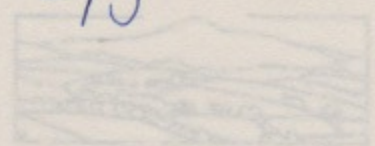


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24th March 1988
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Dear Ron,

Please find enclosed a copy of the minute of the last meeting of the Bailies Council and the agenda for the meeting to be held on 11th April 1988.

Further to our recent telephone conversation I would draw to your attention to the following points, which were raised at the last meeting

- 1) The Bailies would be grateful for some reassurance regarding the availability of carparking for the Annual Rally and that the road construction work will not have affected the drainage of the field, which was done at the Bailies' expense.
- 2) Mr Cooke (Land Agent) has not replied to the Treasurers correspondence of 21/12/87 regarding the Bailies insurance policy
- 3) The Council would be grateful for a report on the progress of the G.R.A.I.N "Bennachie Project" and would welcome the opportunity to discuss future areas of work
- 4) Problems were identified with the footpaths on Millstone Hill. Certain sections have become very boggy due to poor drainage. It was suggested that the plastic drain-pipes which had been used by the F.C. were too easily blocked, and suggested that open channels were more effective and easier to maintain

We hope that you will be able to clarify these points at the next meeting. Finally the Council would be very pleased if you could give a brief address to the Annual Rally on Sunday 14th August.

I look forward to seeing you on the 11th

Yours sincerely

Clerk