

PENPONT COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held 4/12/08 (subject to adoption)

Present:- D. Manson, Y. Dick, F. Cuthbertson, H. Patterson, J. Templeton, J. Robertson, B. Campbell , A. Morton, D. Young, D. Lord, K. Anderson.

1. Apologies

W. Harkness, G. Kerr, M. Watson, M. Reid

2. Minutes of previous meeting

Proposed by **FC**, seconded by **HP**.

3. Police matters

Quad bike thefts in area, check general security.

Car door has been scratched in village.

New phone number for contacting police – leaflets to be put up around village.

4. All weather pitch.

Only a few surveys were returned. Of those returned the majority were all for it, one was in favour if situated at bottom of park and one was against. A skate park was again mentioned but in such a small community this is not viable.

Funding – Money from Loreburn, three year draw down from windfarm and another grant are possibilities.

Drawings being prepared for end of December. Get plans for new swing park/ skate area/ tennis court/ shelter. If we don't decide how to spend the money it will be spent for us. Need to make a decision at Feb meeting.

5. Windfarm money

We need to come up with a project for this money.

6. Treasurer's report

A satisfactory balance was recorded.

7. Newsletter

Suggestion deadline mid-late January.

8. Panto

39 people going on this trip Sat 19th Jan. Bus and tickets booked.

9. Teenager outing

Carry over to next meeting. **DM** to speak to youngsters to ask their opinions. Kids would like a Youth Club if anyone was willing to take it on.

10. Santa

DM to speak to J. Robertson. Procedure as in previous years.

11. Christmas tree

D. Dalgliesh will collect. **FC** to speak to N. McKay re. lights.

12. Any other business

- (i) Over 50's had requested trestle tables. Sorry – we forgot.
- (ii) Showers – still waiting for quotes. Tiles coming off in showers. Bob Peacock doing temporary repair on broken tap.
- (iii) Dog fouling in park – footballers spending half an hour cleaning park. **DM** to speak to P. Clingan.
- (iv) K. Anderson would like to borrow a bit of the bar – OK.
- (v) Parked cars at top of school lane. Delivery lorry has been unable to get in – **DM.**

13. Correspondence

- (i) Letter re. new byelaw on drinking in public places
- (ii) SEPA View.

Date of next meeting 5th February at 7.30pm.