

Appendix 2

RHU & SHANDON COMMUNITY COUNCIL (R&SCC) – WED 14 DEC 16 MEETING

GUEST SPEAKER 2 – CDR JAMES LEATHERBY (JL) – REPORT

- Armed Forces Community Covenant. There have been no significant developments since the last meeting, although increased engagement between HMNB Clyde and Argyll & Bute Council continues at several different working levels.
- Rhu (Ardenconnel) Playing Fields – Proposed 3G Artificial Pitch. Options continue to be considered.
- Major Nuclear Emergency Exercises. There are no more exercises planned for 2016.
- Major Naval Exercises. The next major exercise to involve HMNB Clyde will be Exercise JOINT WARRIOR 171. This is programmed to take place next Spring.
- Helensburgh's Submarine Museum. Work on fitting out and preparing the Heritage Centre for opening (circa March / April 2017?) is moving on apace. The midget submarine X51 (ex-Stickleback – 1954) has been prepared for re-painting. The audio visual aspects of the display are also taking shape; it is understood that they are going through a testing phase at the moment.