# **Broadford Primary School/Community Hub**

## **Stakeholder Group Meeting**

**Project Update** 

22<sup>nd</sup> June 2022

**Robert Campbell, Estate Strategy Manager** 

#### **Recent Progress**

- Design Stage 2 for the new primary school has been completed and work has commenced on Stage 3.
- Funding meeting held on 7<sup>th</sup> June with MSP's (Kate Forbes and Mairi Gougeon) to discuss community hub and future funding application to the Islands Programme.
- Available area for the artificial training pitch has been reviewed and needs to be discussed later in this meeting (59 x 39m playing area with 3m runoffs).

#### **Programme**

- The programme for the scheme shows a planning application being submitted in March 2023.
- This would follow on from a 3 month Pre-Application Notice period (September to December) during which public consultation events would be held.
- It is proposed that the application would also include the community facilities (artificial pitch and changing pavilion).
- This is based on construction work starting on the school building in October 2023 with completion by March 2025.
- The demolition of the existing buildings would be carried out separately thereafter.

### **Next Steps**

- Continue to develop the Stage 3 design and work with user groups over the rest of this year to allow a planning application to be lodged in March.
- Continue to work with the community hub representatives to identify funding opportunities, develop supporting information for funding applications and agree timelines.