

# Uig Community Council

## Minutes of Meeting

**TITLE** : Uig Community Council

**DATE** : 13-05-19

**TIME** : 7.30pm

**VENUE** : Uig Community Centre

**DISTRIBUTION** : To all Council Members

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**Present:** G. Attrill, W. Greer, C. Mackenzie, C. Maclean, N. A. Macdonald, A.Morrison, L. Darley.

Item	Summary and Action	Who?	When?
1	<b>Apologies</b> D. Maciver, R. Fraser, A. Murray.		
2	<b>Approval of Minutes</b> Minutes of meeting held on 1st April 2019, approved by CMacL, seconded by CMacK. <b>Matters Arising:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Reply received from Stuart Wightman regarding enquiries about the state of the road and machair at Mealista. Copy of reply sent to UCC members and Breanish Common Grazings Clerk.</li></ul>		
3	<b>Finance</b> Balance stands at £6,432.90, which includes £821.22 ring-fenced for UCCA Play-park equipment. Paid J. Darley for maintenance of Chessmen and members agreed to continue to have this service. Annual accounts have been sent to CnES for audit, but as yet have not been returned.		

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4	<b>Correspondence</b>	<p>E-mails forwarded to members -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Planning - weekly lists</li> <li>• E-mail from Alice Murray, Community Conversations Phase 2 in Uig School on 14th May.</li> <li>• E-mail from SCDC - Strengthening Community Councils Report.</li> <li>• E-mail from Belle Ann, Improvement Services - Consultation on Short Term Lets.</li> <li>• E-mail from Belle Ann, Scottish Government information re. Unconventional Oil and Gas consultation.</li> <li>• E-mail from Belle Ann, 75th VE Day celebration.</li> <li>• E-mail from Finlay J. MacLennan, Tighean Innse Gall (TIG) - re. Energy in Transition roadshow.</li> <li>• E-mail from Iain Mackinnon, Director for Investment Delivery, CnES, Outer Hebrides Ferry Services STAG Appraisal Consultation.</li> </ul> <p>Other correspondence -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Various e-mails re. Zurich Insurance - CnES has now paid the premium.</li> <li>• E-mail to Stuart Wightman requesting update on mess at Mealista. Reply received and forwarded to members and Breanish Common Grazings.</li> <li>• Letter from Alice Murray, Community Centre Playpark grant awarded.</li> <li>• E-mail, invoice for Iolaire Wreaths. Passed to WG.</li> <li>• Telephone call, then e-mails from John Morgan, Ferguson Marine, Glasgow. Requesting to make arrangements for a visit to talk about his company's position regarding new ferry being built. After some conversation, it appeared that he thought he was speaking to a representative from Uig in Skye. He will keep us updated on progress, however.</li> <li>• Various e-mails regarding Care Unit Consultation. Sent letter by RM and e-mail to HSCP - no acknowledgement received from either.</li> <li>• E-mail and RM from Belle Ann, Notification of this year's Challenge Fund Grants.</li> </ul>		
5	<b>Care Unit</b>	<p>A public consultation on the future of Uig Care Unit was held on Monday March 18th at Uig Community Centre.</p> <p>LD sent letter of response to Health and Social Care Partnership consultation on behalf of UCC. The letter was sent via Royal Mail and as a .pdf file by e-mail. No acknowledgement has been received. It is understood that the consultation period has been extended again until the end of June.</p>		
6	<b>Uig Community Centre Grant Application</b>	<p>Approval granted of £821.22 for Play Park equipment at Uig Community Centre. WG to forward a cheque to UCCA treasurer and LD will pass on paperwork.</p>	WG/LD	

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7	<b>Challenge Fund</b>	Notification of the 2019-20 Challenge Fund and application form has been received. LD to put notice in Uig Community Shop and Uig News asking for suggestions. Closing date for applications is 6th August.	LD	
8	<b>Community Conversations - Phase 2</b>	Following on from the meeting in 2018 a meeting is scheduled for the evening of 14th May. Notice posted on FaceBook page on 27th April, with reminders on 7th May and 14th May. It was hoped that individuals and representatives from key groups would attend.		
9	<b>VE Day 75th Anniversary</b>	Notification received of celebrations of the 75th Anniversary of Victory in Europe day, in 2020. CMacK to contact Uig School to check what plans they have, and LD will contact the War Memorial Committee to ask what they are planning.	CMacK/LD	
10	<b>AOCB</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WG enquired as to provision of waste bins at Miavaig for the coming tourist season. AM looked into the situation last autumn and was assured that an appraisal would be made at the start of the season. CMacK will contact Iain Campbell.</li> <li>Enquiry was made about the 'pipe laying' on the road between Bernera road end and Garynahine. This is Fibre Optic cable laying, which is going to Bernera. Uig is not included in this phase.</li> </ul>	CMacK	
11	<b>Date and Time of Next Meeting</b>	Monday 3rd June 2019, at 7.30.		