

Coupar Angus, Ardler and Bendochy Community Council
Monday 11th December 2006

Present: Chairwoman C Itani, I Clark, A Campbell, R Itani,

In Attendance: A Grant (8.15pm)

Apologies A Campbell – early departure. C Young, R Leslie

A Campbell also gave apologies on behalf of Coupar Angus bulletin

Late arrival 7.10 M Gallagher

Minuted by R Itani

One minute silence was held in remembrance of Betty Buist - representative for Ardler and Vice Chairman Community Council, who served for over 20 years. She will be missed.

October Minutes Deemed accurate. Proposed A Campbell. Seconded I Clark.

November meeting cancelled in respect for the loss of B Buist

Matters Arising

Noticeboard – Investigate if we can integrate with Heritage improvements to get a new larger noticeboard

Mortuary - Ownership not ascertained –ongoing MG investigating.

Vice Chairman Nominations

Due to the death of Vice Chairman nominations were requested for a replacement. I Clark, nominated, proposed CI and seconded AC. I Clark appointed as Vice Chairman

Pride of Place

Daffodil bulbs have been planted on verges approaching town. Mr Spelling has donated a tree, which has been sited on the grassy triangle near Blair Rd /Forfar Rd/ Union St/ Relief Rd Junction.

Council have dug a trench to supply electricity so tree has been illuminated.

CART

CC Chairman has been invited to become a non-executive trustee of CART. This position to be held by the incumbent chairman.

Planning

2 houses with garages adjoining – Precinct St.

7.30 A Campbell exit

Skatepark Awaiting light - bulbs for lighting the skatepark

Larghan Park is to be closed (for safety reasons) while upgrading works are carried out in the spring. Date to be announced later.

Treasurers Report no report

Councillors Report

Grampian Foods – to be re-approached regarding the nuisance smell

Letter regarding drain sewage backup in school road to be investigated

Works started in old CO-OP slowly progressing

Raised: footpaths, footpath from town hall to Blair Rd needs attention.

Pavement opposite Abbey Church Hall – water lying on pavement becomes treacherous in Icy weather. This is beside lollipop man crossing therefore danger to children .

Citizen of the Year 2006

Posters to be placed in local businesses windows IC &MG .

Application forms from C&W West or Itanis

Correspondence

Letter from John Swinney on Sheltered Housing – limited information

PKC Play Area Funday Competition – plans for Hay St Park

Convention of CC Minutes

PKC Retail Study Seminar

Moore Stephens re Johnson Ventilation Ltd

Highland Gathering Invite – Pitlochry Nov

PKC Renewal of Licences – The Royal

Safer Tayside Fire and Rescue Consultation Document

Health Council News

Letter from A Grant on behalf of CART regarding CART Trustees

Community Care sheltered housing info

Countryside Alliance – Rural Post Office information

SCARF info – cut fuel bills

Scottish Water – winter warmer campaign info

Postwatch Scotland

Spectra

PKC Community Planning Partnership

Association of Scottish Community Council Officer Changes
Chair showed a letter

CAN proofed and back at printers

Remembrance Service

Wreath laid at war memorial in church at Service by C Young. Wreath also laid at school war memorial
(Padlock on the school war memorial gate key holder Vice Chair & Chair.

AOCB

M Gallagher to attend meeting in Auchtermuchty and will clarify that his email to them was his own, not on behalf of the community council.

Minutes to be placed in the notice board prior to approval but subject to amendments.

Election advertisements discussed IC & MG to prepare.

General letter of thanks regarding the fireworks display

Letter to Grampian Foods re odour - ?

Fireworks Display

CC gives thanks to all the local business for their donations for the fireworks display. Really great feedback given on the event – look forward to next year display!

Illuminators and Fire Brigade & Friends

A fantastic Christmas display well done!

Seasons Greetings and Best Wishes to All From Your Community Council.

Next Meeting Monday 8th January 2007, Town Hall 7pm All Welcome!