

**DRAFT MINUTE OF INCHTURE & AREA COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
INCHTURE ON THURSDAY 10TH June 2010**

PRESENT Mr T Woodford, Mrs C Havranek, Mr P Henderson, Mr S Kelly-Barton,
Mr D Henderson, Ms L McFarlane, Mrs C Allan

APOLOGIES

IN ATTENDANCE Cllr J Roberts

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

The minute of the previous meeting was read and its acceptance was proposed by Mrs C Havranek and seconded by Mr D Henderson.

POLICE & FIRE

The Police HQ for the area has moved to Blairgowrie.

There was no-one from Tayside Police present at the meeting.

TREASURER

The annual grant has been received. It was £473.95, increased from £450 due to inflation.

The funds currently stand at £819.57 The Special Project Fund has a balance of £132.80.

Changes to the hall booking system mean that all payments will now be taken in advance at the time of booking.

INCHTURE COMMUNITY FUND PANEL (ICFP)

The latest meeting was held on Monday 7th June.

An application was received for funds to refurbish and upgrade the kitchen and to soundproof the doors between the two halls. The application was for £16,504.46. An award of £5,600 had been granted from P&K Grants Direct, leaving £10,904 to be inputted locally. This award came with a recommendation that the applicant contribute a minimum of 25%, £4,126. The committee decide after a discussion to agree with the opinion of P&K Grants direct on this matter and to make an award of £6,778.

It was agreed that £120,000 be invested for a period of 12 months and that the remaining funds be kept lodged with P&K Grants direct to allow for instant access.

Date of next meeting is set for Monday 20th September 2010 at 7.00

PLANNING

No-one was present from the Braes of the Carse Group, so only the Inchture side of the A90 was discussed.

The house at the back of the Post Office in the Main Street Inchture is still pending, but is likely to be approved subject to several planning conditions.

A slight amendment has been made to the next phase of the Muir Homes development. The road layout is the same, but there is one extra house.

An application has been made to extend Crossroads Nursery by 2 extra playrooms.

An application has been made to extend a cottage in Main Street Inchtute. There were no objections but it was hoped that any changes would be complimentary to the conservation area.

The Ballindean Farmhouse application was not discussed.

ROADS AND TRANSPORT

Our area now comes under Perth South, T Woodford has written to Messrs Kent & Mahoney thanking them for their good work on behalf of the Community Council.

T Woodford has written to BEAR Scotland regarding the closure of the gap at Middlebank. He has suggested the upgrading of the Westown/Kinnaird road if the closure goes ahead.

Core Paths:- No more formal objections are permitted, but comments are allowed on other objections. T Woodford has replied expressing the views of the Community Council on various paths on the north side of the A90.

TWINNING

Fiona Jurk has retired as Chairperson of the Association, her sterling work has been much appreciated. There is a letter in the village newsletter regarding this.

As only 22 people will be coming from Fleac this year, the formal parts of the visit are being scaled down. A full programme of events has been organised.

The street sign is on its way from Fleac. Its placement has not yet been agreed, but it is hoped that it will be located at the car park next to the school.

BRAES OF THE CARSE GROUP

No-one was in attendance from the group.

The agreement between the BOC group and the Community Council was that a representative from the group would stand for election to the Council and in the event that they were unable to attend a meeting a stand-in would attend in their place.

Mr N Guest has decided to stand down from the Council due to other commitments, so it was decided to write to the group to ask who would be joining the Council to represent the BOC Group and monitor planning applications on the north side of the A90.

EDUCATION

The Head Teacher, Lesley Lennon, is leaving Inchtute PS after 4 very successful years. A letter of support and thanks will be sent on behalf of the Council. An interim head will be appointed prior to a permanent replacement being chosen.

PARKS & LEISURE and TREES & THE ENVIRONMENT

The request re the dog bin has been dealt with. It will be added to the list as there was no objection, but it will not be happening any time soon.

No news on the molehills at Kinnaird.

SOCIAL WORK

Nothing to report

AOCB

The Telephone Box at Kinnaird:- S Kelly-Barton would contact Brenda Lackie again as it was unclear what the situation regarding insurance was.

A request was received for a notice board at the Muir Homes Development; D Henderson is to get back to them suggesting an approach be made to the Community Fund or Muir Homes. It was suggested that the notice board at Ballindean could be tied in with this if possible.

It was brought to the attention of the council that the Village Hall had been closed on Monday due to vandalism which caused the main power cable to the building to be damaged. It was decided to bring this to the attention of the police at the next meeting.

Date for the next meeting 2nd September 2010 at 7.30 in Rait.

Further meetings were set for

November 4 th	Abernyte
January 6 th	Inchtire
March 3 rd	Kinnaird
April 7 th	Inchtire
May 5 th	Inchtire
June 2 nd	Inchtire AGM

A meeting of the councillors was held after the end of the public meeting to decide on the various roles. The following was decided.

Role	Nominated	Proposed	Seconded
Chairperson	P Henderson	D Henderson	S Kelly-Barton
Vice Chair	D Henderson	C Havranek	P Henderson
Secretary	S Kelly-Barton	C Allan	T Woodford
Treasurer	C Havranek	T Woodford	L McFarlane

It was decided that C Allan be elected to the position of Vice Treasurer with a view to taking over the role of treasurer at a future date.

All portfolios were retained.