93

Community Council £531.09

**9 AOCB -**

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**10.** Mr Beresford closed the meeting at 1940

The next meeting will be at 1900 on 11 February 2010  
in the library.