

**WEMYSS BAY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE MEETING  
WEDNESDAY 7<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2009 at 7.30PM  
ROGUES ROOM, INVERKIP HOTEL, INVERKIP**

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| <b>Present:</b> | Kirsty Donnelly | Ann-Marie Cockburn |
|                 | Elaine Blue     | Janet Innes        |
|                 | Iain Buchan     | David Adams        |
|                 | Edna McKillop   | Donald Sutherland  |
|                 | Alex Hardie     | Lynsey Halliday    |
|                 | Michele Barrett | Juliane Neilson    |
|                 | Joseph Craig    | Pamela Noble       |
|                 | Pauline Jackson |                    |

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| <b>Apologies:</b> | Donna Galvin    | Bobbie McCabe    |
|                   | Denise Anderson | Jenny Eaton      |
|                   | Jill Pearson    | Lynn McConnachie |

**Welcome**

Kirsty Donnelly in the chair welcomed everyone to the meeting and thanked everyone for attending. The Minutes of the last meeting were proposed by Anne-Marie Cockburn and seconded by Iain Buchan.

**Treasurer's Report**

Up-to-date financial information was in the process of being passed from our old Treasurer to our new Treasurer and an update would be given at the next meeting.

**Letting Secretary's Report**

Kirsty confirmed that parties were continuing to come in. It was confirmed that Pauline Jackson had now taken over the role of Letting Secretary and that anyone wanting to make a booking should contact Pauline on 01475 522523 between 9am and 5pm. It was confirmed that the adverts within the village news should be changed to show Pauline's details. It was also confirmed that a rota should be put in place to assist with the set up/clear away of parties. The Committee discussed at length the prices for both bouncy castle and disco parties and it was decided that lets for both parties would increase to £60 – which would include hall hire and also either the Disco or bouncy castle.

**Secretary's Report**

Elaine Blue advised that she had received an email from Jean Kerr confirming that she was happy to deal with grants applications etc. The Committee discussing this and confirming that forms relating to this year's Gala would be partially filled in with details from last year's Gala and then passed to Jean.

**Facility Manager's Report**

Iain Buchan advised that the Council were still to finish fixing the disabled toilet and that he has been in touch with Ian Dyer again regarding this. It was confirmed that Alex Hardie has now taken over the role of Facilities Manager.

**Parent Group Representatives Business**

At last month's meeting Lynsey Halliday confirmed that she would be happy to be the representative for the Nursery – it was confirmed that Juliane Neilson would assist Lynsey in this role. It was hoped that a few more parent group representatives would come along to the next meeting.

**Other Business**

David Adams confirmed that he was continuing to look into the possibility of holding a bingo night on a Sunday night and would keep the Committee updated.

**Christmas Light Switch On**

It was confirmed that the light switch on was a success again this year and the Committee noted how many comments had been made on how wonderful the Christmas tree looked this year.

Donations of £165.81 were made on the night and it was decided to keep these funds within the Association as it was envisaged that fund raising events would potentially need to be held this year if the Committee wanted to go ahead with the possibility of extending the Centre.

It was suggested that this year word sheets should be handed out to the community so that everyone in the community could join in with the carols around the Christmas tree.

### **Gala 2009**

It was confirmed that next year's Gala will take place on the weekend of 12<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> June 2009. Themes for the weekend were discussed again and details would be confirmed in due course.

### **Next Meeting**

It was confirmed that the next meeting would take place on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2009 at 7.00pm in the Community Centre followed by a Gala meeting.