

Inverleith Neighbourhood Network

NOTE OF MEETING: Monday 27 February 2023, online via Teams

Present

Malcolm Durie
Clive Preston
Kirstie Warren
Cllr Max Mitchell (Chair)

Organisation

Edinburgh Model Boat Club
Stockbridge Inverleith Community Council
Stockbridge Primary Parent Council
City of Edinburgh Council

Apologies

Joan Beattie
Dave Pickering
Kate Wimpres
Cllr Jule Bandel
Cllr Vicky Nicolson
Cllr Hal Osler
Helen Bourquin

Friends of Inverleith Park
Drylaw Telford Community Council
North Edinburgh Arts
City of Edinburgh Council
City of Edinburgh Council
City of Edinburgh Council
CEC NW Lifelong Learning Service Manager

In attendance

Elaine Lennon
David Stevenson

CEC NW Lifelong Learning Development Officer
CEC Team Leader, Place

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>INPUT/DISCUSSION</u>	<u>ACTIONS</u>
1. Welcome and Introductions	Cllr Max Mitchell welcomed the group, and those present introduced themselves.	
2. Minute of previous meeting	The minute was accepted as true record. There were no matters arising	
3. A) Neighbourhood Environment Prog (NEP) – Housing Revenue Account (HRA) element	David gave a short update on environmental improvements: 1. <u>Maidencraig Court</u> Waste team carried out an inspection of the recycling bins which were in place for the residents at Maidencraig Court. The inspection found the recycling bins which were on site to the number of houses the recycling bins need increased. A design for a new bin area is currently being carried out.	

	<p>Once the design has been produced a consultation will be carried out with residents</p> <p>2. <u>Saunders Street</u></p> <p>Common land between block 5 &6 and 7& 8 improved pathways due to a felled tree, we added seating</p> <p>We are proposing to do the same between blocks 3 &4 and 5 & 6. We are consultation residents to find out how they would like the land improved. This will also include all the shrubs at India Place at the steps as they are overgrown and unsightly</p> <p>A land design is taking place at present, once produced a consultation will take place with residents</p> <p>1. <u>Telford Drive</u></p> <p>Title deeds have been requested for land ownership as 2 trees may need to come down and 1 tree needs to be reduced.</p> <p>One home-owner has given permission for a tree to be removed, as it's a home-owner planning permission needs to be applied for removal.</p> <p>The 2 other trees' once we know ownership I will take it forward for further consultation.</p> <p>Tree routes are starting to lift the tarmac footpath which needs to be attended to</p> <p>2. <u>Other suggestions</u></p> <p>A walkabout is arranged with Cllr Nicolson for the 9 March 23 to identify any other areas requiring consideration</p>	
3. B) Neighbourhood Environment Programme (NEP) – Roads element	<p>No further updates.</p> <p>Decision:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cllr Mitchell to ask for further updates. 	Cllr Mitchell

