

Netherlee and Stamperland (NeSt) Community Council Meeting

Meeting held on 16th September 2021 at 7pm on Zoom

Agenda Item	Minute	Action
1. Members present and apologies received	<p><i>Present</i> Catriona Milosevic (CM), Martin Armitage (MA), Joanna Teuton (JT), Victoria Pearson (VP), Duncan Scott (DS), Siobhan McGuinness (SMcG), Bob Shaw (BS), Bronwen Livingston (BL), John Boyle (JBo), Margaret Corrie (MC), David McDonald (DM)</p> <p><i>Apologies</i> Pamela Kinloch (PK), Katie Pragnall (KP), Graham Keany (GK), Pdraig ODuffin (PO'D), Andrew Morrison (AM), James Boyle (JB), Will Considine (WC)</p> <p><i>In Attendance</i> ERC Councillors A. Ireland and D. MacDonald (Ex Officio members) Member of Parliament – K Oswald</p>	
2. Minutes from previous meeting agreed	<p>The minutes from the previous meeting held on the 19th August were accepted as correct with a minor alteration from Vincent McCulloch. Proposed as correct by JB and seconded by BL</p>	
3. Outstanding actions from previous meeting	<p>SMcG reviewed the outstanding actions and updated as necessary. Items with follow up have been added to the agenda</p>	
4. Clarkston Road traffic	<p>Cllr Ireland advised the yellow lines at Riverside close to Netherlee primary are to be extended and a buildout will be completed on Linnpark Avenue by the end of the financial year.</p> <p>DS had sent a report around road safety and discussed with the council. The initial focus will be on 3 areas – 1. reducing speed of traffic, 2. protected space for pedestrians and cyclists, 3. Crossings within the area. There was general consensus that liaising with other groups including Clarkston community council and ERC.</p> <p>Discussion around 20mph speed limits signage in the area – lots not visible. NeSt are supportive of the 20 miles per hour speed limit in the area.</p> <p>Agreement within the council that the traffic on the B676 is a concern and a working group is being established to agree further work for the community council to take this forward. They will also look at other aspects of roads and safety within the area. Volunteers were sought and at present the group consists of Bob, Margaret, Duncan, Joanna and Catriona. Bob has suggested he would like to meet with</p>	BS

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	the working group to discuss next stages.	
5. Overlee Hydro	This has been moved to next meeting to allow more time for the chair to look into the proposal	BS
6. Defibrillator	The defibrillators within the area are looked after by ERC	
7. Parking on double yellow lines	Issue raised as concerns around parking particularly outside Netherlee primary school. Cllr Ireland advised she will contact the parking wardens to discuss. New signage for the school and lines for the roads are due to be commenced on the 17 th September. 20 miles per hour speed restriction was discussed and this is due to happen by 2025 as per government policies.	
8. Outreach	A group is to be established to work on social media presence – this consists presently of Siobhan, Bronwen and John. Victoria advised there are a number of groups within the area which we can connect with. She will take this forward. Leaflet drops were discussed and also using the noticeboards positioned at Netherlee Primary and Strawhill Road to promote and encourage community activity. Margaret also suggested use of the local churches. Bob advised he has hi-vis vests and badges for use if community council members are doing leaflet drops to help identify members. VP to investigate options at large community events including the Christmas lights switch on	SMcG VP
9. Data/Information Governance	Siobhan raised the question of what information is required/desired to be held by the community council about members. Active discussion concluded that as information held must be relevant and not excessive. Vincent McCulloch holds personal details on behalf of East Renfrewshire Council in his capacity as liaison officer . The secretary has one method for communicating with each member of the community council which was agreed as reasonable.	
10. AOB - Zoom/meeting dates	Future meetings hopefully will be able to be held in person. Zoom to remain an option for attending as well if possible. A community council zoom account to be set up by the secretary and paid for from the funding available as it is felt to be beneficial to allow more attendees at future meetings. Cllr Ireland advised Netherlee library is to reopen on the	SMcG

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	23 rd September The scarecrow trail is going ahead for 2021. Discussion around a gardening event to be added to next meeting	
11. Date of next meeting and close	Thursday 21 st October 7pm	