

## Lenzie Community Council

minutes of meeting held on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2017  
in Dean House

		<b>ACTION</b>
<b>1.0</b>	<b>ATTENDANCE</b>	
1.1	John McFadden; Tom Gray; Mark Billington; Cllr Rod Ackland; Drena O'Malley; Rosemary Craig; Tony Miles; Holly Richmond (Lenzie Academy); Arran Greig (Lenzie Academy). Lenzie Academy School Captains were welcomed to the meeting.	
<b>2.0</b>	<b>APOLOGIES</b>	
	Lyndsey Saunders; Christine Morrison; Suzanne Smith; Cllr Sandra Thornton;	
<b>3.0</b>	<b>POLICE REPORT</b>	
3.1	<b>Community Police</b> – Officer Kris Smith attended and reported on the previous period. There had been one crime in the South Lenzie area – namey a shoplifting incident which had been detected. There were 29 crimes in the North Lenzie and Kirkintilloch area to the Canal, around 14 of these had been detected and detection is expected in others. There were no major crimes, the most significant being the theft of an expensive bike from a shed which had its door removed. However the bike has been recovered. It was confirmed that there will be police coverage of the lights switch-on event. Officer Smith was thanked for his attendance and report.	
<b>4.0</b>	<b>ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS</b>	
4.1	<b>Convener</b> - It was explained that, as this was the first meeting of the new Council, the outgoing Convener from the old Council would act as Chair for the purpose of electing a Convener for the new Council. This procedure was followed and Tony Miles was proposed as new Convener by John MacFadden and seconded by Rosemary Craig. There being no further nominations, Tony Miles was therefore elected as Convener of Lenzie Community Council.	
4.2	The remaining Office Bearers were proposed and seconded as follows :  <b>Vice-Convener</b> – Lyndsey Saunders (proposed by by Tony Miles, seconded by Tom Gray).  <b>Treasurer</b> – Christine Morrison (proposed by Tony Miles and seconded by Mark Billington).  <b>Secretary</b> – Tom Gray (proposed by John MacFadden and seconded by Mark Billington)  <b>Planning Convener</b> – John MacFadden (proposed by Rosemary Craig and seconded by Tony Miles)	
4.3	<b>Other Office Bearers</b> - It was suggested that other Office Bearer positions might be considered, such as Events Convener, Gala Convener and Minute Secretary. Discussion of this was left to another meeting.	<b>TG</b>
4.4	<b>Nominated Members</b> - The Constitution allows for other categories of	

## Lenzie Community Council

minutes of meeting held on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2017  
in Dean House

		<b>ACTION</b>
	<p>member, either by co-option or nomination by community organisations.</p> <p>Informal contact had been made with the newly formed <b>Woodilee Residents Association</b> and they had expressed a willingness to nominate Mr Paul King as a representative. It was agreed to invite Mr King.</p> <p>The <b>1<sup>st</sup> Lenzie Boys' Brigade</b> had previously had a representative and there was interest in restoring this link. The BB Secretary, Callum Dewar had been willing to fulfil this function and the meeting agreed to invite him to be a member.</p>	<b>TG</b>
<b>5.0</b>	<b>MINUTES OF 18<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2017 MEETING</b>	
	Acceptance of these minutes was proposed by John MacFadden and seconded by Mark Billington.	
<b>6.0</b>	<b>MATTERS ARISING</b>	
6.1	<b>Parking Strategy update and Artwalk project</b>	
	It was noted that Councillors will be briefed at a meeting on 30 <sup>th</sup> November, on the Parking Strategy to be applied in areas close to Lenzie Station. Comments by members on the Artwalk ideas had been reported back to the Artwalk Team and the Street Design Team. The Design Team's comments on the ideas are similar to those put forward by members.	
6.2	<b>Gala Tent strategy</b> – No further information was available on this topic and it will be carried forward.	<b>GM</b>
<b>7.0</b>	<b>TREASURER'S REPORT</b>	
	There were no large movements in funds at this stage.	
<b>8.0</b>	<b>PLANNING</b>	
8.1	<b>Weekly list</b> – A list of current applications had been circulated and it was agreed that none of these were of special interest to the Community Council. A Ward Councillor noted that he had been involved in one of the applications which was retrospective, but was now 'under control'.	
<b>9.0</b>	<b>EVENTS</b>	
9.1	<b>Lights Switch-On</b> – Suzanne Smith is coordinating this event. Flyers are needed for the various events around Christmas, including the New Year Fun Run. It was agreed that members setting up PA systems etc should meet at 3:30 pm.	<b>SS &amp; GM</b>
9.2	<b>Fun Run</b> – Drena O'Malley offered to take on the coordination of this event in collaboration with Kirkintilloch Olympians, as usual. She raised the question of safety responsibility, given the large increase in numbers participating in recent years and there was discussion around this point.	
<b>10.0</b>	<b>CORRESPONDENCE</b>	

## Lenzie Community Council

minutes of meeting held on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2017  
in Dean House

		<b>ACTION</b>
10.1	<b>Lenzie Hall</b> – A letter had been received by a resident, criticising the operation of the Hall and seeking information about its future. It was thought that the present Trustees responsible for the Hall had been trying to get external funding to develop the Hall, but the fact that their lease was for a short term had been a negative factor in this. It was noted that EDC are carrying out a review of leases but this might apply only to Council-run premises.	<b>RA</b>
<b>11.0</b>	<b>LENZIE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TRUST MEETING</b>	
11.1	LCDT are holding a public meeting on 20 <sup>th</sup> November at 7:30 pm in Lenzie Union Parish Church New Hall to consider the 'Place Standard' strategy for determining the needs of communities. This is the first public meeting organised by LCDT since it became formally constituted and members were recommended to attend. Invited speakers who have experience of Place Standard will lead the discussion and workshops.	<b>ALL</b>
<b>12.0</b>	<b>ANY OTHER COMPETENT BUSINESS</b>	
12.1	<b>Charity Christmas Card Sale</b> – Rosemary Craig reported on this successful event, at which 15 charities attended. Most of these charities were pleased with their sales, which seemed to match previous years. A request was made for another banner to place at Initiative Road next year.	<b>RC</b>
12.2	<b>AEDCC AGM 18<sup>th</sup> November</b> – Notice was given of the Association of East Dunbarton Community Councils meeting in Smith's Hotel at 10:00 am. Any resident is welcome. This organisation aims to improve Community Councils operation by exchange of information and liaison with East Dunbarton Council.	<b>All</b>
<b>13.0</b>	<b>DATE OF NEXT MEETING</b> – The next meeting will be on 13 <sup>th</sup> December in Dean House at 7 pm. (Note it is <i>second</i> Wednesday in month).	<b>All</b>