

## **Garelochhead Community Council Update**

Hello Iona

A quick update from the Garelochhead Community Council as requested.

- The Community Council has continued to meet virtually during the pandemic and this has allowed us to continue to progress certain issues pretty well.
- We had 3 new members elected
- During the first lockdown the CC made available to the community
  - 340 face masks
  - 12 activity packs for kids
  - 50 fruit and veg boxes (for the over 80s)
  - a telephone helpline for anyone needing assistance
- We have been working with the community in Portincaple regarding the controversial planning application
- Speeding continues to be a major cause for concern and we recently invited Donna Lawson from the Council Roads team to attend one of our meetings to discuss the issue
- We're continuing to press for the Garelochhead cemetery gates to be repaired/replaced as well as the derelict building to be demolished
- We're working with the Helensburgh Access Trust team to explore potential new routes for the Three Lochs Way to reduce road walking, improve safety and create a link via Garelochhead.

Hope that gives a flavour of what we've been up to. If you have any questions please do get in touch.

All the best,

Hilary Worton

Secretary, GCC