

Craigie Community Council

Monday 11th November 2024

Craigie Village Hall

Present: **Chair** **Gavin Morton**
 Treasurer **Raymond Crerar**
 Secretary **Allister Todd**
 Margaret Drummond
 Hannah Lloyd

Apologies: **Diane Bowler**

Link Officer: **William McMahon**
Councillor: **Julie Dettburn**

Visitors: **3 members of public**

1. Chair Welcome

Gavin welcomed all those present.

2. Meeting held in open forum .

3. Minutes of previous Meeting on 11th September 2024

Approval proposed by Raymond Crerar and seconded by Margaret Drummond.

4. Correspondence: There was an acknowledgement from Ayrshire Roads Alliance regarding the issues raised at the September Meeting

5. Treasurers Report:

Raymond Crerar reported that current Bank Balance was now £ 621.54. Since then cheques written and Donation received.

Cheques written : Plants / Village planters £110:00

Pads/ Batteries for Defibrillator £409.99

Donation from Arnold Clark : Sum of £500 towards cost of Defibrillator maintenance.

Raymond also reported that Bank Charges will now be made to all Community Accounts.

6. Village Hall Report

- Thanks were expressed to all those involved in the organisation of the Psychic evening which was a great success and much enjoyed by those who attended.
- All in all – the evening was responsible for funding £2216 towards Craigie Village Hall with still some cash to be collected for Football cards, which will further augment the Total.
- The amazing sum of £1716.15 has gone towards the Maintenance and Running Costs of the Hall, whilst £500 went directly to the Community Council for the upkeep of the Defibrillator.
It was agreed that a Thank You Note would be sent to Local Businesses that had donated Raffle Prizes or a cash Donation.
- Raffle Tickets now available for A GRAND PRIZE DRAW again in support of the Hall. Star Prizes have been sponsored by Hillhouse Quarry Group, Quest Farm Supplies and Lochlea Distillery Group. Tickets available from Members of CCC / All Hall User Groups.

7. Police Report.

There were no incidents reported in Craigie. However it would seem that the report was only for Craigie Village and not for the Parish! Clarification has been sought.

8. Community Social Event

Sadly there was little support for the proposed Mingle & Jingle in December and so it was decided to cancel.

9. Planning Report.

It was noted that there were a number of Planning Applications in South Ayrshire linked to Sustainable Energy Solutions / Battery Storage & Solar energy,
Concern however was raised about the Proposed Development at Sandyford Smithy for the erection of a Petrol Filling Station and the Demolition of the existing workshop and dwelling house. The CC will forward an Objection.

10. Update on Local Council issues

Councillor Dettburn updated us on budget constraints within the SAC. General discussion about differing needs and priorities within the Councils jurisdiction. Wm Mc Mahon is going to forward slides from a recent SAC meeting which demonstrate the current financial situation. It is hoped under the new Government Shona Robison will have an extra Budget to distribute to Local Councils.

11. AOCB

Advice being sought from Ayrshire Roads Alliance regarding Parking Issues within Craigie Village.

Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday 8th January

Meeting Closed at 9.00 pm