

Minutes of Meeting of Findochty Community Council
Held at Findochty Town Hall on 3rd March 2010

Persons Present: Lesley Loades (Chair), Ian Gardiner, Martin Legge, Lorna Breetzke, Andrew Slater, Elizabeth Campbell, Craig Breetzke, Councillor Gordon McDonald

Apologies: Councillor Anne McKay

Matters Arising from Previous month's meeting

The Plinth – Martin confirmed he has collected the display for the plinth and it is now with Ian. John Gardiner of Gardiner's Builders will fix it to the plinth along with the commemorative plaque.

- **Action** – Lesley to give the plaque to Ian once it has been collected.
- **Action** – Ian to inform the Lesley when the job has been done so an unveiling ceremony can be organised.

Sea Level Indicator – Councillor McDonald told the CC he had raised the matter at the Harbour meeting but was advised that due to the changes in the sea bed the level of the water can be deceiving and could cause further problems. The CC decided that the matter will not be pursued.

Any Other Business

Findochty Gala - Lesley asked the CC if anyone is aware of a Gala being organised this year. As far as the CC members know there is nothing planned. It is felt amongst the group that it would be a shame to let another year go by with no Gala day.

- **Action** – Lorna to contact the remaining Ammenities members to find out what the situation is.

Landslide at the Caravan Park – Lorna raised the issue of a landslide at the caravan park on the cliff under the golf course which has caused damage to the site and asked Councillor McDonald if this was the responsibility of Moray Council. Councillor McDonald did not think it was but said he would find out.

- **Action** – Councillor McDonald to check if Moray Council are responsible and report back at next meeting.

Volunteer Gardeners – Lesley advised the CC it will soon be time to do the gardening around the village and asked Lorna if she could contact our gardening volunteers to ask if they would still be available. Andrew said he would do any strimming.

- **Action** – Lorna to contact volunteer gardeners.

Donation Received – Lesley informed the CC that a donation has been received from the proceeds of the Harbour Walk DVD.

Youth Member – The CC discussed the possibility of inviting young people under 18 to join the Council.

- **Action** – Lesley to contact Buckie Community High School to find out if any young people from Findochty would be interested.

Constitution – Lesley advised that the CC need to submit their Constitution.

- **Action** – Lorna to sign Constitution and pass to Lesley.

Date of next meeting is Wednesday 7th April at 7pm in the Findochty Town Hall