KILGETTY-BEGELLY COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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**Press Release – March 2016**

The latest meeting of Full Council, Kilgetty, Begelly Community Council (KBCC) took place at 7.00pm on 10 March 2016 at Begelly-Kilgetty Community Centre.

The latest news and other main items discussed by Full Council were:-

* Following a competitive tendering exercise, KBCC has awarded its 2016 grass cutting contract to *All The Seasons Gardening Services* of Penally.
* KBCC is looking to fill a number of Councillor Casual Vacancies for both the Kilgetty and Begelly Wards. Local residents are encouraged to contact the Clerk before 6 April 2016, if they are interested in becoming a councillor.
* KBCC wished to thank Leon Baines for his goodwill gesture in cleaning and restoring the curved bench alongside the bus stop in Kilgetty.
* A litter bin is to be re-introduced by Pembrokeshire County Council (PCC) alongside the bus stop outside the Co-operative Stores.
* Once again, there is a build up of litter at Kilgetty railway station. Network Rail has been informed.
* Following recently expressed concerns by local residents, KBCC is continuing to monitor the occasional build up of litter in the Community Centre and Surgery car parks, despite the presence of two litter bins.

**Begelly-Kilgetty Community Association (BKCA)**:

* New carpets and blinds had now been installed at the Begelly-Kilgetty Community Centre.
* PCC has been asked to look at undertaking some work to the tree and grating alongside the bus stop (outside the Co-operative) in Kilgetty.
* The Community Centre will be used as a Polling Station for the forthcoming Welsh Assembly Government elections and EU Referendum.

**Planning**

KBCC considered the following planning applications and made the following recommendations to PCC;

**15/1218/PA – First floor bedroom over existing garage and construction of new detached garage at Valley Crest, Kilgetty SA68 0UL.** Approval recommended.

**15/1130/DC - Discharge of pre-commencement requirements of planning conditions 5,7,9,10 and 12 of planning permission 15/0137/PA at Land north of James Park, Kilgetty SA68 0YD.** Full Council did not make any recommendation due to lack of technical information on the pre-commencement conditions. Full Council remained concerned about the dispersal of surface water from the site and the effect this might have on neighbouring properties.

 **County Councillor David Pugh’s Report**

County Councillor Pugh was not present and so no report was provided.

**Next meeting**

The next meeting of Kilgetty Begelly Community Council will take place on Thursday, 14 April 2016 in the Plum Room, Kilgetty-Begelly Community Centre, commencing at 7.00pm. A public participation session is always scheduled prior to the start of the meeting. Copies of the approved Minutes of Kilgetty-Begelly Community Council meetings can be viewed by contacting the Clerk, Ian Morris, on 01834 450512 or by accessing the KBCC pages on the website.

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