

Musselburgh Area Partnership

Minutes of the meeting of the Musselburgh Area Partnership **Monday 24th August 7-7.30pm** **Musselburgh East Community Learning Centre, Haddington Road, Musselburgh**

Meeting Chaired by: Chris Knights, (CK)

Members (and substitutes) present

Scott Allan, Wallyford Community Council (SA)
Jan Anderson, Bridges Project (JA)
Andy Forrest, Elected Member, East Lothian Council (AF)
Janice MacLeod, Lead Musselburgh Support from the Start (JMac)
Fraser McAlister, Elected Member, East Lothian Council (FM)
Cathie McArthur, Windsor Park TRA (CM)
John McNeill, Elected Member, East Lothian Council (JM)
Margaret Stewart, Musselburgh & Inveresk Community Council (MS)
Emma Stewart, Musselburgh Council of Churches (ES)
Irene Tait, Musselburgh & Inveresk Community Council (IT)
Barry Turner, Musselburgh Conservation Society (BT)
Stuart Currie, Elected Member, East Lothian Council (SC)
John Williamson, Elected Member, East Lothian Council (JW)
Tanya Morrison, Whitecraig Community Council (TM)
Nadine Lowrey, Campie Primary Parent Council (NL)
Gaynor Allen, Musselburgh Grammar School Parent Council (GA)
Chris Turnbull, Musselburgh Sports Hub (CT)
Sharlene Miller, Stoneyhill Parent Council (SM)

Others in attendance

Stuart Baxter, Area Manager ELC (SB)
Caroline Davis, Community Learning and Development ELC (CD)
Sharon Saunders (ELC)

Apologies

Darrin Nightingale, Head of Education, East Lothian Council (DN)
Iain Clark, Pinkie and St. Peter's Parent Council (IC)

	Key discussion points	Action
1. Welcome and apologies	Welcomed members to this short meeting of the Musselburgh Area Partnership Apologies were noted.	
2. Approval of minutes	Amendment made to 3b to reflect that it was MS not JB who had volunteered for the Public Art Steering group	
3. Matters arising	Confirming membership organisations for the coming year See attached list of membership	
4. Election of vice Chair	Call for nominations There were no nominations received at this meeting however it was felt that, if no-one was interested at the next meeting if there was a case that the chair was not present then a substitute would be chosen that meeting	
5. Approval of key project - Wallyford	Following the street audit in Wallyford a key short-term project was identified - the wall next to the shops will have railings and surface fixed. Overall improvement of the area. DECISION - the footpath beside the car park is a project for delivery	ACTION – SB to progress this project
6. Boundary commission consultation	Information on the Boundary commission consultation had been distributed to members in advance – highlighting the changes to Musselburgh ward boundaries to remove Wallyford, Whitecraig and parts of Inveresk from the Musselburgh wards. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - CK said he and the organisations he represented on the Partnership were not in favour of this. - ELC are also opposing the changes. - Overall it was felt that the boundary should stay the same and that the partnership are opposed to changes and should make a response The consultation closes on the 22 nd Oct	ACTION – CK to prepare and submit a response in opposition

7. Date of next meetings	- Monday 26 th October, 7-9pm at Musselburgh East	
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Note Kaela Scott is moving onto a new job thanks for all her hard work over the last year

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Organisation	Member	Substitute
Chairperson	Chris Knights	
East Lothian Council	Cllr John Williamson	n/a
	Cllr Fraser McAllister	n/a
	Cllr John McNeil	n/a
	Cllr John Caldwell	n/a
	Cllr Andrew Forrest	n/a
	Cllr Stuart Currie	n/a
Musselburgh & Inveresk Community Council	Bernard Harkins, CC member	Janice Burr, CC Treasurer
	Irene Tait, CC Chair	Margaret Stewart , CC Secretary
Wallyford Community Council	Scott Allan	Alister Hadden
Whitecraig Community Council	Tanya Morrison, CC Secretary	Shona Bennett, CC chair
Tenants and Residents Associations	Cathy McArthur, Windsor Park TRA	Jeanette Boyd, Windsor Park TRA
	tbc	tbc
Musselburgh Grammar School Parent Council	Gaynor Allen	tbc
Primary School Parent Councils	Nadine Lowrey, Campie Primary	tbc
	Iain Clark, Pinkie & St Peter's Primary	tbc
	Sharlene Miller, Stoneyhill Parent Council (ask if she is able to continue)	tbc
Musselburgh Grammar School Pupil Council	Ask if the can be Head boy/girl or Scottish Youth Parliament Member	
Musselburgh Community Sport Hub	Chris Turnbull	Scott Robertson

Musselburgh Council of Churches	Emma Stewart	tbc
Queen Margaret University	Callum Maguire (Going to ask if the can be a new Rep from QM)	Karen Cullen
Bridges Project – representing wider youth service provision	Fiona Langskail (retired)	Jan Anderson (New member)
Musselburgh Conservation Society	Barry Turner	Alan Stevens
Support from the Start	Janice MacLeod	