

EAST KILBRIDE AREA COMMITTEE

Minutes of meeting held in the Council Chamber, Civic Centre, East Kilbride on 29 August 2018

Chair:

Councillor Archie Buchanan (Depute)

Councillors Present:

John Anderson, Graeme Campbell, Isobel Dorman, Fiona Dryburgh, Joe Fagan, Geri Gray, Hugh Macdonald, Graham Scott, Collette Stevenson, Jim Wardhaugh, Sheena Wardhaugh

Councillors' Apologies:

Gerry Convery, Margaret Cooper, Ian Harrow, Monique McAdams, Gladys Miller, David Watson (Chair)

Attending:

Education Resources

E Alexander, Acting Headteacher, Auldhouse Primary School; L Sherry, Head of Education (Corporate Planning and Support Services)

Finance and Corporate Resources

S McLeod, Administration Officer

Also Attending:

South Lanarkshire Leisure and Culture Limited (SLLC)

G Campbell, General Manager; K McNally, Active Schools Manager; M Turnbull, Active Schools Co-ordinator

1 Declaration of Interests

No interests were declared.

2 Minutes of Previous Meeting

The minutes of the meeting of the East Kilbride Area Committee held on 30 May 2018 were submitted for approval as a correct record.

The Committee decided: that the minutes be approved as a correct record.

3 Education Scotland Report - Auldhouse Primary School, East Kilbride

A report dated 14 August 2018 by the Executive Director (Education Resources) was submitted on the outcome of the inspection of Auldhouse Primary School, East Kilbride made by Education Scotland.

The inspection had taken place in April 2018 as part of a national sample of primary education and the inspection letter reporting on the findings had been published on 26 June 2018.

A number of particular strengths of the school had been identified in the inspection letter. The area for improvement, agreed with the school and education authority, had been incorporated into the school's improvement plan and parents would be informed of progress. Education Scotland had intimated that they would make no further visits in connection with this inspection.

L Sherry, Head of Education (Corporate Planning and Support Services) spoke on key aspects of the report.

Members of the Committee congratulated the Acting Headteacher on the positive outcome of the inspection.

The Committee decided: that the report be noted.

4 Active Schools in South Lanarkshire

K McNally, Active Schools Manager, and M Turnbull, Active Schools Co-ordinator, South Lanarkshire Leisure and Culture Limited (SLLC) gave a joint presentation on the Active Schools Programme which provided details of the:-

- ◆ background of the Programme
- ◆ investment provided by sportscotland
- ◆ Programme's priorities
- ◆ range of activity sessions delivered
- ◆ facilitators of the activities
- ◆ events held within the East Kilbride Area Committee area

K McNally and M Turnbull, having responded to members' questions, were thanked for their informative presentation.

The Committee decided: that the presentation be noted.

Councillor Gray entered the meeting during consideration of this item of business

5 Community Grant Applications

A report dated 15 August 2018 by the Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources) was submitted on applications for community grants.

The Committee decided: that community grants be awarded as follows:-

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| (a) Applicant: | East Kilbride Bowling Club (<i>EK/29/18</i>) |
| Purpose of Grant: | Outing, entrance fees, administration and publicity costs |
| Amount Awarded: | £300 |
| (b) Applicant: | Friends of Strathaven Scouts (<i>EK/37/18</i>) |
| Purpose of Grant: | Equipment, administration and publicity costs |
| Amount Awarded: | £250 |
| (c) Applicant: | St Andrew's Court Tenants' Social Club, East Kilbride (<i>EK/38/18</i>) |
| Purpose of Grant: | Outing |
| Amount Awarded: | £160 |
| (d) Applicant: | Our Lady of Lourdes Bowling Club (<i>EK/40/18</i>) |
| Purpose of Grant: | Outing and entrance fees |
| Amount Awarded: | £160 |
| (e) Applicant: | Glassford Senior Circle (<i>EK/43/18</i>) |
| Purpose of Grant: | Outing |
| Amount Awarded: | £200 |

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| (f) | Applicant: Strathaven in Bloom (<i>EK/44/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Environmental project
Amount Awarded: £300 |
| (g) | Applicant: Happy Corner Club, East Kilbride (<i>EK/45/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Specialist transport
Amount Awarded: £290 |
| (h) | Applicant: The Strathaven John Hastie Museum Trust Limited (<i>EK/46/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Equipment, administration and publicity costs
Amount Awarded: £500 |
| (i) | Applicant: Our Lady of Lourdes Friendship Club, East Kilbride (<i>EK/47/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200 |
| (j) | Applicant: Moncrieff Parish Church Guild, East Kilbride (<i>EK/48/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200 |
| (k) | Applicant: St Ninian's Parish Church Guild, Stonehouse (<i>EK/49/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200 |
| (l) | Applicant: East Kilbride Seniors' Forum (<i>EK/51/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
Amount Awarded: £250 |
| (m) | Applicant: Strathaven and District Probus Club (<i>EK/52/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200 |
| (n) | Applicant: Strathaven Bowling Club Ladies' Section (<i>EK/53/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
Amount Awarded: £240 |
| (o) | Applicant: Greenhills Parish Church Women's Guild, East Kilbride (<i>EK/18/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Outing and entrance fees
Amount Awarded: £250 |
| (p) | Applicant: South Lanarkshire Trampoline Club, East Kilbride (<i>EK/19/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Start-up costs
Amount Awarded: £250 |
| (q) | Applicant: 1 st East Kilbride Cub Pack (<i>EK/57/18</i>)
Purpose of Grant: Outing
Amount Awarded: £200 |

6 Urgent Business

There were no items of urgent business.