



**Sandbank Community Council**  
**Minutes of Meeting on 19<sup>th</sup> Nvember 2019**  
**Sandbank Village Hall**

**Present**

Sue McKillop (SM), Fiona Gault (FG), Iain McNaughton (IM) Jean Maskell (JM)

**Members of Public**

PC Dee Mitchell, Judith Moen

**1. Apologies**

Michelle Sweeney, William Sinclair, Nicola Gault, Tom McKillop, Eric Large, Bill Rankin, Claire Segeren, Alan Reid, Pauline Seale

**2. Police Report**

There were 18 incidents since 22<sup>nd</sup> October. 4 crime reports, 1 road traffic, 2 Possession of drugs and 1 disorder call.

The drink driving initiative will run until January 2<sup>nd</sup> 2020.

**3. Declarations of Interest**

None

**4. Minutes of Meeting and Matters Arising from Previous Meeting**

Agreed without amendment.

Proposer : **JM**    Seconder : **IM**

**5. Treasurers Report**

Sandbank Community Council

Balance b/f 01.04.19	3932.66
50/50	881.00
Argyll & Bute Council grant	603.60
Donations	2.80
Fireworks donation	1720.50
Paypal Trial	0.01
Wreath repaid	66.80



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NHS	1000.00	
Car Boot	376.00	4650.71
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Plants	290.63	
Village Hall hire	100.00	
ICO	35.00	
50/50 prizes	92.00	
Book keeper	10.00	
Wreaths	100.20	
Small Lottery Fee	40.00	667.83
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Balance 14.11.199		<u>7915.54</u>
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50/50 winners

1<sup>st</sup> prize number 35 Andy Thoms

2<sup>nd</sup> prize number 52 Doris Baxter

3<sup>rd</sup> prize number 81 Shirley Haunschmidt

## 6. Councillor's Report

### **Lamp post in Rankins' Brae and Give Way sign not lit**

Roads response,

"This fault will be logged on the system for repair and will be programmed into the work stream for Street Lighting electricians and Roads civils teams."

### **Bus stop at school damaged**

Roads response,

"We will get it made safe for the meantime, and will go out to see if it can be repaired or needs replaced. We have instructed repair and we are waiting for the company to attend, they are Glasgow based, and they tend to go out quite quickly once they receive instruction."

### **Can Community Council buy signs for lamp posts to deter speeding?**

Roads response,



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“Email exchanges are ongoing with PC Laura Evans regarding the signage. It would have to be agreed with Police Scotland and Argyll and Bute Council. She is the officer driving this campaign. The example signs were provided by her. The signs to be erected at the boundaries of the village on existing street furniture. Risk Assessments and Method Statements will be required prior to this venture proceeding, approved by PS and ABC. We will update as and when updates become available.”

**Fault in road surface at the top of Ardenslate Road**

Roads response,

“This is not a fault. The vertical alignment of Ardenslate road has remained unchanged since before the new footway was constructed and one way was implemented. Motorists will be reducing speed prior to entering the 30mph on Ardenslate Road from the 40mph on the A885 High Road and as the change is carriageway level is undulating and not sharp. There should be no risk to Drivers and Vehicles driving safely and within the designated speed limit. As an additional measure to reinforce this a ‘SLOW’ was placed on the carriageway at this point.”

**Pothole at Ferguslie Street/Cromlech Road junction.**

Roads response, “Work on this fault was completed this morning” 7 Nov.

**Timber Lorries on the Main Road through Sandbank**

Roads response,

“The vehicle access at Robertson’s Yard has not been completed nor is the current internal network suitable for timber haulage vehicles. Hence they are unable to run a one way system. Recently there have not been many sailings and timber has been leaving Argyll by road. A815 Shore Road is used by vehicles entering or leaving the Dunoon area, not just timber transport.”

**Overgrowing trees on path from Robertson Terrace to Queen’s Road**

Property Services response, “Property Services have spoken with ACHA and they are indicating that the ground and trees belong to them. We have emailed ACHA to request written confirmation of this, and will provide a further update once we have heard back from them.”

**Path from car park behind TSC to School**

Have asked who owns the path. Awaiting response.

## **7. Convenors Report**

Thank you to everyone involved in the fireworks, especially Judith for her hard work with the bonfire. As usual it was a great success. Next year it has been decided to have stand alone stalls on the car park. No indoor stalls.

The donut stand and ice-cream van have asked if they can come along to the car boot sales. The insider will not be back next year.



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Ann Galliard is doing a talk in the village hall on Sandbank history. 30<sup>th</sup> November at 2pm. This is to raise money for Sandbank Community. The event will be £4 per ticket and will include home baking donated by JM and SM and tea/coffee.

The tree lighting will take place on 1<sup>st</sup> December at 6pm Rankins Brae. The kids will be signing Christmas songs and Santa will switch on the lights. There will be warm Christmas punch made by FG and mince pies made by SM. This event will be free. Sandbank Community Council will also donate to the giving tree in Dunoon.

**8. Local and Area Planning**

None

**9. Any Other Business**

WS is looking into Torlochan Site after discussion at meeting.

**10. Public Questions**

None

**13. Date of the next meeting**

21<sup>st</sup> January 2020 7pm Sandbank Village Hall

Fiona Gault 20<sup>th</sup> November 2018