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Minutes of the Sanson Community Committee held in the supper room of the Sanson Community Hall on Wednesday 11th May 2022 at 7pm.

Present: Grant McGaughey, Chris & Steve Smith, Pam Workman, Joel Wiapo, Andrew Quarrie, Shane Hainsworth, Kristi Whittaker, Stephen Gill, Sheena Kirkup, Helen Worboys.

Apologies: Alan Peck, Jen Berquist.

Minutes from Wednesday 13th April 2022 Meeting were accepted as true and correct.

Moved: Pam Workman. **Second:** Shane Hainsworth.

Matters Arising:

Firewood Sales: Has been another huge success. From Tuesday 12th April 2022 to Sunday 8th May 2022, 6 bags of pinecones and 22 cubes of firewood have been delivered and \$1950 has been taken from all the orders. Total amount of firewood sold so far is \$3650.00 and I have reimbursed Grant \$90 for diesel and final amount now is \$3560.00.

Anzac Day: Good turn out and all went as planned for the Anzac Day Service on 25th April 2022. Thank you to Joel and Ross for their help and organisation and to Chris and Del for getting the program done for the service. It was discussed at the meeting to setup a sub committee for Anzac Day 2023 and this will be done later on in the year. Stephen Gill has offered to help with Anzac Day 2023.

Sanson Community Committee would like to purchase 2 \$20 gift cards for the 2 students who spoke at our Anzac Day Service as a thank you. Sanson Community Committee Members are happy for this purchase. **The decision was agreed and accepted by all Committee Members.**

Financial Reports: 1st to 30th April 2022

Sanson Community Market

Opening Balance: \$16,107.85

Money In: \$1890.96

Money Out: NIL

Closing Balance: \$17,998.81

Donation Account: \$2282.15

Sanson Community Hall

Opening Balance: \$5227.13

Money In: \$180.15

Money Out: NIL

Closing Balance: \$5407.28

Inwards Correspondence:

A letter from Joel: Joel has notified the Sanson Community Committee that he will be stepping down from the Committee due to a change in his motivations and his eventual move to Palmerston North. Thank you Joel for your commitment to the committee and you will be missed by everyone and the Sanson Community Committee wish you and your family all the best.

St Johns: The AED cabinet was installed on Monday 2nd May 2022 outside the Community Hall. Thank you to Grant and Chris for meeting with us at the Hall. John has sent away the registration form and he will let us know as soon as the location has been registered. John has received notification that the AED locations for our respective communities have now been updated.

From Brynn Neilson: For your reference, with the new Antennas whose installations were funded by SCC, we now get 400 - 500 unique connections each month from locals and visitors.

Council Report: Andrew Quarrie.

Council is currently reviewing the maximum, rural speed limits and these should be published shortly. Mayor Worboys gave a detailed up date on the current situation with regard to the 3 waters saga. Feilding and District promotion are coming under the spotlight, their terms of reference and budget are under review.

MDCs current Capital Contributions Policy, is also under review, with the plan to standise the capital contributions through out the district.

General Business:

Sanson Community Committee Minutes:

An in-depth discussion was had about the community's response to social media. Some Committee members are being trolled through social media causing great concern to the Committee. It was decided, to reduce stress on committee members, that some changes will be made to the settings and procedures for publicity produced information to follow strict paths for publication. The secretary will send draft minutes to committee members and the MDC following the monthly meeting. These minutes will then be made public once ratified at the following meeting and placed on the committee web page. The secretary takes the roll as publicity officer until an officer roll can be created for this job within the committee.

Grant has advised us the grass area near Sanson Takeaways has been attended to.

Stephen Gill will be available to support the committee from next month.

Joel will be handing over the completion of the signs to Chris, Grant and Kristi to get these done.

Andrew Quarrie to sort out the back gate at the playground.

In regards to the missing seats at the playground and the sudden appearance of the 2 rubbish bins outside the playground, it was miscommunication from the Manawatu District Council.

Shane presented the Sanson Community Committee with the financial report for the Sanson School and Community Pool.

Financial Summary: November 2021 – May 2022

Income: \$1129.66

Expenditure: \$2756.64

Loss for the Season: \$1626.98

Opening Balance: 1st November 2021. \$3555.48

Closing Balance: 30th April 2022. \$1926.49

Jude O'Keefe – Treasurer Pool.

Meeting Closed at 8.40pm

Next meeting in the supper room is on Wednesday 8th June 2022 at 7pm.