

HUTCHESONTOWN COMMUNITY COUNCIL

TUESDAY 16th FEBRUARY 2016

ST FRANCIS CENTRE

**Attendance;** P Ingram, L Jackson, V McHugh, J Hewitt, J McManus, D Green, A Barclay, S Chase, J Stewart, S Ouchouba

**Visitors;** Cllr Hunter, L Leman, PC A Taylor

**Apologies;** Cllr Siddique, K Boyle, F Stewart

**1 Jeff** opens the meeting, talks about marketing of the Community Council using shopping bags, sending design round for consideration. 4 member spaces available and resource centre are helping with attracting members. Posters going up after the meeting. **Members took posters to various locations.**

Trisha introduced Lizzie Leman from Glasgow Centre for Population health who is working with NGHA on research into the success of Thriving places.

**2 Minutes of last meeting;** Approved by L Jackson, seconded by John Hewitt

**3 Matters arising;** Christmas was the reason for delays in fixing drainage at Cumberland St.

Walkabouts **Jeff will co-ordinate**

Why no nail clipping service at health centre **Jeff will follow up**

Orchard event was great success

**4 Treasurer's report;** 3 bank statements £1990.33 in bank, discretionary grant for advertising.

**5 Police Report-** From November- drug dealing-19, all but 1 reported

Violent crime- 28 crime- 2 serious assaults- 1 detected-at court, 21 common assaults- 11 undetected, 5 under investigating

1 robbery appeared at court

Youth disorder- 30 calls to police, police attended- 1 racially abusive- traced, 2 reckless conduct-1 reported, 1 throwing items at bus. Working with NGHHA to action youth disorder with parents. There has been an increase in patrols due to levels of calls to police.

Road Traffic 26 reports sent to Procurator Fiscal over parking offenses around Commercial Court, does not include fixed penalties that were given out. 11 road traffic offences in area.

- Graveyard still issues with youth, Nisa test purchases have been carried out, several youth hanging around Commercial Court using drugs blatantly. Vehicles with engines running at Crown St.

**6 Lizzie Leman.** Researching to see what is working well on the community under Thriving Places remit, Questionnaires have been done in Riverside under the Go Well team and another 500 residents were questioned on what is good with living in the Gorbals, but now Lizzie has to widen these consultations and wants to have a night with us to explore the questions, everyone agreed this would be good **Jeff to organise date and time.**

**7 Council Report** Cllr Hunter- Southside Cllrs had meeting with LES mostly about Govanhill but Gorbals was included, recycling food waste to be rolled out.

-issues of drains at Cumberland place

Large potholes have appeared in Commercial Road at side of Leisure Centre.

Damage to large tree at Blackfriars

**7 Website** -Scott continues to monitor, posting minutes any worthy news, Friday Briefing from Resource Centre, about 3 -4 different people a day watching.

**8 A O C B-** public notices for new members taken by various members to distribute around area. Cllr Hunter signs discretionary fund application. Can a letter be sent to NGHHA

to find the amount of regeneration monies is left in account. Jeff states that an update e-mail had been sent from Fraser in August **Jeff will follow up.**

**9 Date of next meeting;15<sup>th</sup> March,6 pm,this is due to Lizzie leman coming to consult with us as explained at last meeting.**I hope as many of you that can participate in this consultation as it is our chance to have our say.