

Present: Duncan Gibson, Jenny Thomson, Joan Robertson, Ingrid Henderson, John MacDougall, Cncllr Henderson

Apologies: Eileen O' Rua, Morven Brown, Alistair Gibson, Frances Whyte, Robert Hawkes

1. Minutes circulated and agreed
2. Matters arising
 - 2.1 **Hydro Schemes – Community Benefit:** Ongoing: A follow-on discussion was had about the project ideas raised in the open meeting including pathways and community facilities. CC will follow up on the community facility/ heritage centre idea with add-on facilities for other businesses. **Action: John to speak to Marine Harvest re. pier building. Duncan to contact Planning Office to discuss possibilities. Other funding streams to be researched by all.**
 - 2.2 **Bus Stop, Glen Rd End:** Ongoing: A joiner has been appointed and work will commence soon.
 - 2.3 **Village Road safety:** Plans discussed to keep our roads safer especially as tourist traffic increases. **Action: Jenny to contact free-lancers to deliver a cycling proficiency class within the village in the Summer.**
 - 2.4 **Shore Path Damage & Pier:** Repair and maintenance issues have been raised. A Spring work party was planned but due to land owner issues this may not be in our remit. **Action: Duncan to speak to Duncan MacFarlane about future maintenance and usage.**
 - 2.5 **Speeding consultation:** Ongoing: Response received from Dave Thomson re. 50mph limit proposed on A830 Glenfinnan – Lochailort. A meeting of community leaders is proposed. Date tbc.
 - 2.6 **Advertising:** Poor state of Community Notice Boards discussed. **Action: Jenny to speak to K. MacAuley about renovating the old boards.**
3. Correspondence
 - 3.1 Leader Programme Steering group set up: Meeting on Tues 30 June
 - 3.2 Scottish Heritage Angel Awards: Recognising work of voluntary groups.
 - 3.3 Highland Council: National Public consultation – Flood Risk Management Strategy.
 - 3.4 VAL: Census Form
4. AOCB
 - 4.1 **Fun Day:** Thanks to all who attended a great event and thanks to Rockhopper for great fun on the water.
 - 4.2 **Lower Road Parking:** Tourist parking on the lower road verge was raised again and it was suggested that the hotel 'polite' signage might be extended. **Action: Duncan to erect more signs further along the road.**
 - 4.3 **Community Council Nominations:** Re-election process will take place from September to November. Those interested in joining the committee would be most welcomed. Further info to follow.

Next meeting: Wed 26th August @ 8.30pm Glenfinnan House Hotel

All welcome or pass your ideas to a council member in advance. If you wish to receive the minutes or event information by email please email. communitycouncil@glenfinnan.org.uk