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**BANTON & KELVINHEAD COMMUNITY COUNCIL  
MINUTES OF THE MEETING  
HELD ON WEDNESDAY 26<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2007**

**Sederunt: Mrs. Richardson, Mr. Bateman, Mr Allison,  
Mrs Stewart, Mrs Paterson.  
Mrs. Mathieson, Mrs M cAleer, Mrs Auld**

**Apologies—Cou. Key. Cou. Griffen ,Mr. Dixon, Mrs Follett**

**Members of the Public- Geraldine Queen,Cou. Jones**

**Minutes of last meeting—Approved-Mrs Mathieson,Seconded  
Mrs Paterson**

**Police report – n/a**

**Treasurer's report- £2055.17(GROSS BALANCE)**

**MATTERS ARISING**

**SWING PARK KELVINHEAD**

**Meeting with Sandra Mousdale to take place on 30<sup>th</sup> October**

**MR. PEEBLES –ROAD REPORT.**

**Meeting at Kelvinhead on 2<sup>nd</sup> October at 10 a.m.. Councillor  
Jones, Mrs Mathieson and Mrs Stewart to discuss issues.**

**ANDREW DOW'S WOOD.**

**Site meeting on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> October at 12.30. Woodland trust  
not responsible. To upgrade the path it is estimated it would cost  
£10.000**

**DOG LITTER BINS**

**Extra 2 bins needed ,one at Valley bank –Mill rd corner and the  
other at Lammerknowes. Ask if possible for one at the Church.**

## **MILL POND**

**Ongoing( SWANS STILL THERE)**

## **DAM PATH**

**Cleared but then vandalised with broken glass.**

## **CORRESPONDENCE**

**Planning applications**

**Minutes of Cou. meetings.**

**Villages Forum -to discuss Loc Dev.**

## **A.O.C.B.**

## **YOUTH CLUB**

**Junior Club to restart on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> September. Senior Youth Club -meeting with local teens- Duke of Edinburgh Awards Scheme proposed.**

## **REVIEW OF COMMUNITY NURSING**

**Geraldine Queen gave a report on North Lanarkshire's Council response to Governments' review of 2004. She assured the Committee that local services in the Kilsyth/ Banton area were not reducing the ratio of trained nurses. Staff at the Health Practice in Kilsyth did not change. Resources have been re-designed to anticipate the most vulnerable and engage in early intervention schemes such as health checks. We were assured that there was no downgrading of services, rather, that an enhancement should happen so, that people can remain in their own homes as long as possible. After a lengthy question time , Geraldine was thanked for attending our meeting.**

## **POWER CUTS**

**Complaint about low power and short power cuts happening often in the village .**

**MR. DENT'S PLANNING APPLICATION**

**Request for Comm Cou backing :after a discussion a vote of approval was passed.**

**WASTE MANAGEMENT FOR LANARKSHIRE**

**Decision made to invite James McMillan to talk about the sewers from Banton and waste management. Many complaints about the leaks from the main sewer in the past few years. General feeling is that the main sewer is inadequate for the needs of the village.Meeting to start at 7.30 and be open to the public. Mr Bateman to put a notice in the shop and Local paper.**

**There being no other relevant business the meeting closed at 9.05 P.M.**

**Date of next meeting Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> September at 7.30 p.m.**