CRASTER COMMUNITY TRUST

MINUTES OF MEETING

February 2011

TRUSTEES PRESENT

J Shaw E Pearson H & A Punton K Brown J Reeves R Robson R Gibbs B Kholer

Apologies

H Lee

Minutes of last meeting accepted.

Treasures report.

R Robson and B Kholer signed over the last monies held in the Craster village hall account-to be transferred and ring fenced in the new CAF account.

Letter of resignation from Mr M Findieson. We wish him well and are grateful for his input.

Mr Docherty’s letter of concern re planning for new road access.

It was voted to reply that the concern was not in the charities remit.

The renewal of the insurance was discussed and was found to have increased substantially. J Reeve was to research the matter to a satisfactory conclusion and renew the *public liability* ASAP.

The charity boxes are ready now and are to be placed in businesses around Craster.

The report of the visit from Mr Page the architect was positive but he would not put in a price for the drawings etc. until approached formally.

J Shaw showed the committee the old title deeds of the hall. They are now legally obsolete but of historic importance. It was decided to frame some for display in the village hall. The remaining would be sent to Woodhorn Colliery museum.

The matter of grass cutting was raised and the possible problem of access.

B Kholer and J Shaw are to sort out a tiler for the missing slates on the roof.

J Reeves has arranged for a Solar panel specialist to visit the hall in March.

R Robson will contact Leader to arrange a visit for the April meeting to talk to the committee about funding solutions.

The progresses of ticket sales for the upcoming ceilidh were discussed. A Raffle prize was received from H Punton. J shaw and R Robson would do the raffle. R Gibbs had all the organisation of band etc. in hand. The vicar would play the accordion and a caller was arranged.

The play park was now open to the public and the surface in place. Thanks to K Brown.

Suggestions were made for fundraisers for the play park as the annual insurance was expensive.

J Reeve was to kindly organise a quiz sheet with her son. The sheet would be handed out by committee volunteers over the summer season. The charge would be £1 and the results published at the end of the season on the community website.

MEETING CLOSED 8.15 PM