



Minutes of Meeting Kyle Academy, 26TH May 2026 - 7pm

FHMCC : Lee Stewart, Douglas Smith, Anne Miller, Mary Elliot, Samantha Laidlaw, Elsie McDougal.

SAC: Cllr Chris Cullen

Guests : Reverend Paul Russell

Police : Police report was circulated to the Committee by email.
Scotland

Apologies: Sandra Taylor, Lynn Stewart, Lisa Sloan, Cllr. McGinley, Cllr Kilpatrick

Matters

Arising: None

Declarations

Of Interest : None

February

Minutes : Proposed by Samantha Laidlaw, Seconded by Elsie McDougal

Secretary's

Report : In Agenda

Treasurer's

Report : Read out to the room. The total balance stands at £3157.73. Audit papers have been submitted to SAC.

SAC Councillor's Report – Cllr Cullen commented that consultations are underway regarding the proposed changes to Burns Statue Square and Ayr Town Center, Further information can be found on the SAC Website, <https://www.south-ayrshire.gov.uk/consultations/>

Round Table

Place Plan meeting Update – Chair Lee Stewart and Treasurer Douglas Smith attended a joint meeting with Belmont & Kincaidston CC and SAC Office Audrey Gatt. The Community Action Plan (CAP) was completed and agreed, and Audrey Gatt will arrange publication. The Reverend Paul Thomson of Castlehill Parish advised us on the potential use of the Castlehill Church North Hall. There followed a general discussion regarding this. Paul will provide further feedback before the next meeting. Paul also commented that the Church Hall can be used for general events.



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Round Table

The proposed build behind Forehill Library was discussed. Cllr Cullen commented that entry during Library hours would be via the library and out of library hours would be via a key fob obtainable from SAC Hall Lets. It was noted that for evening use, there would be no washroom facilities available.

Community Council Events for 2026 – No agreement was reached regarding the spend of surplus funding. The summer fun day will not take place, and no decision was reached regarding the 2026 Halloween walk in Glencairn Park. It was noted that more volunteers are required to run the event successfully and safely. The Rev. Russell offered to place a notification asking for volunteers in the September Church newsletter.

Any Other Business (AOB)

Beresford Terrace Pedestrianisation – no correspondence/contact has been made by the other CCs who met with FHMCC regarding this. One of the Committee will follow this up.

It was agreed to donate to the local Primary Schools summer fetes (Forehill, Holmston & St John's PS and SouthCraig). The FHMCC Chair will attend at Forehill Primary to promote FHMCC.

Committee Member's suggestions for the 2026/2027 projects will be discussed at the next meeting. The Secretary will send out a list of possible projects for the committee members to review prior to the June meeting.

A notice will be posted on our social media sites to advise local Residents that the summer fun day will not take place.

The Secretary will contact Forehill PS to arrange a table for FHMCC at their school fete.

There is a local litter pick leaving from Castlehill Church at 2pm 31/5/26.

It was noted that the South Ayrshire Council Fete was a success, but it was thought that it could have been better advertised.

FHMCC has been appointed an SAC Link Officer.

Date of Next Meeting

- 30th June 2026, Kyle Academy at 7pm