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Location: Kilmarnock Arms Hotel **Date & Time:** Monday 12th November 2018 7:30 p.m.

Attendees: Yvonne Bowyer, Brian McAulay, Tansy Grahame, Mike Bowyer, Fiona Heddle and Jill McWilliams.

Apologies for absence: Angus McCurrach, Gordon MacKay, Michael Hendry, Scott Thomson and Dave Dixon

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

3 Minutes: The minutes from the October 2018 meeting were read and accepted by all.

Matters arising from previous minutes

3.1: Folk Club Donations: Angus and Yvonne to arrange photograph opportunity with Theatre MODO. ...Action Yvonne, Angus.

3.3: Sunnybank Concert: Another visit is planned Sunday afternoon on 25th November 2:30pm Kick Off. Jill to email everyone involved with a reminder nearer the time and also see if big Sue is interested in performing on the sax....Action Jill

3.9 Mega Workshop Day: Saturday 17th November

Hall booked and posters up around the village.

2 left handed guitars and one guitar stand lent to Brian by Tansy.

Yvonne to buy refreshments and deliver to Brian, who has the hall key...Action Yvonne

Dave has a problem accessing the folk club email distribution list. Gordon did not respond to Yvonne's email asking about this so Brian is attempting to contact Gordon...Action Brian/Gordon

It was agreed that two things have been learnt from organising this workshop.

1. It would have been a good idea to have on the facebook page, and on the advertising emails and posters, a request for people to post interest in attending so that we have a rough idea of how many people to expect for workshops. Currently we have no idea at all.
2. We should stick to the format which has worked in the past with all events having a nominated organiser and deputy or joint organisers. Scott falling ill at this time has highlighted this need.

Angus has proposed an Attendance Certificate to be awarded to the participants, Dave has offered to design the Certificate and Angus has offered to produce them....Action Dave and Angus

Scott to E-Mail Angus and Dave regarding Attendance Certificates...Action Scott

- MEGA WORKSHOP DAY FREE ENTRY
- All WELCOME (Why Not Try Them All)
- BYO Lunch / Tea and Coffee and Biscuits Provided

- 1st Workshop "Beginners Guitar"
- Fancy Learning a Few Chords or More...Come Along and Join In (09:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.)

- 2nd Workshop "Drumming"
- African Drumming Class / Drums Are Available (12:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.)

- 3rd Workshop "Doric Song"
- Hoose Aboot: The Muckin 'o Geordie's Byre (3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.)

4. New Business

4.1: Review of the October Folk Night:

A quieter than normal folk night but enjoyed by all who attended. Thanks to Angus for stepping up as compere for the night and to some of our regular performers including The Choir, Dave Cherry and Yvonne, Michael Hendry and Guitarman Kris from New Deer for keeping the evening flowing until midnight. No raffle was held.

4.2: Treasurer's Report: Tansy as Treasurer reported on the October Finances

Previous Total £2570.02

Income

3 mugs purchased £12.00

Total £12.00

Expenses

Raffle Prizes £ 33.12

Refund for 2 women's t-shirts £ 15.00

Total £ 48.12

Total £2570.02 + £12.00 - £48.12 = £2533.90.

5. OCBFC Promotion and Publicity:

6.0 Future Events:

Sunnybank Concert: Sunday afternoon 25th November 2018 2:30 pm. **Contact is Jill**

November Folk Night: Mike and Yvonne, Brian and Tansy have confirmed they will be there (barring unforeseen events) The folk night falls on St Andrews night.

The Folk Club Committee, Family and Friends Christmas meal at the Killie is now booked for Saturday the 8th December. There are 12 attendees at present and hopefully the number may increase. **Contact is Tansy**

Peterhead Special Needs Tuesday Club: at the Buchanhaven Hearts Club 1830-2030 Dave awaiting reply from Patrick the contact for the club. **Contact is Dave**

RIGGS Sheltered Housing Longside: **New date to be arranged. Contact is Scott**

The Rural AGM 2nd April 2019: in Cruden Bay Village Hall 1 Hour Concert. **Yvonne to speak to Janet in the choir who is a member of The Rural and obtain a contact.**

Valentines Fund Raiser in aid of the village hall

Hall booked Saturday 16th February 2019. Brian to ascertain availability of band members before the folk club proceeds further in this matter... **Action Brian**

8.0 Date of next Meeting:

Yvonne then closed the meeting and thanked everyone for attending.

A.G.M. Monday 10th December 2018 07:30 in the Killie followed by monthly meeting. Annual reports required from Chair... **Action Yvonne**, Publicity Officer... **Action Gordon or Dave**, Treasurer.. **Action Tansy**

Tansy Grahame (club treasurer) on behalf of Scott Thomson (Club Secretary)