#### FRIENDS OF BRIDGE OF ALLAN Draft minutes of the meeting held on 5<sup>th</sup> November 2018 St Saviours Church Hall at 7.30pm.

# PRESENT: Douglas Neilson, Graham Russell, E Rankin, Alex Galloway, C Drewery, Mary Cramb, Norma Scott, Murray Airth.

APOLOGIES: Bill Young, Margaret Edwards.

MINUTES: Carol Drewery proposed that the minutes of the last meeting be approved. This motion was seconded by Mary Cramb.

## MATTERS ARRISING:

As no payment has as yet been received for the outstanding basket account Douglas will visit the owner of the premises to discuss.

It was noted that the invoice was inaccurate . This will be corrected .

The Daffodil bulbs have been planted in the agreed places. Primary School will plant remainder on 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov in the Park.

## TREASURERS REPORT:

Standing orders beginning to come in for the next year. Tree fund and grant money ring-fenced. Craigmarloch have accepted our details for credit which will make payment easier in the future.

#### GENERAL REPORT:

Meeting with Derek Leitch on the 8<sup>th</sup> Dec at 11 am in the Memorial Park to discuss tree removal and replacement. Graham, Douglas and Elizabeth to attend. Note made to remind Donna Mills about metal work on new benches.

Elizabeth has reestablished links with the Primary School and pupils visits will begin as from next week.

Douglas has sprayed the path to the ice house which was very overgrown.

The grass seed at the Station has taken and showing signs of growth.

The tree for John Yellowlees replaced last moth is a poor specimen and will be replaced again in the Spring.

The gentleman who was to have repaired the walls at Blairforkie has been in contact to say that he is now unable to do the work required.

Elizabeth has been in touch with a member of the Dry Stane Dyke Association to see if they could do the job. The were very helpful and hopefully will be able to help us in the Spring.

Agreement that the Christmas tree would be purchased from same suppliers as the wreaths this year. Light switch on is 25<sup>th</sup> November.

DONM. Following the AGM on the 14<sup>th</sup> January .