

Tannach and District Community Council

Tuesday 29th March 2022

7.30pm via Teams

Minutes

Present: Emma Sinclair (Chair)

Holly Forbes (Secretary)

Catriona MacDonald (Treasurer)

Steven Sinclair (Member)

Amanda Coghill (Climate Action Hub)

2 Members public

Apologies: Ashley Miller, Catherine Patterson, PC Matthew Thain. Mackenzie Sutherland attempted to join but had connection issues.

1. Welcome

Emma Sinclair welcomed everyone, thanked them for attending and gave apologies for those listed above.

2. Confirmation of last monthly meeting's draft minutes

Catriona MacDonald proposed, and Emma Sinclair seconded.

3. Financial report

£4759.22 latest statement. Bank card form in process. £150 village officer cheque received from ACCC.

4. Microgrant vote

4 Members present therefore quorate.

Yarrows Heritage Trust- all members present voted yes, £300 awarded.

5. Climate Action Hub

Development officer Amanda Coghill gave an excellent overview of the 3 year government initiative on how they can support community groups. They can help with putting net zero into constitutions, assist in funding applications, liaise with organisations on behalf of groups and provide small amounts of funding themselves.

6. Any other business

- a. Newtonhill: Public planting a big success with volunteers of all ages planting trees. Tree removal is being carried out on the peatland areas of the site. AGM 20th April in the cottage
- b. Village officer fund: Weedkilling quotes enquired about from local firms. Jerry cans to be bought and filled in time for better weather for grass cutting.
- c. Haster playpark: Draft lease is in place waiting on HC's solicitors. Updated quotes obtained for a vat free £84000 park. Potentially a longer wait for park to be finished due to supplier being affected by war in Ukraine, end of September.

Next meeting 26/04/22 at 7.30pm on Teams. Future meetings: AGM on 31st May.