

KELVINDALE COMMUNITY COUNCIL
THURSDAY, 18th AUGUST 2011
7.30p.m. CLEVEDEN SCHOOL

PRESENT: Wilma Adam, Anne Gasteen, Gerry Gill, Lydia Leslie, Moira Anderson, PC Angela Reid, Sgt David Taylor, Claire Craig, Cllr Mary Paris, David McGuinness, Freda Gardner, Caroline Johnston, Joanne Aitken

1. APOLOGIES: Robert Cree, Cllr. Dingwall

2. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING:

David said that OSCR's consideration of 'public benefit' is much more to do with pupils from less wealthy backgrounds having access to the education at the school itself, than the breadth of use of the school's facilities. The reasoning expressed by Mr Fyffe at the previous month's meeting that OSCR obliges them to allow the greatest possible use of their facilities doesn't really hold up when you look at how OSCR has held schools to account for their charitable status.

3. MATTERS ARISING:

Parking in a disabled bay - Mary has discovered that white lines cannot be enforced, yellow lines can in some circumstances, however, yellow lines with a sign are legally enforceable. Gerry Gill was concerned about cars parking on zigzag lines on Cleveden road. This is an offence with the police usually they point out the offence first then ticket a second time. Mary can arrange for white lines to be painted across driveways in Weymouth Drive but yellow lines on one side of the road are unlikely to be approved.

Polling Station - David Miller has inspected the Bowling Club and St John's and is not happy with either. He felt the Bowling Club was out of the way and St John's was on the wrong side of Cleveden Road. He feels in a school the size of Cleveden somewhere could be closed off for polling.

Discussions are still ongoing. Caroline felt that we should be discussing the polling districts.

Playing Fields - There has been an improvement over the summer since the meeting with Norrie Fyffe. Caroling is going to write to say thankyou and remind the school about the letter they said they would send out to parents at the beginning of term about parking outside Balgray.

4. POLICE REPORT:

There have been over 100 crimes reported locally including 9 Breaches of the Peace, 10 of Street Drinking and 3 Thefts. Violent Crime is virtually nil. Operation Cargo targeting people supplying alcohol to youths is working well. Sgt. Taylor noticed that there was speeding outside the school on Cleveden Road and is going to use a speed gun to see if this can improve things. A Smiley Face might be another option. The Police have increased their presence at Dawsholm after a spate of car break-ins.

5. COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

Pitch - Signs are to be put up at the pitch stating that it cannot be used after 9pm and to be considerate to the neighbours. The pitch gates will be locked at 9pm and the police will keep an eye on the situation.

Metal Theft - There has been an increase in the theft of metal. The Church is concerned as it has scaffolding going up soon. The police will arrange for someone to speak to the Elder in charge of Works about a Safety Assessment.

Traffic Regulation Order - any objections have to be in by 19th August 2011. We must make sure plates are up too so that the lines can be enforced and we need to get the Traffic Wardens on board through Glasgow City Council.

Cleveden Community Council - starts Sunday 21st August 2011.

Cleveden School Bus - congratulations to all who helped with this.

Kelvinside Community Council Leaflet - Mary handed round a leaflet from this community council and suggested we might think about doing one also. Grants are available.

6. TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance £366.19

7. CORRESPONDENCE

Housing for the Elderly Report - not applicable to Kelvindale.

8. AOCB

Cleveden School - interviews for new Head to take place end of September/October. Good exam results for pupils this year.

La Famiglia - new restaurant on Cleveden Road wants community involved.

Thank you to the Police for attending this meeting.

9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Thursday, 15th September 2011

Cleveden School, 7.30pm

Meeting closed 8.50pm