

SGOIL AN IOCHDAIR AGUS A'CHOIMHEARSNACHD

Minutes of meeting of trustees 9th July 2013

Present

Howard Warner (Treasurer)
 Peter Bird (Vice-chair)
 Ronnie MacPhee (Trustee)
 Stephen MacAulay (Trustee)
 Kate Dawson (Secretary)

Apologies

Mairi Bremner
 Angus Campbell

Minuted by Kate Dawson

1. Welcome: Kate welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2. Approval of Minutes:

Minutes of February 2013 were approved (PM/HW)

3. Matters arising:

- a) Clean up: No reply from proposer of Creagorry clean-up
- b) New Benches: Storas Uibhist now confirm they own the land for the proposed bench site, and have suggested that we contact the Clerk of the grazings committee. (Probably Iain Campbell. SM will let KD know any details) HW proposes we apply to the co-op in the first instance. KD to share costings with HW. All agreed.
- c) Other maintenance: The footpaths at Loch Skipport and Torlum need a little maintenance, mostly to do with the land drains. These need to be re-covered with gravel, which could possibly be part of our community maintenance day next spring. Further investigation as to extent of maintenance is required. Roll over
- d) Co-opting new trustees: KD to ask D R MacRury or Margaret Ann Humberstone

4. Lease and plans for pitch:

- a) Lease: The lease has been returned signed to us, we have signed, but discovered that the hall committee have not signed the plans: KD to track down Dan Coyle and Donald Macinnes.
- b) Funding for plans: KD will check cost of getting plans prepared, before submitting application to Awards for All.
- c) Development worker: All agreed to apply for funding for development worker to manage applications for pitch as well as developing other ideas, considering new opportunities, initially for 2 years, to include continuity plans. KD to investigate. Assistance from other groups may be available.

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5. Iochdar School Playing fields

- a) Bridge: This will need painting: KD to find out from head-teacher if this is in hand.
- b) Path: Rhod Evans has supplied specs for the path around the trees at the school: KD to get a unit cost for this from local contractors. MacAulay Askernish is the preferred contractor (Rhod's recommendation)

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6. Fundraising:

KD won a prize in a healthboard competition, prize of £20 donated.

7: AOCB:

- a) Request from visithebrides.com re walks on our website: KD to get permission from author Martin Margulies before sharing.
- b) TSH membership: this might be helpful for identifying funding, training for proposed development worker, etc. Agreed to join if fee per annum around £20, if greater than this, review at next meeting.

KD