

SHARK Johnshaven

Meeting Held At the Ship Hotel, Johnshaven Tuesday 2nd July 2013 at 7pm

Present Rebecca Chambers, Sue Calder, Vera Fillingham, Alyson Wilkie, Maureen and Niall Young
Apologies Walter Fillingham, Jim Mather, Neil Wilkie

Administration:

- Jim Shepherd has done some maintenance on the Tractor to improve the brakes and steering. The loader needs welding.
- Tractor cover is in need of replacement. Rebecca will try to get a quote for a better cover.
- Still waiting on bill from Jim Shepherd!
- Bank balance is £4511. Doesn't include cheque for Road Repairs (see below). £1451 has been received this year in membership fees and donations.

Collections:

- Collections going well so far with no specific problems.
- Compost continuing to sell well!
- We will need to source a fresh supply of green bags for 2014 collections.

Road and Bridge Repairs:

- Contractor selected for the work has pulled out. Alistair Watson is seeking another quote.
- Rebecca attended a meeting at Lathallan regarding the bridge over the burn but no agreement over who should pay for repairs.

Beach Cleans etc:

- Beach clean on June 23rd south of the Harbour was a success with 15 volunteers and 1600 pieces of litter collected. The next one will be in September.
- Rebecca has not been able to arrange a suitable date with the Primary School for the Yellowfish project. It is hoped it will be possible once the new Term has started in August.

Future Dates:

- BBQ for all volunteers on Sunday 4th August, 2pm at the Compost Site. If the weather is good we hope to paint the container. Niall will present design ideas for a "green roof" for the container.

Other Business:

- Rebecca attended the Kincardine and Mearns Area Partnership Environmental Meeting on 19th June. There was a lot of interest in what we have achieved for compost collections and how it was done.
- Rebecca is working with Joyce Marr of the Lifeboat Society to try to identify a suitable bench as a memorial to Gerry. We are hoping that the bench can be sourced locally and made of sustainable wood.

Rebecca closed the meeting and thanked those attending.

Next meeting : 25th August, 7 p.m. at the Ship.