

# Torryburn and Newmills Community Council

Minutes of meeting held in Crown, Newmills on Monday February 13, 2017.

Present: Robert Dennis (Chair), Heather Dennis, Susan Donald, Jill Mellis (Head Teacher), Jemma Black, Stephanie Blackden. From Council Alistair Mutch and Pauline Grandison

Apologies: John Emery-Barker, Mary Emery-Barker, Councillor Alice O'Callaghan, John Duffy, Bobby Clelland, Cllr Kate Stewart.

Mr Mutch and Ms Grandison invited by Cllr Kate Stewart to discuss Coalfields Regeneration Trust. Our area is now in it and can apply for £60,000 funding – applications in. Projects looked at and those that get most votes get cash. Robert Dennis on steering group.

SD mentioned that Torryburn Development Trust wants to buy Torryburn Institute or Community Centre and use it to improve facilities for our community. Create a community café Mr Mutch said get application submitted, get the assessment done by Council within six months – other organisations interested, sport etc.

Community Asset Transfer – demonstrate a business case and how it will work, as a café and toddler group. Note of Interest, highlight what you're proposing, with costs, availability, opening times and how to book.

SCHOOL ROAD: School estate and Transport finding out what work needs to be done to bring it up to normal standard. In touch with Environmental services to move bins, get costs to fill potholes, put in white lines, paths. It is unadopted but Fife Council will be responsible for maintaining it. Costings done by the end of March.

RD- could lavatories be built on beach near car park?

SD suggested using Institute or the pub like Limekilns. Create a community shop using Community Asset Funding.

RD: Toddler Group want to apply to Forward West Fife for cash for equipment for Hall – but don't have a bank account. Applications to be in by Feb 17.

TENNIS AT SCHOOL: School Parent Council pushing for tennis court and running track and applying for £60,000.

PAULINE GRANDISON COALFIELD REGENERATION TRUST: Need Torryburn and Newmills Action Plan,

- 1) Hold Open meeting, 2) set up steering group. Ballot every household then write the Plan to apply for £20,000 on application form. NO deadline for this one, but must be out of her account by March 2018.

Minutes of previous meeting proposed by Heather Dennis. seconded by Jemma Black.

## MATTERS ARISING:

FOR PLAN: Head Teacher agreed to fill in John Duffy's questionnaire and ask Parent Teacher Council to do so too.

WAR MEMORIALS: Jill Mellis Where is brass plaque? 0207 233 7356 is number to call.

FINANCE: £1695.63.

FLIGHT PATH: SB wondered whether we are affected. RD said further up and higher in Sky above us.

## AGENDA:

Apologies

Approval of Minutes of previous meeting

Matters arising:

Funding achieved by local groups

Police

SPEEDING

ROADS: School road

Councillor Report

Correspondence

Planning

AOB

Date of next meeting