

NESTING AND LUNNASTING COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The Community Council met on Wednesday 30th August 2023 in Nesting Primary School at 7.30pm

1.0 PRESENT Mr Willie Simpson (Chair) Mrs Terri Leask
Mr Grant Nicol Mr Alistair Laurenson
Mr Dougie Stevenson

In Attendance
Mrs Eva Ganson Clerk

Did not attend- Councillors T Morton and A Manson

2.0 APOLOGIES – noted from Mrs C Leask, Ms L Hall, Mr S Johnson and Cllr Emma Macdonald.

3.0 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Mr G Nicol declared an Interest at Item 7 Finances as a parent of a child attending Lunnasting Primary School.

Mr Simpson and Mrs T Leask declared an Interest at Item 7 as Committee Members of North Nesting Hall Committee.

4.0 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING- held on Wednesday 28th June 2023
Agreed as correct on a motion by Mr Stevenson and seconded by Mr Laurenson.

5.0 MATTERS ARISING FROM MINUTES

None to note.

6.0 POLICE REPORT Briefing Paper for June and July 2023 emailed out
This has been emailed out to members. No concerns.

7.0 FINANCES

INDEPENDENT EXAMINED ACCOUNTS 2022-23 and INVOICE

These were agreed and signed by Mr Simpson. The invoice for £80 will be paid.

Applications for funding- Shetland Community Benefit Fund

South Nesting Hall applied for a grant towards repainting the hall. £2200 was agreed as a grant for this.

Applications for funding- Community Development Fund

Lunnasting Primary School Parent Council 'The Garden Gang' have sent in the invoice for the mud kitchen purchase so the £500 grant will now be paid.

North Nesting Hall applied for a grant towards the purchase of flooring for the hall. £1000 was agreed towards this purchase.

South Nesting Hall applied for a grant towards the repainting of the hall. £1000 was agreed towards this.

8.0 PLANNING APPLICATIONS 2023/157/PPF

2023/171/PPF- Proposed two storey dwellinghouse with associated driveway and drainage arrangements (resubmission of Planning Application Ref 2021-339-PPF) be Mr and Mrs Adam and Karis Johnson at Plot, Skellister, South Nesting.

A letter of support has been sent in to Planning Service as the Community Council are very much in favour of young people making their home in the area.

9.0 Viking Energy Site visit Monday 4th September 2023

Mr Simpson and Mr Laurenson are attending this. Mr Nicol may also go if there is space.

10.0 COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETINGS- online systems

Awaiting advice.

11.0 PROPOSED MEETINGS DATES for 2024 Wednesdays at 7.30pm.

The list of dates was checked and agreed for 2024.

They are – 24 January, 28 February, 27 March, 24 April, 29 May, 26 June, 28 August, 25 September, 30 October and 4 December.

12.0 COMMUNITY COUNCIL REVIEW

Mr Simpson had been invited to attend a meeting of Community Council Chairs online on Monday 28th August, this had been called at very short notice. He tried to join the meeting but the internet links did not work. Mr Stevenson said the internet in the area had been getting worse lately. Eva has emailed Michael Duncan to get information from the meeting, as it is important we are kept in the loop regarding the review. It would appear from the dates for various meetings etc given earlier in the year that the review timeline is slipping.

13.0 ASCC MEETING Tuesday 12th September 2023

Mr Simpson will attend this.

14.0 AOCB

Roads - Vidlin

Mr Laurenson raised the road at Orgill to Sandyburn as the surface is in a poor state, this will be sent in to SIC Roads Service.

Vidlin Telephone Exchange

The telephone exchange is still requiring attention, the fence is in need of repair. This will be forwarded to BT for their attention.

The meeting concluded at 9.15pm

Meeting dates for 2023 are- Wednesdays at 7.30pm

27 September Lunnasting School

25 October Nesting School

6 December Lunnasting School