

Minutes of the Sanson Community Committee held in the supper room of the Sanson Community Hall on Wednesday 13th October 2021 at 7pm.

Present: Grant McGaughey, Chris and Steve Smith, Alan Peck, Pam Workman, Brynn Neilson, Andrew Quarrie, Jen Berquist, Kristi Whittaker, Joel Wiapo, Shane Hainsworth.

Apologies: NIL.

Minutes from 8th September 2021 Meeting were accepted as true and correct.

Moved: Pam Workman. **Second:** Joel Wiapo.

Guest Speaker: Brynn Neilson. Sanson Free Wi-fi.

Brynn mentioned his work regarding the Free Wi-fi in Sanson and to have 3 new free wi-fi antennas installed by professionals before Christmas. The Proposed new locations are:

Peter Remnant's house (Phillips St) to cover the camp ground and surrounding areas. Back of the building behind Streetwise Coffee to cover surrounding area and part of Hedges St. Viv's kitchen to cover surrounding area. Brynn will manage the installs. Sanson Community Committee have approved up to \$450 to have the antennas installed. All Sanson Committee Members are all in favour of funding this.

Matters Arising: NIL

Financial Reports: 9th September 2021 to 13th October 2021.

Sanson Community Market

Opening Balance: \$17,130.91

Money In: \$300.55

Money Out: \$200.00

Closing Balance: \$17,231.41

Market Money of \$380 still to be banked.

Sanson Community Hall

Opening Balance: \$3901.90

Money In: \$310.00

Money Out: \$161.94

Closing Balance: \$4,049.96

Inwards Correspondence:

Letter from IRD saying that myself (Chris Smith) has been appointed as an executive officer holder to act on behalf of Sanson Community Committee.

Email from St John's Feilding in regard to the AED being installed in a cabinet outside of the hall has been delayed due to the latest Covid lockdown. This will be done when things to return to normal.

Email from Jude at Sanson School in regard to the logs. PD teams can split rings, (once the trees are ringed) on site in summer. Contact is with Feilding Corrections to tee this up when project is under the way.

Receipt received on Friday 10th September 2021 for the trees purchased by Sanson Community Committee.

Council Reports: Andrew Quarrie

Special Olympics 2025: Swimming and Equestrian being in Feilding.

Street Users Policy coming up for review, e.g.: food trucks and coffee carts on Council land.

District Plan – is ongoing.

The extension of the Alcohol Ban in Feilding CBD has ongoing issues.

There were 4 community honours given out at the recent Council ceremony.

The Ohakea Water Scheme bore now at 640m.

The overcharging of rates on Capital Value of some properties – adjustments to be made on these properties in next installment.

Council has voted NO to the 3 waters submission – advising local government.

General Business:

Information signs advertising upcoming events is being followed by Joel Wiapo as Lena Signs need some more info.

Pam Reports: on the work on corner of Phillips and A'Court St – storm water unable to get away as previously and the bump in the road. Photo sent. Job Report Number: 1834513.

Dip in footpath between Phillips & Dundas Road, on Fagan St – causes extensive ponding – unable to use footpath for several days. Photo sent. Job Report Number: 1834491.

Flooding on footpath opposite corner of Phillips & Farmers Streets, after bad weather, sits for several days and not able to use footpath. Photo Sent. Job Report Number: 1834439.

Alan Peck mentioned the barriers by Z Station are still broken.

Kristi Whittaker mentioned:

1. Millings for the walking track on Cemetery Road. They are old bits of road ground up and laid down and compressed with a roller.

2. 50 km signs to be moved on Cemetery Road or a 70 km sign buffer. We have been asking since 2011 for a change in the roading as it is unsafe for people walking across the bridge and there has been a serious accident in the last 2 years.

3. I wish to continue on the behalf of the committee to negotiate and pursue the roading changes around Sanson with my contact with NZTA.

Heritage Interpretation Boards: Chris bought this up from the July meeting and will be contacting Del and other places for information about the History of Sanson to get this project started.

Grant would like to co-op Joel Wiapo as a Committee Member.

Grant: Nominated. Chris: Seconded.

Passed by all Committee members present at the meeting.

Meeting Closed at 8.15pm

Next meeting in the supper room is on Wednesday 10th November 2021.