4. Locality Community Planning Partnership (LCPP) Update	<p>Cllr Nicolson is this group's rep on the LCPP and will be able to give an update at next meeting.</p> <p>In the meantime, papers for past meeting are available here and minute of this meeting would be available in full when available: www.edinburghpartnership.scot/downloads/download/5/north-west-local-community-planning-partnership-papers?downloadID=5</p> <p>Cllr Mitchell gave a summary of the structure of LCPP, NN (Neighbourhood Networks), LIP (Locality Improvement Plan) and city wide LOIP (Local Outcomes Improvement Plan) and it was agreed that a simplified version of this would be useful to clarify interrelationships for new and existing members.</p> <p>Decision:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elaine to source a simplified structure diagram 	Elaine												
5. Inverleith NN Priority – Greenspace/growing	<p>Cllr Mitchell explained that the existing community led priority for Inverleith had been identified as Community Growing and Greenspace.</p> <p>To assist in taking this forward, a grant to Drylaw Telford Community Council to undertake a community consultation of parks and greenspace had been approved (see below). It is hoped that they would attend a future meeting to share plans and findings.</p> <p>Decision:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To invite DTCC / ELGT to future meeting. 	Elaine												
6. Community Grants Funding	<p>Elaine gave a summary of CGF awards to date and recommended by recent Funding Panel meeting as below.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="510 1038 1861 1374"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2">INN allocation 2022-23</th><th>£24,990</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>The Yard</td><td>To purchase new specialist play equipment</td><td>£ 1,447.00</td></tr> <tr> <td>Drylaw Telford Community Association / Drylaw Neighbourhood Centre</td><td>To offer a warm welcoming hub with activities for local people in need of warmth and social interaction</td><td>£ 5,000.00</td></tr> <tr> <td>The Cheyne Gang</td><td>To redevelop the Stockbridge Cheyne Gang, offering 2 x monthly sessions -singing for breathing</td><td>£ 3,493.00</td></tr> </tbody> </table>	INN allocation 2022-23		£24,990	The Yard	To purchase new specialist play equipment	£ 1,447.00	Drylaw Telford Community Association / Drylaw Neighbourhood Centre	To offer a warm welcoming hub with activities for local people in need of warmth and social interaction	£ 5,000.00	The Cheyne Gang	To redevelop the Stockbridge Cheyne Gang, offering 2 x monthly sessions -singing for breathing	£ 3,493.00	
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	ARTS Afternoon	To contribute towards two drumming groups for young people	£ 3,065.00	
	Blackhall Nursery	To purchase waterproof jackets for children and staff to support outdoor play in all weather	£ 1,566.00	
	LifeCare Edinburgh	To support a welcoming Warm Space	£ 2,817.00	
	New applications recommended by funding panel			
	Drylaw Rainbow Club	To purchase a new large size tv	£ 950.00	
	Drylaw Telford Community Council	To undertake a local greenspace consultation	£5,000	
	Blackhall Lawn Tennis Club	To replace their secure gate to the premises	£1,380	
	Stockbridge Primary Parent Council	To support a road safety initiative	£272	
	TOTAL AWARDED TO DATE, leaving a NIL balance		£24,990.00	
	Decisions: <ul style="list-style-type: none">To recommend the above awards			
7. AOCB	Inverleith Park Pond issues <p>Malcolm reported that the work on Boardwalk at Inverleith Park pond had been complete but that the workers hadn't removed the gathered debris in advance as agreed. Cllr Mitchell agreed to look into this.</p> <p>He asked if there might be possibility of people under Rehabilitation Orders helping out with this and pond upkeep? Cllr Mitchell to enquire how this is allocated around the city.</p> <p>He also agreed to contact Broughton High to see if they had groups who might be keen to get involved. Kirstie to contact Parent Council for advice.</p> Decisions: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Cllr Mitchell to make contact re work on Boardwalk			Elaine
				Cllr Mitchell

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cllr Mitchell to find out more info re Rehabilitation Orders coordination • Kirstie to make contact with Broughton Parent Council <p>Stockbridge Primary Parent Council</p> <p>Kirstie gave a summary of the work this group, together with Stockbridge Road Safety Partnership Group, the Junior Road Safety Officers, pupils and school staff are doing.</p> <p>They are embarking on a year of initiatives to help promote safer routes to school, encourage more active travel options and raise awareness of road safety issues.</p> <p>This will include a poster campaign under the 'Slow Safe Stockbridge' slogan</p>	Cllr Mitchell Kirstie
8. Date of next meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 22 May 2023, Mondays, 6pm (link below) • 28 Aug 2023, Mondays, 6pm • 20 Nov 2023, Mondays, 6pm <hr/> <p>Microsoft Teams meeting – 22 May 2023</p> <p>Join on your computer, mobile app or room device Click here to join the meeting</p> <p>Meeting ID: 341 383 044 986 Passcode: 8Wqw66</p> <p>Download Teams Join on the web Learn More Meeting options</p> <hr/>	