

Bellshill Community Council

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Meeting

The next meeting of the Community Council will be held on
Wednesday, 17 December 2003 at 7.00 pm
In the Staff Room, Bellshill Academy

AGENDA

- Welcome
- Apologies
- Minutes
- Business Arising
- Police Report
- Treasurer's Report
- Correspondence
- AOCB
- Date Of Next Meeting

**Minutes of Meeting held on Wednesday, 19 November 2003
in the Library of Bellshill Academy**

Welcome

The Chairman welcomed everyone to the November meeting.

Present

T Leggate, Chairman
J Gorman, NLC
Mrs B N McPhee
Mrs E Williamson
D McLeod

Mrs A Forsyth
J Gordon
E McEwan, Treasurer
W Foy, Secretary

Apologies

An apology was intimated on behalf of Mrs P Bannister.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved on the motion of E Williamson and J Gordon.

Police Report

Owing to pressure of business there was no report though the Crime Prevention Officer reported the work related to bogus workmen was going on.

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer reported that the annual insurance of £288.75 has been paid to Zurich Municipal. The following items relating to the Remembrance Day Parade and Service were presented and approved:-

Bellshill Salvation Army Band	£ 75.00
Uddingston Pipe Band	£ 75.00
Imperial Flute Band	£100.00
Rev. Agnes Moore	£ 50.00

Honoraria

It was on the motion of D McLeod, seconded by A Forsyth that the following honoraria be made – Chairman £100, Treasurer £200 and Secretary £300.

Christmas Lights

The Secretary reported that the Christmas Lights celebrations would take place on Friday, 28 November at 3.00 pm with the "Switch On" at approximately 4.00 pm.

Cardinal Newman High School

Owing to a clash of dates a new venue was arranged for the October meeting. The Committee met with the Head Teacher, Mrs Isabelle Boyd on Wednesday, 29 October 2003. An extensive tour of the school took place and hospitality was provided and the Treasurer handed over a cheque for £300 for a trophy to be known as the Bellshill Community Council Jubilee Prize. Mrs Boyd expressed her sincere thanks on behalf of the school for the gift.

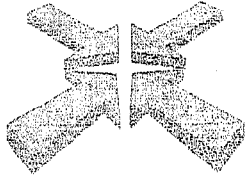
Correspondence

The Secretary presented the following items of correspondence:-

NLC Performance Report 2002/2003
SCVO Annual General Meeting
Age Diversity at Work
Scottish Water
Scotland's Future Landscapes

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Welcome

In the absence of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman, the Treasurer E McEwan chaired the meeting.

Present

E McEwan, Treasurer/Chairman	
Mrs P Bannister	J Gordon – Strathclyde Police
Mrs B N McPhee	W Foy – Secretary
Mrs E Williamson	

Apologies

Apologies were intimated on behalf of Mrs A Forsyth and D McLeod.

Minutes

The Minutes of the previous meeting were approved on the motion of J Gordon and E Williamson.

Christmas Greetings

Christmas Greetings have been received from the following:-

Dr John Reid MP
Councillor Harry Curran
Staff and pupils of Bellshill Academy
Staff and pupils of Cardinal Newman High School
Superintendent Wilson Butler and staff
The Pension Service Staff

Police Report

The Crime Prevention Officer reported that crime statistics showed a steady decline. Pro-active units have good results in drug crime. Extra patrols have been on-going in main shopping areas and industrial estates. Leaflet drops in large town car parks highlighting car crime. Work undertaken by the Safer Homes Unit was discussed and the contents noted.

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer presented the Income & Expenditure Statement as at 17/12/03 which showed a closing balance of £4,591.11. The Secretary reported on the Remembrance Day Parade and the Christmas Lights Ceremony.

Correspondence

The Secretary presented the NLC Draft Corporate Plan. It was agreed to invite a member of the Council to the next meeting to make a presentation. The vacant premises at 28 Hamilton Road were discussed.

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