



## Yes Cowal FORWARD Committee meeting

Date 11 Jul 2018

Present: Colin, Sue, Ginny, Edna, Jimmy, Ryan. Graham  
Apologies: Ewan.

### **Minutes**

Minutes proposed and seconded, Sue and Edna.

#### Matters arising.

Kettle bought and in use replacing urn which had developed a leak.

Discussion over gazebo and requirements and price. Idea shelved to be pursued by Dunoon branch SNP.

Insurance – We agree to pay the buildings insurance as requested by the premises owner. Minutes have been printed out and placed in a folder in the shop with current minutes displayed on the notice board.

Front door to be fixed, owner has been informed.

Lights have been fixed, (thanks Ronnie) no response to reason for disconnection and initial problem.

### **Accounts.**

New Account – £1694.54 (@1<sup>st</sup> Jun)

Old Account – £1587.50 (@ 13<sup>th</sup> Jun)

Retail – £352.77 (@ 25<sup>th</sup> May)

Standing orders into the account amount to £496.87. Two people have dropped out in the last month.

### **Events**

Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> June – Meeting in the Pier – This was a good and well attended meeting. The livecast is now online.

Coffee morning held for water heaters – good response and £60 raised.

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July – Film night and discussion.

Set up at 6:30 for a 7:00 start. Projector to be borrowed from Bulwood Nature trail.

### **Rota**

John and Kira now doing the Thursday with Eddie filling in on days when possible.

### **General discussion**

The coffee morning and other events to specifically raise money for hot water provision in the toilet and kitchen was agreed by majority (again). Chair was the dissenting voice.

Email list to be checked – Graham.

Information window needs to be updated.

Sue raised the possibility of using Indy Fund to provide money for printing costs / mailing?



### **Future Events**

Following the success of the coffee morning we agreed that we should try for more of these. There was also the suggestion of a Table top sale within the shop, check with Marsha for suitable dates.

Sept 6<sup>th</sup> Nation film screening with Lesley Riddoch at the cinema. Advertising and ticketing planned.

Other film Nights? Diomhair/ McCrone report etc.

Possibility of inviting Craig Dalziel to talk to us. Mike Condry has raised this most recently.

### **Radio**

Trying to get in contact with Andrew to see if he is happy to pass on control of this to get this onto a better footing. Aye Fyne have expressed an interest to do a program, we need to get them sorted with a slot and arrange for their recorded program to go on air.

### **AGM**

Notification required 3 weeks before, Newspaper, Email, Website.

**Next Meeting**; 15<sup>th</sup> Aug 7:30 Forward shop.