

MINUTES OF MEETING OF KEMNAY COMMUNITY COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 29TH
APRIL 1993

Present: Mrs Milton, Mrs Shrago, Mr Evans, Mrs M Wainman, Mr F Wainman, Mr L Brown, Mrs J Newberry

Apologies: Mr S Yates, Mrs M Malcolm, Mr R Marco

Attending: Cllr R Hunter

1. The Chairman welcomed those present and the apologies were read.
2. The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and after the correction of two slight spelling mistakes Mrs Wainman proposed adoption, seconded by Mr Wainman, passed no dissent.
3. Matters arising:-

(a) Regarding item 8 - Mrs Newberry attended the meeting supposedly about the play area in Craigearn Park, only to find a huge meeting with residents of Brandsbutt, Inverurie regarding what appeared to be the setting up of a residents association. She felt she had been misinformed about this meeting and left.

(b) Canine Awareness Consultative Seminar. This meeting was cancelled due to lack of interest.

4. Unfinished Business. None.

5. Correspondence received. Letter from Ms Dunbar re charter for new home buyers; letter from Scottish Natural Heritage re Community Action Grants; Three letters from Councillor Hunter re various Regional matters; letter from Gordon District re Local Plan Review workshop minutes; letter from GDC re cancellation of Canine Awareness Seminar; letter from Scottish Office re Kintore Bye-pass; letter from City of Glasgow Community Resource Centre re Structure of Local Government; letter from Gordon District re Review of Electoral Arrangements.

Letter to be sent to Ms Dunbar asking her to take the matter up with the Scottish Consumer Council. Regarding the Kintore Bypass, Councillor Hunter to enquire of the Roads Department what a "ghost island" is and also how access is to be gained to the A96 from Kemnay - AGENDA ITEM next meeting.

6. New Business. (a) Mrs Newberry asked whether a letter could be sent to the District Council advising them that four swings are missing at the play area in Alehousewells School.

(b) Litter Pick Up Day. The report was read out by the Secretary. It was decided to send a copy of the report to the Rector of Kemnay Academy inviting his comments. It was also mentioned that there is a large accumulation of litter in the shrubbery outside the dining-room windows. Copies of the report will also be sent to the Inverurie Advertiser and Herald and the Evening Express.

(c) Flooded area next to the Academy. This was mentioned as a possible health hazard. Mr Evans suggested writing to the Director of Planning at Gordon District suggesting that this might be a suitable

area for Environmental improvement.

(d) Mr Brown mentioned the footpath by the river. There are a number of holes in this path, from which the stones are thrown onto the grass. The holes need filling in. This to be added on to the letter to the Planning Department.

(e) The Village Hall. Mr Wainman said that the rewiring started on Monday. There will be new heaters, lights and sockets and the Hall Committee has purchased a lot of stage and sound equipment. Mr Wainman has also tried to get another Grant to extend the Hall and knock down Friendship House. They are looking for old photographs of Kemnay which could be copied and hung on the walls.

7. District News. None in the absence of Mrs Elrick.

8. Regional News. This has been covered in Councillor Hunter's letters. Cllr Hunter suggested that in a single tier system the Licencing and Planning Departments could be combined.

9. Planning Applications. Five in all - nothing contentious.

10. A.O.C.B. None.

11. There being no further business to discuss the meeting ended at 9.20 p.m. The next meeting will be on Thursday 27th May 1993.

Proposed adoption:

Seconded:

Signed: