Area Partnership FYI!

POP UP LIBRARIES COMING SOON!

Donations of children's books gratefully received

Sunday 24 April Family Day Musselburgh Racecourse 10.30 - 5pm
Friday 29 April Whitecraig Community Centre Stay and Play Group 9.30-11.30
Saturday 30 April Wallyford Community Centre Family Learning Day 10.00 -12.30
Friday 13 May Burgh Primary School 11.30-1.30pm (pupils and parents)
Monday 16 May Quayside 6.30 -8pm (TBC)
Friday 20 May Brunton Hall 8.30- 1pm (SftS First 1000 days)
Saturday 21, Sunday 22 May Big Nature Festival Levenhall Links full days
Friday 27 May Campie Primary School 11.30-2pm (pupils and parents)

If you would like more information please contact:
Janice MacLeod
Mobile: 07528 856147
Email: janice1617@btinternet.com

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MUSSELBURGH AREA COMMUNITIES DAY
25th June 2016, 11am to 3pm
Venue 1, Brunton Hall

Musselburgh Area Partnership is looking for local groups to take part in a Communities Day to be held in the Brunton Hall on Saturday 25th June, 11am to 3pm.

If your club or organisation would like to take part or you would like more details please contact Carolyne Murray in the Area Partnership office (details below) before Friday 6th May.

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SCOTTISH FLOOD FORUM

The Scottish Flood Forum has issued a new leaflet (http://www.floodre.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/FloodRE_Leaflet_Scotland.pdf) with information relating to Home Insurance for homes at risk from flooding. Two key questions to be asked of insurance companies when you are looking for insurance are:

- Am I eligible for FloodRe and;
- Are you (insurance company) in the scheme?

Useful links:
Flood Re has launched a new website for homeowners today which can be accessed via www.floodre.co.uk

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Active Travel Workshops

Young Scot are looking for passionate youth groups aged 16-25 to explore the benefits and barriers to walking, cycling and active travel in the South East of Scotland. We are looking to host a 1-2 hour hands on discussion on Active Travel in and around the groups local area.

We will then be hosting an ideas gathering on the 11th May from 10.30-15.00 at the Low Port Centre in Linlithgow bringing together young people from a range of backgrounds to share their experience, build new ideas and look at active travel in new ways.

Come along, get involved, make friends and learn new skills all while building ideas for a sustainable, active Scotland. Contact codesign@young.scot as soon as possible if you are interested.
Thanks
Steven Russell, Co-Design Officer
Young Scot
http://www.youngscot.org

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TESCO BAGS OF HELP

Do you know a greenspace project within the East Lothian Council area that would benefit from funding? Local authorities, community groups and organisations can all apply for Tesco Bags of Help funding!

Grants are available to improve local green spaces. Successful projects will go forward to a public vote in Tesco stores which will decide whether they receive a grant of £8,000, £10,000 or £12,000. Bags of Help is administered by Groundwork, working in Scotland with greenspace scotland, and funded by Tesco customers from the proceeds of the 5p charge for plastic carrier bags.

Applications for this funding round open on 18 April and close 3 June 2016. Full eligibility criteria and detailed application guidance is available online here http://bit.ly/bagsofhelp2
Caroline Crawford – Community Enabler
greenspace scotland - transforming urban spaces into people places
caroline.crawford@greenspacescotland.org.uk

Just a reminder!

Biodiversity Family Fun Day
Sunday 24th April 1-4pm

1pm & 3pm - Join Buglife for a walk from **John Muir's Birthplace** along to Lauderdale Park, Dunbar. Suitable for families. Children under 12 years must be accompanied by an adult.

Booking essential: 01368 865899 or museumseast@eastlothian.gov.uk

2-4pm - Drop-in and make feeders, homes, planters and biodiversity art with the Ranger and Museum team at **Dunbar Town House**. Suitable for all ages.

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All Aboard East Lothian's Play Tour

Cancelled

Come and join us, on our first ever mini tour of wonderful play experiences and activities in East Lothian.

Join the discussion, see Play in Action
Wednesday 27th April

Spaces will be limited: to request a place please contact: supportfromthestart@eastlothian.gov.uk
01620 827481

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HUMBIE, EAST & WEST SALTOUN AND BOLTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL

HUSTINGS!

SCOTTISH PARLIAMENT ELECTIONS 2016
28TH APRIL 2016 at 1930

All 4 candidates standing for election for the East Lothian Constituency have agreed to attend a Hustings in Humbie Kirk on Thursday, 28th April at 7.30 pm prompt (Kirk will be open from 7.00 pm).

Please register your intention to attend at:
https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/east-lothian-hustings-scottish-parliament-election-2016-tickets-24530197481
or email humbiecomcouncil@gmail.com

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The First 1000 Days: Healthy Minds and Happy Babies

The three R's: Relationships, Risk, Repair

Free Learning Session. All Welcome
Keynote Speaker: Robin Balbernie

Friday 20th May 2016 9 til 12.30

@ Venue 1, Brunton Hall, Musselburgh, EH21 6AA
www.eventbrite.com/e/the-first-thousand-days-healthy-minds-haopy-babies-tickets-22277537715

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Big Nature Festival ticket offer

Scotland's Big Nature Festival is returning to Levenhall Links, Musselburgh on 21 and 22 May.
www.bignaturefestival.org.uk

'Early bird' half price tickets are available here until 24 April.
https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/scotlands-big-nature-festival-2016-tickets-19949135401

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You can now follow Area Partnerships on Twitter. Keep up to date with all of the latest news by following @EastLothianAP

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