

Appendix 2: Agenda Item 3b

RHU & SHANDON COMMUNITY COUNCIL (R&SCC) – WED 14 FEB 18 MEETING

GUEST SPEAKER – CDR JAMES LEATHERBY (JL) – REPORT

- The Ardenconnel Grass Sports Pitch. As previously reported, the MOD is now focused upon supporting the proposed community sports hub developments in Helensburgh. In that respect, Helensburgh Cricket & Rugby Football Club has now achieved the funding necessary to allow a feasibility study for the development of a Community Sports Hub to be undertaken. As a consequence, a meeting has been arranged with the Captain of the Base within the week in order to discuss possible RN input to the initiative.
- Emergency Exercises. The next HM Naval Base Clyde exercise will take place in RNAD Coulpport on Wed 25 Apr 18 while Faslane's next annual one (which will probably result in a temporary but noticeable increase in activity at the Clyde Off-Site Centre in Rhu) will be held slightly earlier than usual this year, on Thu 30 Aug 18.
- The Submarine Training Facility. The project team for the SMTF (as it's known publically) will be hosting a Public Consultation (as required through planning regulations) at Centre 81, Garelochhead on Monday, Feb 12 from 3pm till 8pm.