Clackman *Council*



Minutes of Clackmannan Community Council [CCC] Meeting
Wednesday 16th September 2026
Clackmannan Town Hall – 7.00pm

Present: Carol Smith, Chair (CS),
Catriona Blyth [CB],
Brendon Innes (BI),
Peter Anderson (PA),
Janet MacKay (JMacK),
Cllr Scott Harrison [SH],
Cllr. Kathleen Martin (KM),
Brian Edwards (BE),
Doreen Gallagher (DG),
Margaret Schofield CDT (MS),
Bobbi Rennie CDT (BR),
Margaret Kidd Clackmannan Church (MK),
Gail Fisher, Clackmannan Church (GF).

Apologies: Barry Reiter (BR) Police,
Cllr. Dennis Coyne [DC].
Dave Neeson (DN),

Minutes

1. Minutes of last meeting approved.
   - Approved. DG, BI.

2. Matters Arising not on Agenda
   - No Matters arising.

3. Police Report
   - Intoxicated teanager within George IV park traced and returned home.
   - Football related spray painting linked to ongoing issues.
   - Local woman victim of fraud, £6000 paid to a company
   - Man arrested driving and in the possession of held up by Kingdon Housing drugs.

4. Elected Members Report
   - Development partnership with Falkirk, Stirling, Clackmannanshire and regional partners set out investments used to support businesses, develop skills, unlock opportunities.
   - More information on City Deal website.

- Coalsnaughton update given at recent meeting.
- Council fulfilled its statutory duties.
- Recognised efforts undertaken by all bodies involved.
- Primary cause linked to historic coal mining activity.
- Lochies Road going to committee in October for additional funding required.
- North street being held up by Kingdom Legal team.

5. Other Reports

   Finance
   - As at 31/08/26 closing balance £5724.26
   - BE passed to Auditor.
   - £4.25 monthly bank charges.

   Heritage
   - Doors open day 26th & 27th Sept.
   - Leaflet with places to visit.
   - Pre booked only online.
   - Heritage Group in Town Hall 2pm- 4pm.

6. Community Benefits – follow up.
   - Meeting with Leslie Baillie Wed 9.30 -11.00am discuss Pavilion in King George VI park.
   - Discuss purchasing through funding with Football Team and Friends Group.
   - Initally look at work required.
   - Friends group to help with events and football team have some tradesmen involved.
   - For community and not just for football Teams.
   - Unfit for use in present state.

7. Update on Neighbourhood Watch etc.
   - JMcK attended talk with Lindsay from Neighbourhood watch.
   - Charity funded.
   - All employees retired police officers working Tuesday & Thursdays.
   - Neighbourhood alert information sharing.
   - Watches organised by coordinator.
   - JMcK to investigate further for more information.

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8. Battery Storage
   - Construction work for Project Deville energy store begins 21st September.

9. JCCF
   - Date to be confirmed.

10. Planning

- No new planning.

11. Events

- 27/09/26 - Bingo Tea Bowling Green
- 9/12/26 - Christmas Lunch.
- Tickets from DG for Christmas lunch available 20th & 27th Nov 10.30-12noon in library.
- Church Tree Festival- cost now £30, theme Christmas Carols, display 3rd,4th & 5th Dec .
- Remembrance Day Sundy 8th November, wreath to be ordered. DG & BI to attend.

12. Farmers Market

- To be investigated further for 2027.

13. Interim Elections

- CC elections minimum 8 people
- Encourage new members to bring the number up.
- Packs to people interested.

14. Correspondence

- CC Scheme meeting setback a couple of months.
- Debate nights in Dollar Wed 21/10/26. Email anyone interested.
- Tenents group included walkabout.
- Twinning not responsive.

15. AOCB

- Report submitted by DN re Alloa – Dunfermline railway line reopening.
- Connected with Cairneyhill Community Council & Valleyfield Community Council.
- Cameron Little working with businesses to promote campaign

16. Date of next meeting

Wednesday 21/10/2026 @ 7.00pm in Clackmannan Town Hall. All Welcome.

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