STANLEY COMMUNITY ACTION PLAN –
TASKS AS AGREED AT COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS MEETING ON 25TH MAY 2010 and updated September 2011

Reference		Task	Lead	Supported By	Remarks
THEME 1: COMMUNITY AND SPORTS FACILITIES AND ACTIVITIES					
1.1		**Improve and develop community and sports facilities**	SDT	CC, TRA, Tennis Club, Bowling Club, churches	Establish Community and Sports Centre Working Group by bringing together representatives from all of the organizations.
	1.1.1	Convene meeting of all interested parties			
	1.1.2	Form Working Group			Sub committee of SDT board working with St Columbas and Tennis Club. SDT also attend Village Hall meetings.
	1.1.3	Research/ visit other centres			Have visited Guildtown and Twechar and spoken to other centre in Edinburgh. Also need to talk to Dunning. Attended SENSCOT sport Conference and met with Sport Development Worker. Contact made with Sport Scotland contact in PKC.
	1.1.4	Prepare feasibility study brief			Need to complete brief
	1.1.5	Commission feasibility study			Draft funding bid completed July. Commission village wide needs survey to include Village Hall and St Columba's Hall.
1.2		**Develop youth provision**	SDT	PKC Community Capacity \BuiLding	SDTrust to work with Perth and Kinross Community/

				Officers and Youth Workers	Youth Workers. Two volunteer now had child protection training. Policies and procedures in place. Need to train wider volunteer pool in child protection. Need suitable venue.
	1.2.1	Involve young people in researching activities, events and activities that they would like to see in the village			SCID (from Blairgowrie) are coming to speak to AGM Oct 2011
	1.2.2	Develop youth club/ youth activities etc. in line with what is wanted	Julie and Ian		Help given to parent volunteers to set up Stanley Socca Foot ball club and secure funding and permission to establish new pitch.
1.3		**Organise and promote activities and events**	Village Hall Committee	CC, TRA, churches, SDT	Plant sale. Quiz night , 2 race nights and ceilidh all complete along with series of coffee mornings in village hall.
	1.3.1	Set up small working group to help develop more activities and events			Village Hall now running many more activities. NHS piloting older people's activity class.
	1.3.2	Provide more What's On Information about Stanley			SDT website complete and open to all local groups to promote their events and news

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THEME 2: VILLAGE ENHANCEMENT, GREEN SPACES AND HERITAGE					
2.1		**Establish Village in Bloom Group**	CC	SDT, TRA, PKC, school, brownies/guides, Young People, PKC Ranger Service	Completed by Stanley in Bloom
	2.1.1	Bring interested parties together			Completed by Stanley in Bloom
	2.1.2	Research how other villages have set up and operate Village in Bloom Groups			Completed by Stanley in Bloom
	2.1.3	Establish local group and develop proposals for local improvements			Completed by Stanley in Bloom
	2.1.4	Apply for funding to support the Group.			Completed by Stanley in Bloom
2.2		**Improve Main Green Spaces**	CC	SDT, TRA, PKC, school, brownies/guides, Young People, PKC Ranger Service	
	2.2.1	Look at the potential to redevelop The Cross, Murray Place Gardens and other open spaces.			Completed by Stanley in Bloom
	2.2.2	Develop proposals for improvements			Completed by Stanley in Bloom
	2.2.3	Implement proposals: Stanley Cross including sculpture, bulb planting, Murray Place tree planting, planters throughout village			Completed by Stanley in Bloom
2.3		**Develop Community Garden**	SDT	SDT, TRA, PKC, school, brownies/guides, Young People, PKC Ranger Service	

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	2.3.1	Bring Medical Centre, School, TRA and other interested parties together to explore options and enable them to progress the development of this initiative.			
2.4		**Improve Play Areas**	SDT	CC, PKC, school, TRA, Young People, Police, Village Hall, Active Kids	
	2.4.1	Research other play areas			
	2.4.2	Involve parents and children in this process			
	2.4.3	Organise support/funding to help with design and costing			
	2.4.4	Raise funds for improvements			
	2.4.5	Develop new play area.			
2.5		**Investigate options for Food growing project**	**SDT – JL**		
	2.5.1	Research legalities around allotments		Katrina Marshall	Completed
	2.5.2	Research support organisations		Judith Lowes	Completed
	2.5.3	Conduct survey in village to establish need and demand for food growing	**KM/JL**	Judith Lowes	Completed
	2.5.4	Explore options with medical centre		JL and GL	Site investigated. On hold. As garden share scheme best way to meet initial demand.
	2.5.5	Consider possible event – e.g. harvest supper Autumn 2011		KM and BL	Plant sale held May. More events to be considered
	2.5.6	Might communal seed buying be of interest?		KM	Explore at meeting in Dec
	2.5.7	Establish demand for spaces for food growing	**SDT**		SDT held Community Food Growing Project Open meeting on 21st February 2011 and distributed village survey.
	2.5.8	Garden share project established.			6 offers of space and 6 potential growers in season 1. Spoke to other local scheme (Lethan) and researched legal agreements.

