# **Broxburn Community Council**

## Minutes of meeting, 19:00

#### - Present

Graeme Barrie (Chair) Murray Kane (Vice Chair) Russell McLean Robert Morrison Councillor Diane Calder Councillor Janet Campbell PC Peter Robertson 5064 PC Paul Hart 5642 Resident - Andy Marshall

#### - Apologies

Harry Ferguson Ellen Glass Jack Mclaren (Treasurer) Sylvia Roy Tom Roy

#### - Welcome and Introductions

Minutes of last meeting proposed by Robert Morrison and seconded by Murray Kane.

#### - Police report

44 crimes reported in past month of which -

- 8 assaults (including domestic)
- 1 serious assault in McLeod Street, one broken finger one arrest made
- 9 thefts including 1 house and 2 slip-in thefts (West Holmes and Hillview area)
- 1 drink driving arrest at three times the limit
- 5 vandalisms

Broxburn Primary incident reported on social media, person spoken to was not the person being looked for

No further information about Thistle Ind. Est. fire - checking CCTV for images of 4 young persons seen at the time

Stewartfield Park, bucket and trees burnt

#### - Treasurers report

Treasurer not present. BCC balance remains at £1506.16

#### - WLC Planning report

Waz, neighbour complaints. Discussed with Councillors, Tom and Harry to ask WLC Planning Department why the use of his premises might require change of use application.

### - Town Centre Management

Meeting Thursday 29th September.

Questions asked as to why WLC/TCM monies are being considered for the upgrade to Argyll Court when it is owned by a private company.

#### - Incoming communications

Fiona Hyslop - EDI noise. Discussion held over the Airport's consultation missing one of it's closest neighbours.

We are now to be included in information emails

Christmas tree - Lights on 10th December. Christmas event is to be in old Scotmid store, now leased by River Kids.

Poppy appeal - Ellen purchasing wreath as per previous year.

BT phone removal information received. Most public phones are being removed from Broxburn area due to there being little or no use made, probably due to number of mobile phones now carried.

#### - AOCB

BMX track at Stewartfield - weeds are taking over. WLC to be chased to deal with this.

The Goschen Lounge closes on Sunday, October 2nd.

- Date of next meeting - Monday, October 24, 2016 (changed from 31st due to Hallowe'en)