

## **KILMELFORD AND KILNINVER COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION**

Committee meeting held on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2014 in Kilmelford and Kilninver Village Hall

Present: A.Mitchell (Chair), F. Gillanders, (Treasurer) D. Scaife (Secretary), L. Files, C.Roberts  
C.Gibson (Caretaker)

### **1) APOLOGIES**

M. Anderson, E. Coyle

### **2) MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING**

The minutes were approved as a true record.

### **3) MATTERS ARISING**

- a) Colin McNiven has given a quote of just under £1000 for the electrical jobs to be carried out at the Hall and will be asked to go ahead with the work fairly soon. He will also give a written estimate for the replacement of the main hall lights with more economical alternatives.
- b) A plumber is to be called to look at the faulty cistern in the Gents' cloakroom.
- c) The gutters will be cleaned out when the weather improves.
- d) The Quiz & Curry night went very well and made a profit of over £400. All the helpers have been thanked, especially MA who made all the excellent curries.

### **4) CARETAKER'S REPORT**

- a) CG reported that when Ian McTavish lopped the ash tree in the car-park, he mentioned that there was some rot inside the branches. The tree is to be monitored for further signs of decay.
- b) CG has fitted a new fluorescent light in the lesser hall
- c) Some of the curtain rings for the curtains in the lesser hall have been replaced and the pole waxed by AM and Olga Salmond.
- d) The options for replacing the drapes in the main hall were discussed. It may be possible to attach permanently pleated curtains with velcro to a wooden strip along the wall. Alison McColl at Craobh may be able to supply the fabric. CR and LF are to look into the matter.

### **5) TREASURER'S REPORT**

- a) The main bank account stands at £4,475 with £425 cash in hand. All outstanding payments are up to date.
- b) The 100 Club balance stands at £1008. £500 is to be transferred into the main account.

### **6) FUND RAISING**

- a) A Curry & Race Night may be popular. This might be considered for the autumn.
- b) CR mentioned that KKCA may be eligible for a pay-out from the Renewable Energy Scheme, with reference to the wind turbines at Scammadale, which makes money available for local communities.

### **7) AOB**

- a) Margaret Cross thanked the committee for adjusting the start time of the Quiz & Curry Night to co-ordinate with an event at the church.
- b) AM is awaiting a quote from a local kitchen designer who was called in to look at the kitchen. Improvements are to include installation of an industrial dishwasher, new sinks, fridge, cupboards, worktops and possibly a new hatch. CR knows of a joiner and plumber who may be able to give estimates. Once quotes are obtained, funding can be investigated.

### **8) DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING**

Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 8.00pm