

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

KILMARNOCK NORTH LOCAL COMMITTEE – 19 SEPTEMBER 2000

FACILITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE IN NEW FARM LOCH AREA

Report by Director of Educational and Social Services

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1** To advise Members of the Local Committee of current and proposed initiatives for young people in the New Farm Loch area.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1** At a previous Local Committee information was requested from the Director of Educational and Social Services regarding provision of facilities and initiatives for young people in the New Farm Loch area
- 2.2** Provision of facilities for community use fall within the remit of two Council departments, Educational and Social Services and Community Services.

3. REPORT

3.1 Facilities

There are two Council run facilities within the New Farm Loch area. These are operated by Community Services, Leisure Services.

- New Farm Loch Community Centre
- New Farm Loch Football Park.

Responsibility for the operation of the centre will transfer to Educational and Social Services in the near future.

Although the Hunter Centre is not located within the New Farm Loch area it has a full leisure time programme which is accessed by residents of New Farm Loch.

3.2 Voluntary Organisations

There are a number of uniformed voluntary organisations operating in the area.

St Kentigern's Church – one night each week

- Boys Brigade
- Anchor Boys
- Girls Brigade

4.1 Nil

5. RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that members of the Local Committee:

- i) recognise the current and developing initiatives for young people in the New Farm Loch area; and
- ii) otherwise note the contents of the report

John Mulgrew
Director
31 August 2000

LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS Nil

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AGENDA