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	2.5.9	Find space for polytunnel (s)			
	2.5.10	Identify area for community orchard			Investigate Network Rail adoption scheme
	2.5.11	Set up series of meetings and talks for autumn/winter 2011		KM	
	2.512	Apply for funding		JL/BL	Autumn 2011
	2.5.13	Set up page and forum on website for sharing produce/surplus seeds and seedlings		SDT	Completed
	2.5.14	Hold plant sale/swap		KM	First event held May 2011 and raised £136
	2.5.15	Investigate any insurance implications		JL	Completed and members advised.
THEME 4: PATHS, CYCLEWAYS ACCESS					
4.1		**Develop Local Paths and Cycleways Network, Including Linking Villages**	SDT	CC, PKC, P&K Countryside Trust, landowners	Stanley Development Trust to establish Paths Action Group as a dedicated group working to develop paths in the area and able to work closely with the Council, Perth and Kinross Countryside Trust, Sustrans and landowners.
	4.1.1	Establish a Paths Action Group to take proposals forward	**Gordon**		Call meeting Feb 2011
	4.1.2	Develop and support existing proposals for a local paths network		Gordon & Bob	Shiel Hill path completed.
				Gordon & Bob	Seating and signage to be completed
	4.1.3	Support and progress development of a cycle path between Stanley and Kinclaven.		Gordon & Bob	
		Organise opening event for Shiel Hill Path		Gordon & Julie	Timing tbc
	4.1.4	Restart regular walks		Gordon & Bob	

	4.1.5	Investigate liability issues for walks		Judith	Spoke to Paths for All
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	4.1.6	Support and progress the development of a cycle path between Stanley and Luncarty		Gordon/Judith Judith Judith	*This was the community's top priority for action plan.* Discuss with Perth Kinross Countryside Trust. Attempted to make contact with Quarry developers Judith spoke to Sustrans/PGS Headteacher but their project is not re path building
	4.1.7	Establish litter picking and maintenance rota for Sheilhill		Gordon	October
4.2		**Improve the Linn Beach**	SDT/CC	TRA, landowners, PKC, school, Young People, SNH	
	4.2.1	Agree a management/development plan for the area.			
THEME 5: TOURISM AND HERITAGE (ON HOLD AS NO VOLUNTEERS CAME FORWARD TO HELP WITH THIS)					
5.1		**Promote Stanley**	SDT	CC, businesses	SDT to organize and coordinate local business/tourism sector meetings to develop proposals and carry them forward. This could lead to the formation of a Tourism Marketing sub group.
	5.1.1	Joint business and community initiative to develop promotional material e.g. web site, signage, leaflets, noticeboards/local interpretation.			
5.2		**Investigate historic designation for the village**	SDT	CC, West Stormont Historical Society	
	5.2.1	Explore the potential to designate, develop and promote Stanley as a Historic Village.			
5.3		**Establish café in the village or Stanley Mill**	SDT	CC. TRA,	Could include any

				businesses	organisation keen to participate
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	5.3.1	Carry out feasibility study for a café in the Village or Mill – either through encouraging a private business or by through establishing a social/community enterprise.			
THEME 6: PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT					
6.1		**Encourage balanced development**	CC	PKC, SDT, TRA	Community Council with support from other local groups. SDT attend CC meeting each quarter and share minutes of meetings.
	6.1.1	Maintain links and discussion with landowners, developers and Council.			SDT met with Bidwells and Zurich again in June. Maintain dialogue. CC invited but unable to attend
	6.1.2	Explore options for the community to prepare its own proposals to feed into the Council's development plan process.			
6.2		**Link development to community benefit**			
	6.2.1	Make sure that any planning gain is linked to the priorities within this Action Plan**.**	CC	SDT	Invite Plean Community Trust to address open meeting.