

Lenzie Community Council

Minutes of meeting in Dean House on Wednesday 21st June 2023

1.0	ATTENDANCE	
1.1	Members - Tom Gray; Jack Cook; Chris Gilroy (Chair)	
1.2	Community Members – Dermot Smith	
2.0	APOLOGIES	
2.1	Cllr Willie Paterson; PC Aidan Adams; Summer Chen; Aileen Mundy	
3.0	POLICE REPORT – PC Adams had submitted a report on calls received by local Police in the last month. Police attended 90 calls in the area since the last meeting. Of the various types of incident reported, traffic incidents, including drink driving, again constituted the highest number, at 19 calls. There was a fatal accident on Initiative Road where sadly, a cyclist was struck by a van and killed. There have been proactive initiatives on organised crime leading to recovery of large quantities of drugs and cash.	
4.0	MINUTES OF 17TH MAY 2023 MEETING	
	It was proposed by Jack Cook and seconded by Tom Gray that these minutes be accepted as correct.	TG
5.0	MATTERS ARISING	
5.1	Land Sales – No information on this item.	TG
5.2	Road Safety Report – It was agreed to set up a special meeting with representatives from all three Primary Schools to discuss this issue.	CG
5.3	CC Areas/Boundaries – this item is still with Waterside Community Council. A meeting of Waterside CC was held on 13 th June with this topic on the agenda but no minutes are yet available. A meeting with Woodilee Residents Association was suggested.	TG
6.0	LENZIE COMMUNITY FESTIVAL	
6.1	The proposed Community Festival continues to develop with special meetings on 9 th , 30 th May and 13 th June. It was suggested that the former Royal Bank car park would make a good mustering point for the proposed parade and the possibility of obtaining this on the day would be explored. Offers of help from individuals in the Community were being taken up. There was some debate about the likely numbers attending, both the parade and the various proposed venues but this is difficult to estimate as there are no previous statistics for the proposed format. It was noted that if the numbers exceeded 300 attendees, a Public Entertainment Licence PEL would be required. It seemed unlikely that this number would be exceeded at any of the venues except Ingleside and it was agreed to plan on the basis that an application would be made to EDC civic licensing for the Ingleside event.	CG & ALL
7.0	PLANNING	
7.1	Weekly lists – A summary of applications made since the last meeting had been circulated. Six applications in the LCC area were included. Three of these applications were discussed in some detail and Standing Orders were suspended to	

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	allow the community resident at the meeting to make a contribution on one of the cases.	JC
7.2	Westerhill Development – This development is not in the LCC area but is likely to have an impact on Lenzie CC in that residents use a significant route through the proposed development area to access Bishopbriggs, Torrance Bearsden and Milngavie. Two members of LCC attended a public exhibition on 20 th June to learn more about the proposals. A significant aspect of the plan is that various alternative proposals for road alignments are proposed and feedback is sought on these alternatives. A representation has been made to LCC from a Lenzie resident (David Cameron) who is a football coach and is concerned with the Loretto football pitches at Cole Road. He believes that some of the alternative proposals made for the development will impact these pitches adversely. There had been little time to develop written feedback on these proposals but it was agreed that feedback should be lodged with EDC about the proposed developments. A response will also be made to Mr Cameron.	TG
8.0	NEWSLETTER	
8.1	This item was continued.	
9.0	TREASURER’S REPORT	
9.1	There had been no significant change in the funds since the May meeting.	CM
10.0	HYBRID/ZOOM MEETINGS	
10.1	Information had been received from a practising sound system expert that we could achieve good sound connection with external participants using a speaker-phone and he mentioned good experience with Jabra products. (Jabra speak 510 @ ca £80 or Jabra Speak 2 40 @ ca £102.58). It was agreed that this might be considered for meetings September onwards.	TG & ALL
11.0	DATE OF NEXT MEETING	
	The normal date for the next meeting would have been 16 th August but, in view of the Festival on 19 th , it was decided to put back the date of the August meeting to Wednesday 23 rd . A room <u>upstairs in Dean House has been booked for that date.</u>	TG