

Minutes of Meeting held at 19:15 on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2014, at Kilmallie Community Centre

**Present**

- **Kilmallie Community Council**
- Christine Hutchison
- Mandy Ketchin
- Russell Leaper
- Maggie Mackenzie (Chair)
- Jan MacLugash
- Kshama Wilmington
- **Highland Councillors**
- Allan Henderson
- **Apologies**
- Andy Bilton (Northern Constabulary)

**1. Approval of previous minutes**

The minutes of 19/03/2014 were approved.

**2. Treasurer's report**

Current monies available are £3252

**3. Banavie war memorial**

CH had submitted a proposal to the War Memorials Trust to improve access to the memorial with a handrail and new steps. She has followed this up by obtaining quotes for the cost of the proposed work as well as trying to identify the land owner and owner of the memorial.

**4. Go Wild on the Canal – 17 May**

There will be a public event around Neptune's Staircase and Banavie basin with water activities and wildlife displays from 10:00 – 16:00 on 17 May organised by the Waterway's Trust. KCC plan to have a presence and will either share covered space or erect our own gazebo. KCC will display boards showing the proposals for road safety improvements in order to gather further feedback.

**5. Kilmallie Christmas Tree Lights Fund**

The KCLF will hold its AGM at 19:30 on 6<sup>th</sup> May in Kilmallie Community Centre. All welcome.

**6. Scottish Canals proposals for Banavie**

All responses to the comments in the newsletter agreed with the points made by KCC. There were also some additional points made. KCC will contact Keith Mackie from Scottish Canals to make him aware of these additional concerns. (**Action:** MK to compile the responses).

**7. Scottish Rural Parliament**

The Scottish Rural Parliament Advisory Forum recently held a meeting and it has been proposed that a director of SRP is invited to make a presentation to the Association of Lochaber Community Councils. Suggested dates are sometime in June or early July.

**8. Next meeting**

The next meeting of KCC will be on Wednesday May 21 in Kilmallie Community Centre

Distribution

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