LOCHGILPHEAD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

         MONDAY 12th February 2018

1) Attending: A Buntin, E Rhodick, (minutes), R Millar, J Fisher, Charles Edmonds, Amanda Brown, Cllr D Macmillan. Sgt Martin Balkean, Police Scotland.
2) Apologies: H Rhodick E Maclean Cllr D Philand, B & N MacLennan and Ian Liddell
3) Police report - A quiet January, lots of calls re RTAs and Potholes, the fire at the Joint Campus, caused by an electrical fault, was handled well and all 850 pupils were evacuated safely. The Fishing boat tragedy in neighbouring Tarbert was touched on. There are to be 3 probationary constables coming to the area. Concern was raised as to cars parking on pavements; Martin will look at this problem.
4) Minutes of January 2018: Proposed A Buntin, Seconded, R Millar.
5) Matters arising: a- A proposal that the micro grant of £2500 be applied for from A’Chruach community benefit fund was agreed ,b –An application for funding for the Lochgilphead Coat of Arms has been submitted, to Argyll and Bute communities fund,

 c MAYDS have approved plans for a new area at their premises on Mans Brae, they will attend March meeting.
6) Treasurers report- £2151.80p as of today, £21 for community centre room hire, £850 micro grant monies and £40
7) Celtic Festival- there will be meeting of the subcommittee soon.

8) Community Council Establishment- All community Councils will be disbanded on April 25th, elections will be held for the posts, nomination forms will be available from Andy. 16 members are required.

 9) Correspondence: Mid Argyll Music Festival asking for sponsorship of a class at event, Betty proposed that £100 be given to them,£30 for sponsorship and £70 as a donation, This was seconded by Charles Edmonds and agreed. Local government reviews are on the Argyll & Bute Website also a Scottish Government page for consultation.
10) A&B update: There will a budget meeting on 17th, there were also all day meetings at end of January re same. There is to be a meeting with planning re the Progress of the upgrade of the Front Green

12) AOCB- Poppy Scotland, total raised last year was £1,642.64. The sighting and the emptying bins at Lochnell Street are still causing problems for residents and retailers alike. Donnie was asked to look at this matter, he advised that Paul martin be contacted. Complaints have been received regarding bins not being emptied on designated day; this was explained that a Bin lorry had broken down. Concern was raised that a piece of rusty metal had been unearthed for the “filled in” paddling pool.
13) DONM: 12th March at 7pm in Community centre.

Agenda 12th March.

1. Welcome

2. Sederunt

3. MAYDS, update from Fiona

4. Police Report

5. Minutes from Feb Meeting

6. Matters Arising (not on the agenda)

7. Treasurers Report

8. Celtic Fest

9. Community Council Establishment

10. Community Planning Group

11. Correspondence

12. A&B Council update

13. AOCB

14. DONM (9th April)