

FCYC Council Meeting held in the Bell Block 7th July 2026.

11 participants :-

Andy Black, Peter Douglas, Martin Palmer, Tom Louth, Colin Dunnet, Jim Glass, Dougal Burnett, Keil MacLachlan,

Apologies – , Christopher Thompson, Jane & Michael Dixon, Andy Stampton, John McLaren, Daniel Prince, Andrew Sutherland, Jim Glass

Previous minutes review.

Proposed - Dougal Burnett, Seconded - Martin Palmer

Vice Commodore . Jim Glass. - away

Dougal Burnett Rear Commodore

Fairly quiet.

Michael MacDonald motorboat was on wrong mooring. Johara on other mooring (A4) (Ted Baker).

Planning to sort it out.

Bought mooring supplies for next winter (chain and shackles)

Wee Dumbo starter not working, alternator not charging – will investigate at the weekend.

Andy Sutherland Harbour sec. - away

Treasurer Colin Dunnet report.

Income :-

Moorings 97% complete yard invoices, awaiting 1200GBP .

Expenses :-

Chain & shackles 2500 GBP

Septic tank 240GBP

Electricity supply contract up in November. Broker advised fixing price but now using Octopus with 15% increase.

Insurance renewal, three year premium, need to update information on boats & members.

Hon Sec. Andy Black.

Nothing to report.

Sailing Sec. Tom Louth

Sailing season going well, haven't missed many days.

Edinburgh Regatta planning underway, Kerryanne leading that organisation. Probably a one day event.

Visitors coming on Saturday 11th July for Cruise in Company visit.

Kerryanne has volunteered, Peter D. will be there also Dougal. Kerryanne and Martin P. will source some food for BBQ

Membership Secretary Daniel Prince. - away

Social convener Michael Dixon . -away

John McLaren -away

Andy Stampton - away

Commodore Peter Douglas.

Discussion regarding Succession planning, welcomed suggestions.

House convener Martin Palmer.

New trailer dolly – to move trailers. Made moving boats easier.

John McLaren still working on engine in yard.

Surveyed outboard store, only one engine unidentified.

Discussion ensued.

Jaws II in the yard.

Rob Garner asked to extend dinghy rack by four more spaces. Will need to purchase some materials

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Next electrical inspection due 23/9/2028.

Discussion about security and cameras.

Discussion about a Rowers shed .

Sea Cadets and Rowers space negotiation.

Bell Block roof inspected, seems ok at present.

Keil MacLachlan

Rescued a Trintella 29 that was sinking.

Bell Block discussion – Peter D.

Looked at survey outcome.

Need to await outcome of Landlord discussions.

AOB

Next meeting was scheduled for 7.30pm Tuesday 11th August 2026 in Bell Block

Brought forward to 7.30pm Friday 31st July 2026 in Bell Block