



## CRUDEN BAY FOLK CLUB MEETING MINUTES

Location: Kilmarnock Arms Hotel    Date & Time: Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2015 7:30 p.m.

1. Attendees: Tansy Grahame, Brian McAulay, Gordon Mackay, Scott Thomson.

Brian as Chairperson welcomed everyone to the meeting and began the agenda.

2. Apologies for absence:, Yvonne Bowyer, Mary Palmer, Tanya Mehrer, Liz Oates, Jill McWilliams, Angus McCurrach, Dave Dixon, Mike Bowyer, Russell Taylor.

2. Minutes: The minutes from the June meeting were read and accepted by all.

3. Matters arising from previous minutes

3.1 Singing Workshop: **Reminder:-----**Tansy has organised the singing workshop for Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2015 in the Village Hall 2 pm - 4 pm.

3.2 Drumming Workshop: **Awaiting response from Angus...Action Angus / Ongoing**

3.3: Beginners Guitar Workshop: Brian to arrange some dates with Dave Cherry and the Guitar Tutor for the Workshop...Ongoing **...Action Brian. / Ongoing**

4. New Business

4.1 Review of the May Folk night: There again seems to be the same old problem with noise in the lounge during performances, where the whole P.A. has to be turned up. It was propped by Scott to look into putting a Stand Alone speaker ( Solo Control) into the Bar Area of the Lounge whereby the Volume on this one speaker could be raised without raising the volume of the system Brian and Gordon to see if it can be done...**Action Brian, Gordon**

4.2 October Halloween Ceilidh: The band "The Life 'o Riley" have now been booked and will join in on the Friday night Folk Club on the 30<sup>th</sup> October, Host a workshop in the village hall on the Saturday afternoon ( type of workshop still to be decided ) and play at the Ceilidh on the Saturday night. Advertising the event is now the priority, Gordon is on the case...Action Gordon

There will be 4 good prizes on the Saturday night for best Halloween Costume Woman, Man, Girl and Boy.

Suggested ticket price would be £10 for adults and £5 for kids

4.3 Skip Gorman Concert: Great to have Skip back in Cruden Bay, it was a little bit raucous for a while in the lounge but none the less most enjoyable, looking forward to another visit from the " Lonesome Cowboy"

4.4 Treasurer's Report: Tansy reported on June Finances as follows:

Previous Total: £3,025.98

June Figures

Income:

Income March Raffle £ 101.00

Total Income: £101.00

Expenditure:

Raffle Prizes £ 27.41

Total Expenditure: £ 27.41

Monthly Totals: £101.00- £27.41 = £ 73.59

Final Total for Club Funds = £ 3099.57

5.0 CBFC Promotion and Publicity: Advertising and Ticket Production for Halloween Ceilidh ongoing.

6.0 A.O.C.B.: None.

**7.0 Date of next Meeting and Close:** Brian thanked everyone for attending and closed the meeting.

**Next Meeting: Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> August 07:30 in the Killie**

**Scott Thomson (CBFC Secretary)**