

BALLOCH EASTFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

MINUTES OF THE MEETING held on Wednesday 3/11/04

PRESENT AT THE MEETING : Norman Robinson
Ramsay Kyle
Jim McKenna
Ken Grant
Laura Tavendale
Raymond Fisher
Fiaz Saleem
Gurbaksh Kaur

ATTENDING : Councillor E. Gemmell and P.C. Kenny McCulloch.

The meeting opened at 8.00 p.m. with the Chairman welcoming everyone to the meeting.

APOLOGIES : Apologies were received from Dave Tavendale and Margaret Robinson.

PREVIOUS MINUTES : The minutes from the meeting held on Wednesday 6/10/04 were read and agreed.

Proposed by Raymond Fisher and seconded by Ramsay Kyle.

The minutes from the meeting held on Wednesday 13/10/04 were read and agreed.

Proposed by Ramsay Kyle and seconded by Jim McKenna.

MATTERS ARISING : There were no matters arising.

POLICE REPORT : P.C. McCulloch submitted apologies on behalf of P.C. Foster.

There were 5 reported crimes for the area of Balloch Eastfield which included theft, assault and breach of the peace.

Traffic issues and Firework related issues were discussed.

CORRESPONDENCE : An up to date correspondence sheet was given to all present and was read out by Ken Grant.

TREASURER'S REPORT : The current Bank Balance is £1,230.65 with £158.95 in Petty Cash.

A.O.C.B. : Ramsay Kyle gave the meeting a brief description of the recent meeting by JAG which was held in the Condorrat Social Club regarding the A80/M80.

Jim McKenna gave a comprehensive slide show.
Altogether it was a successful day.

Councillor Gemmell has lobbied Nicol Stephen MSP re the A80/M80 issue.

Raymond Fisher informed the meeting that the SFA will have £31million over the next 5 years to spend and Balloch Eastfield Boys Club will be contacting the SFA with a view to some of that £31million being used for playing areas for the youths of Cumbernauld and in particular Balloch Eastfield.

Laura Tavendale - The Crime Prevention Panel on the issue of Fireworks will be asking local shops not to sell them in 2005.

A general discussion followed on the subject of Fireworks.

Youths on the streets was also discussed as was places for them to go.

Fiaz Saleem has received a letter from a very concerned local resident regarding the condition of the steps leading to the shop in Grampian Way, which have yet again become loose and dangerous.

Ken Grant will write to NLC regarding this problem.

With no further business the meeting closed at 9.10 p.m.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING : The next meeting of Balloch Eastfield Community Council will be held on Wednesday 12th January 2005, at 8.00 p.m.