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BRIGHTONS COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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Brightons Community Council aims to improve the amenities and quality of life for people in Brightons & Rumford and to encourage community participation. They are a constituted group of volunteers with strong networks with Falkirk Council, police, government and environmental agencies. We welcome individuals or groups who may wish to seek help, raise concerns or hear about issues affecting Brightons/Rumford. Our meetings are non political, informal and open to everyone. Feel free to take a copy of these minutes, email us or attend any of our meetings, held on the last Thursday of each month, in the community centre hall behind the church buildings.

MINUTES OF MEETING Incorporating Agenda for Next Meeting

HELD AT: Brightons Community Hall

DATE: 27 APRIL 2017

PRESENT: Tom Grieve, Moira Heeps, A Cross, R Barrie , Peter Queen, 3 members of public, J Shepherd, PC Craig Towler,

APOLOGIES:. B&V Napier , PC Lorimer, TGrieve

MINUTES: The minutes of March 2017 were noted & accepted.

BUSINESS ARISING:

Welcome: TG opened the meeting.

Police Report:

Breach of peace at the Primary School and a silver car.

39 calls to the police. 2 House break ins at Standrigg Rd, California Rd.

Cars are the main target for breakin – as the culprits break in the house to obtain vehicle keys. Keep all keys away from site and easy reach.

Police Scotland have an on line survey to get your views on the police, and how it develops for the future, open to public -

www.consult.scotland.police.uk/consultation/2026

Community Safety Team 0808 100 3161

Ring 101 for non emergencies.

PC Lorimer can be left messages via phoning 101, his number being 196.

The community Sergeant is Jim Dougal jim.dougal@scotland.pnn.police.uk

TREASURER'S REPORT: BofS statement at 19/10/16 was £1085.85 unchanged. Plant costs of £110.

CORRESPONDENCE was placed on the table and discussed with those present.

Planning Applications: single house in grounds of Macland on Maddiston Rd and extension in Hanlon Gdns

Standrigg Road Gladman Scotland was discussed further, will be watched with interest.

A.O.C.B.

- Local Development plan** Cthe committee have spent time going through this with comments gained which will be uploaded to FDC web site.
- Hall** The running of community halls, including Brightons remains a challenge for communities. Further meetings are planned with FDC and Brightons HALL Committee. Public insurance to be checked.
- Large Good Vehicles** - Park Avenue.
Residents are dissatisfied with official response. FDC will be contaced and Brian has drawn a map showing the issue of poor access/signage.
- Road/Pavement repairs** FDC advised Redding Rd pavements would be included in next works schedule of repairs, Timeframe not given, so will be requested.
- Garden Aid –** Request from resident for assistance at pensioners address.
- Shipping Container** Complaints raised over recent siting of a container at North Craigs, Rumford.
- Tanning Shop** various comments have been received about the colour used to paint the main street shop. FCD to be contacted re regulations.
- Cllr Murray** Sent a note of thankss and encouragment to the Committee.
- BT Building** Renovations to be chased.
- Bulbs in park** query raised if morre plants can be put in park, and agreed.
- WallaceLea Home** Continue to be very good neighbours.
- Braes High Well Being** MH attended and reported it was well attached by a cross section of communitiee and support teams.
- Brown Bins** Schedule has changed – wee FDC web site as new leaflets not being mailed.
- FDC Councilor dissolved due to election so no Councilors in attendance.
- Litter** from chip shop and take away seems to be on the increase.

With no further business to discuss for the meeting was brought to a close.

NEXT MEETING WILL BE 25th May at 7pm.

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