

Minutes of Meeting -Collieston Harbour Group on March 25, 2010.

Apologies	Debra Storr, Susan Taylor,
Attendees	Andrew Couper (Chairman), Ewan Cowie, Lewis Cowie, Trish Cowie, Iain Taylor
Funding	A separate account has now been opened as the Community Council Harbour Account which will simplify the making of payments. Huib Attema has located two further accounts which together held approximately £300 and this has now been transferred to the Harbour Account.
Harbour Works	Scottish Water has now replaced the bollard that was removed. It is also going to repair the hatches on the pier and undertake the white lining. Quotes for the replacement of 6 handrails, 1 ladder, and 1 guard rail will be sought from Macduff Shipyard and Wilkie Engineering in both stainless galvanised steel and marine grade stainless steel. Bell Ingram on behalf of the Crown Estates have advised that the grant of £2000 for the Boatie Shore is still looking hopeful. Aberdeenshire Council is unable to shift the stone cleared from the site near Tesco. Andrew will look into any requirement in respect of environmental issues arising from moving the stone. Duncan Cantley is prepared to undertake the moving of the stone on the beach using a slew digger.
AOCB	Trish and Ewan have been progressing with the organisation of the fun run on the July 3, 2010, probably commencing at 2pm. Trish is organising a silent auction with the intention that bids will be in by the end of the Gala and highest bidders will be notified by August 30, 2010. The work party to repair the top surface of the pier will be organised after the Group have conducted a survey.
Next Meeting	April 29, 2010 at 7.30 Collieston Community Centre.