

Netherlee and Stamperland (NeSt) Community Council Minutes



Thursday 17th August 2022 – 7pm-9pm

Clarkston Hall – Lesser hall and on Zoom

Agenda Item	Minute	Action
Welcome, members present and apologies	<p>Victoria welcomed everyone to the meeting</p> <p><i>Present</i> Victoria Pearson (VP), Bronwen Livingstone (BL), Jim Boyle (JB), Martin Armitage (MA), Duncan Scott (DS), David McDonald (DM), Siobhan McGuinness (SM), Bill Considine (BC) Graham Keany (GK), Margaret Corrie (MC) Cllr Katie Pragnell, Kirsten Oswald MP</p> <p><i>Apologies</i> Cllr Annette Ireland, Joanna Teuton, Cllr Kate Campbell</p> <p><i>In Attendance</i> Amaia de la Iglesia, Tom Johnston, Gordon Sweeney (Police Scotland)</p> <p>Pamela Kinloch is deemed to have resigned as not having attended for over 6 months. SMcG to contact</p>	
Police liaison update	A briefing on crime levels in the area was delivered. Crime and call volumes reported as low. The police will be offering a presentation on fraud in the future.	
Minutes	The minute of the June meeting was accepted. Proposed by SMcG, seconded by MC.	SMcG
Outstanding Actions	<p>The leaflet has been printed and members have begun delivering them.</p> <p>A litter pick has been arranged for Saturday 20th August at Netherlee Pavilion area as per vote online</p>	VP
Treasurer Report	<p>The Treasurer's Report was circulated and accepted. Proposed SMcG and seconded by DS.</p> <p>Noted that signatories to the account have been added as VP, DMcD and JT.</p>	
Elected representatives updates.	<p>An update was received from Kirsten Oswald MP. She had met with First Bus regarding the No. 4 bus. Still concerned about access to cash in the area.</p> <p>An update was received from Cllr Katie Pragnell. The council</p>	KO

	will be seeking community council input into the cost of living strategy and announced a Community Council Forum in October. Gave details of surgeries.	
Subgroups <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Roads Safety and Public Transport • Social media/website 	<i>Road Safety and Public Transport</i> DM and CM tasked with responding to the SPT public consultation on behalf of the community council. <i>Outreach</i> It was suggested that we ask shops to take a poster. <i>Social Media</i> Noted that the community council now has a functioning website. Noted the successful use of polling on Twitter and Facebook to identify a suitable location for upcoming litter picks.	DS/CM
Constitution change	Constitution change proposed by BL and seconded by DS. Unanimously voted through. Wording as below. SMcG to send to ERC <i>13A Principles, Behaviour and Procedures for Breach</i> <i>13A.1 The COMMUNITY COUNCIL shall uphold principles of non-discrimination, equality and fairness.</i> <i>13A.2 The COMMUNITY COUNCIL shall display zero tolerance of bullying, harassment, discrimination or threatening or intimidating behaviour by members of the COMMUNITY COUNCIL.</i> <i>13A.3 A member's membership may be terminated with immediate effect following a majority vote in favour of their removal from the COMMUNITY COUNCIL (a motion having been proposed and seconded by members in accordance with the normal voting rules), if by majority vote, the COMMUNITY COUNCIL has found that the member has committed any of the categories of behaviour listed in 13A.2. Any such termination must be confirmed in writing as soon as possible by the COMMUNITY COUNCIL to the member whose membership has been terminated.</i> <i>13A.4 Any member whose membership is terminated in accordance with 13A.3 shall have a right to appeal against that decision to East Renfrewshire Council. A member wishing to exercise this right of appeal shall do so by written request to East Renfrewshire Council's Liaison Officer.</i>	
Planning	Planning application for site on Clarkston Road beside Mr MacGregors discussed. Comment to be submitted by 21 st August. VP and DS working on. SMcG to send. Motion to oppose application proposed by BC and seconded	SMcG

	<p>MC. Motion to comment with concerns proposed by DS and seconded by JB Voted by majority.</p> <p>BL kindly agreed to be representative for NeSt for planning lists going forward</p>	BL
AOB	<p>DMcD will act as CC liaison with the Friends of Cathcart Cemetery.</p> <p>SMcG to contact ERC regarding cc engagement with First Bus consultation.</p> <p>Climate Change working group and members requested. DS and JB agreed to represent. SMcG to reply</p> <p>Tom Johnston raised issue around gulley on Windlaw Gardens, Cllr Pragnell will take forward with ERC</p> <p>Representative request for attendance at the Kirking of the Council on 4th September. BL and VP to attend, SMcG to respond to email</p>	<p>DMcD</p> <p>SMcG</p> <p>SMcG/DS/JB</p> <p>Cllr Pragnell</p> <p>SMcG</p>
Close	Next meeting – 15 th September 7pm in Clarkston Hall	