

Queensferry & District Community Council

Cllr Norman Work's report for April 2019 meeting

Consultation on traffic calming on Scotstoun Avenue opened on Monday 15th April. A letter will be sent to all residents in the area surrounding Scotstoun Avenue to consult on the traffic calming proposed for the road. A Link copied below to the council website shows the streets the letter drop will take

place.<https://consultationhub.edinburgh.gov.uk/sfc/scotstoun-ave-traffic-calming/?fbclid=IwAR1-Wez5QfYWR6kgZTqvffSIC920MDzF4ndIriajVtA5UUaEv2oT6uXm5Po>

I've arranged a meeting with the council's lighting team and Christmas in Queensferry in relation to the Energy Efficient Street Lighting Programme which should take place in the High Street area before August. The meeting is to discuss how the options for the connection of Christmas Lights to the street lighting apparatus can be implemented.

A complaint about a dog barking all night outside in a garden in the Atheling Grove area was raised to me by a resident. I've passed this to the Police and council's Environmental Officers to investigate.

On April 16th I attended another meeting of the small working group in relation to the Burryman sculpture proposal.

I attended the Volunteer Fair held at Queensferry Parish Church on Saturday 30th March. There was a large presence of local organisations promoting their services and looking for volunteers. It looked like a successful event and there are already calls for another event to be planned.

Tree planting even at Hawthornbank Garden on 16th April; I attended the well supported event organised by Greenferry & The Hawthornbank Garden group and was I was able plant a tree. 12 trees were donated by Octopus Energy and the event was attended by former Blue Peter gardener & Broadcaster, Chris Collins. A press release was distributed and there was plenty coverage on social media.

Hawes/Longcraig Pier Users Committee meeting was held at the RNLI offices on Wednesday 10th April. I was delighted that Queensferry Boat Club were represented where they were able to raise several issues for the record. Some work at the Hawes Pier car park area has taken place to accommodate the coaches for the cruise liner visits.

High Street refurbishment; There will be a further consultation event on 29th April in the Council registers offices on the High Street between 3-8pm

I popped in to speak to Linda at the Ferry Tap re signage. I will update QDCC verbally at the meeting.

Regards,

Cllr Norman Work