



**November 7th 2012 Committee Meeting of Dunbar Community Woodland Group (DCWG) held at Hallhill Healthy Living Centre**

**A short committee meeting followed the Agm**

**Present - Simon Bell, Philip Revell, Eva Hurley, Isobel Knox, Isobel Campbell, Ute Penny**

1. UP raised the issue of fund raising. She is keen for there to be a fund raising drive and suggested the possibility of having one specified person who would take on this role. The suggestion was made to ask on our Facebook page to see if anyone would be interested. They would not need to join the committee in order to do this.
2. IC brought up the issue of finding stuck to the trees adverts for dog walking. She considers it looks unsightly and is an inappropriate use of the woods for free advertising. It also has the potential for adding to the litter problem in the woods, when the posters eventually come unstuck from the trees. Other members agreed. IC has already removed the ones she found and will contact the perpetrator of this heinous crime!
3. The signs in the woods will be replaced within the next week.
4. Ash die back has not been observed in the woods as yet. We have planted lots of Ash trees in the recent past and there has been a lot of ash regeneration. SB said that there is a protocol to follow, should we find it, but that we will have to deal with it, should the occasion arise.
5. EH was concerned about some of the wording that had been altered in the contract that she drew up. She had followed the brief that she had agreed with IK and DC. Discussion then ensued, re clarification of certain words and terms re the aforesaid contract, between herself and SB.

**Meeting Closed.**