

GLENFINNAN COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Minutes of the meeting held on 10th March 2011, Glenfinnan House Hotel

Present: Duncan Gibson, Joan Robertson, Ingrid Henderson, Grahaeme Young, Eileen O’Rua + 3 members of the public

Apologies:

1. Minutes circulated and agreed

2. Matters arising

- 2.1. Phone lines: ongoing: Information circulated about Broadband Enabling Technology (BET) - improves the Broadband in areas where the signal is weak due to distance from the exchange. To be explored.
- 2.2. Road issues: ongoing. Forthcoming meeting about the National Trust entrance. Council to be invited.
- 2.3. Shore path + tidy: Good positive response to the proposed work party. Materials and manpower in place. 9am start on Sat 19. Village tidy to coincide.
- 2.4. Village defibrillator: ongoing. Eileen to investigate.
- 2.5. Pedestrian signage: awaiting delivery.
- 2.6. Community Art Project: G.Y to contact Callop walkway landowners for permission to run an art project based on nature themes.
- 2.7. Out of hours post-box: ongoing.
- 2.8. Horse Fouling: D.G to speak to horse owners about manure being left on roads and walkways.

3. Correspondence

- 3.1. VAL Membership
- 3.2. Alzheimer’s Scotland information sheet
- 3.3. Highland Small Community Housing Trust – seminar info.
- 3.4. NHS Violence against women posters
- 3.5. Crown Estate – Scotland Bulletin

4. AOCB

- 4.1. Back track bins: Letter received from J. White offering a solution to the abundance of bins at Conker Tree and forthcoming uplifts. A stockade/ area to hide and tidy bins has been proposed by John. G.Y to reply to J. Whyte. D.G to speak to the landowner.
- 4.2. Flowers: The council will explore the idea of marking the entrances to GF with flowers/ plants.

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| Events: | Sun March 13 | Cheese & Wine – National Trust Centre 3pm |
| | March 19/20 | Shore Path Work Party, 9am |
| | Sat March 19 | Village Spring Tidy, Meet@ hotel door 11am |
| | Sat June 4 | Village Fun Day |

Next meeting: Thurs 7th April 7.30 Glenfinnan House Hotel

All welcome or pass your comments/ ideas to a community council member in advance