

Plockton and District Community Council – Chair’s Report AGM 2017

This year we again addressed problems with road and pavement maintenance with some successes. At a meeting with Ian Moncrieff in March when we gave him a list of our concerns and were given assurances that quite a few of the items would be dealt with in the near future. We have a follow-up meeting due in September to discuss progress.

The Greer’s septic tank is now completed and it is hoped that Alasdair Mackay’s tank can be moved forward to be completed by next spring at the latest. We had hoped that both tanks would be ready before the Regatta this year but this is unlikely to happen.

We have been notified that licences are now needed for Fireworks Displays and this will have to be in place for the Bonfire Night in November.

Two village clean-ups were held and the three skips provided on each occasion were well used. Duirnish and Drumbuie had their own successful clean-ups and skips.

We have managed to cut down the cost of grass cutting considerably this year and may be able to channel the savings into more radical clearing of bushes, etc. Help was received from the Community Service Team in clearing some of the gorse on the island.

The Village Consultation was well attended and we hope to continue canvassing public opinion in the coming year.

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