**Acharacle Community Company**

**Minutes of meeting**

**21st September** **2017**

**Those present**: Jimmy Gillies / Jemma Claire (via phone) / Rodney George from 8pm / Sharon Cameron Becky Dacre (mins)

**1 Apologies** Marie MacDonald /Andrew Green / Heather Findlay

**Public arrived Joanne Matheson & David John Cameron**

6 Centre Steering Group – meeting next Thursday with Liz Goudie (Treasurer) coming from North Coast Connection to speak about their experience at Kyle of Tongue. BD to invite steering group/members/users of centre.

Survey – results will be available at the steering group meeting. Online survey now closed. Lynne Marshall’s help invaluable in survey.

7 Jetties Trust – Joanne informed the meeting that Acharacle Community Council was informed by the local police that Lex Brown (owner of the building at the Acharacle pier) had been asked in May 2017 to do an annual check on safety of building. The ACCouncil have been in abeyance since this time so no progress made.

Hughie Donaldson has been in touch with ACC to ask if they are making any progress with regards to the Jetties Trust. He had asked (on behalf of the board of the jetties Trust) in the past if ACC might take over the Loch Shiel Jetties. Joanne said that if the ACCouncil reform, they may be interested in being involved. May be reformed next Spring, but not definite until members elected. Discussed that whole village may be very interested but we all need to know more. Suggested that BD ask Hughie (and other board members) along to talk to village/open meeting.

8 Adopt a kiosk – DJ Cameron offered a defibrillator to the village from Scottish Ambulance Services. The old phone box thought to be an ideal location. Central in the village / SAS would put lock on door so defib cannot be tampered with and anyone in need of it will be given code when they ring 999 / ground thought to be croft land (common grazing). Directors agreed to proceed with adoption of phone box. DJ to find out more details about use of defib. It will need an electricity supply for recharging batteries.

9 Newsletter – Item 8 could go in next edition

10 AOB

Acharacle Christmas market – Thurs 16th Nov.

Roof on tots shed – BD said she had purchased a roll of roofing felt and nails. RG/SC to do.

Director training discussed – BD to ask Flora McKee (VAL) for dates.

**The meeting closed at 9.15pm**

**NEXT MEETING: 12th October**