

**Cumbernauld Village Community Council
Minutes 11th May 2017**

Present

Philip Morgan-Klein, Elizabeth Sneddon, Brenda Morgan-Klein, Councillor Gillian Fannan, Jackie Tominey, Nancy McEwan, Adam Irvine, Norman Egan, Douglas Doran

Apologies

Pat Churches, Jim McLean, Paula McCrae, Gillian Connolly

Police Report

The police were unavailable for operational reasons.

Minutes and matters arising

There was discussion of the bus connector scheme which Ann McLeish has been trying to investigate. Councillor Fannan said that she would look into it. Philip noted that we may need to submit a freedom of information request.

Noted that following complaints from residents, substantial tidying up has been done in the cemetery and a maintenance plan will be made to ensure that it does not become quite so overgrown again. Philip said that he would meet with the maintenance team to discuss the work the planting group have done in the graveyard over the last few years.

Residents' Concerns

There was discussion of the lack of play facilities in the village. The Springfield park is completely dilapidated and Jubilee Park is suffering from flooding. It is very marshy for much of the year. Councillor Fannan thought that this was something we could work on. She said that she would talk to Councillor McVey who has recently run successful campaigns for play facilities.

Treasurer's Report

Gillian is in hospital and there is no report. Philip referred people to the April report as there will be little change.

Bank £1,755.25

Cash £57.33

Total £1,812.58

Secretary's Report

A written report was tabled. There was an extended discussion of the fracking consultation and relevant papers from the consultation were distributed. Key questions were considered so that Brenda could submit a community council response. There was unanimous opposition to fracking going ahead.

Cumbernauld Village Action for the Community (CVAC) Report

All of the allotment plots have been taken up and are in cultivation. Fold up tables have been given to the cabin by ex MP Rosemary McKenna. Nancy is pursuing the electricity

supply for the cabin which we hope to pay for with a lottery grant. Councillor Fannan thought that councillors might be able to help with this. Noted that summer planting is needed for the tubs in the street.

Next Meeting

Our usual date would mean clashing with polling day and so it was agreed to meet the following week on 15th June 7.30pm Village Hall.