

Queensferry & District Community Council

Cllr Norman Work's report for November 2014 meeting

I Attended the Queensferry Ambition AGM in the contact and Education Centre on Wednesday 29th October.

I held my surgery at Echline Primary School on Monday 3rd November

On Tuesday 4th November I participated in the Priory workshop event held at the Priory Grounds. Following the previous workshop event which gathered ideas for new spaces in the Priory grounds a brief for a new arts building has been developed and the design team presented some ideas of what this building may be like.

I supported a coffee morning fundraising event organised by Queensferry Girls' Brigade at Queensferry Parish Church on Saturday 8th November. Half of the funds raised were going to Children in Need. In the afternoon I went along to support Queensferry RFC versus Gala YM RFC in a cup game. Unfortunately QRFC lost but not without a good fight.

I attended the Queensferry Remembrance Sunday parade on 9th November and laid a wreath on behalf of the Almond ward councillors before going off to attend other remembrance events in Almond ward. There was the usual good turnout by local organisations and members of the public.

The Almond Neighbourhood Partnership public meeting was held in Queensferry High School on Wednesday 12th November. Cllr Shields took over the Convenorship of ANP and the main theme of the meeting was the Youth Decides grants with presentations from some of youth groups who were awarded grants. Queensferry youth organisations including the Scouts, Youth Cafe and a student project from QHS were amongst the participants of ANP Youth Decides grants

I attended planning meeting with QDCC regarding the Ferrymuir site at the Burgh Chambers

I attended the final two Christmas in Queensferry Committee meetings in November before the switch on event itself on Thursday 27th November.

I attended Queensferry Primary School Parent Council meeting to discuss various options regarding safety issues. I had invited Darren Wraight to this meeting so we could discuss the various options and a number of ideas were discussed. Darren has been tasked report back to QPSPC.

I have reported at least six street lights that need attention. If anyone wishes to report any street lights not working then please supply me with the numbers if possible as this can help getting them fixed quicker. Two of lights reported are on The Loan.

I have emailed First bus to ask them to reconsider the withdrawal of the 651 service after receiving complaints from residents who inform me that the service is well used and important to them. I have still to receive a response.

Regards,

Cllr Norman Work