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# Meeting Minutes for 7 February 2024

A meeting of the Tarbolton Community Council was held at the Tarbolton Community Campus at 7pm on 7 February 2024.

#### **Persons Present**

Robbie Mann Cathy Thompson Jean McColm Billy McColm Matthew McColm Caroline Borland Janet Thornton Mary Haughey Jill Tomlinson Julie Dettbarn Vicky Dalrymple Robin Dalrymple Lauren McCarrell Amy-Jo Dunlop Lorraine McGill Lindsay Gilbertson Chairman Vice Chair Treasurer Planning & Licencing Communications & Events Secretary Member Member Elected Official **Tarbolton Community Council** Tarbolton Community Council **Tarbolton Community Council Tarbolton Community Council Tarbolton Community Council** Tarbolton Community Council **Tarbolton Community Council Tarbolton Community Council** South Ayrshire Council South Avrshire Council Resident Resident Resident Resident Resident Resident

## Apologies

Josie McMurdo	Member	Tarbolton Community Council
Pauline Sykes	Member	Tarbolton Community Council

## **Approval of Minutes**

The minutes of the previous meeting were proposed by Cathy Thomson and seconded by Mary Haughey

#### **Treasurers Report**

Nothing to report

## **Planning & Licencing Report**

The planning application for the erection of 3 dwellinghouses at Daisybank, James Street, Tarbolton has been approved.

#### **Communications Report**





We have been nominated for the SCVO Scottish Charity Award 2024. The progress of the nomination will be known in April 2024. South Ayrshire Council and Ayr Advertiser published an article about the activities we were involved in during 2023.

#### **Elected Members report**

Councillor Dettbarn advised that a budget setting meeting for 2024/2025 will take place on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February. All Elected Members are working to produce a balanced budget. She highlighted that 2024/25 is going to be very challenging financially for South Ayrshire Council and difficult decisions will need to be made.

### **Police Scotland Report**

No report from Police Scotland

## Gala Day 2024

The first meeting took place on 24<sup>th</sup> January. Excellent turnout from the community. David Porte from Thriving Communities attended and South Ayrshire Council are donating £600 to assist with the costs. He advised that we won't be charged for any stalls. Application Form to be completed for the stalls, tables, chairs and bins and submitted to South Ayrshire Council after our next meeting on 15<sup>th</sup> February. The donation from Hayhill Developments will also be used for the Gala Day.

The Public Entertainment Licence has been finalised and was submitted today.

Lorraine McGill advised she had won a free disco in a competition which we could have. She will forward contact details to the Secretary.

#### Any Other Competent Business

Chairman reported that no further progress has been made by SEPA in relation to Tarbolton Landfill.

Public Transport – discussion regarding the number of buses which have been cancelled recently. Despite repeated complaints being made to Stagecoach the situation has not improved. Stagecoach have advised there is a lack of drivers, and they are having issues with the fleet of buses. Community Council recently shared contact details for complaints. Councillor Dettbarn advised she hadn't received any complaints despite this. Unsure whether any of the Elected Members had received complaints from residents. Community urged to continue to complain when service not provided.

Litter Bins – still not changed over. New bins are in stock however issue with removal of damaged bins due to the method of installation. Janet Thornton advised she would ask a local scrap metal dealer if he would remove the bins. Councillor Dettbarn offered to raise this with Waste Management. Secretary to discuss whether we can remove the bins with Waste Management to progress this matter.

#### Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned by Chair Robbie Mann. The next meeting will be at 7pm on 6<sup>th</sup> March at the Tarbolton Community Campus.



