Area Partnership FYI!



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The Coalfields Dog Poo Challenge

Community Training Calendar 2016-17

The next Community Training Calendar 2016-17 and wish to collect feedback from yourself on specific training needs in your community.

Can you provide me with any details of identified training needs from the area partnerships and associated sub-groups by the end of July 2016?

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the coalfields regeneration trust

THE COALFIELDS DOG POO CHALLENGE!

The Big Problem
80% of the communities who have been involved in creating a community action plan as part of Coalfields Community Futures programme, highlighted dog fouling as an issue of concern in their local community.

The issue of dog fouling is one of the most common to be flagged up as needing something done about it. Dog fouling is universally unpopular and often raises people's anger with stories of how it negatively affects people's ability to enjoy being outdoors.

The Big Challenge
Coalfields Regeneration Trust are offering an incentive to communities to really focus on this issue and come up with creative ways of dealing with this problem that can be shared with other communities, helping create an effective deterrent to irresponsible dog owners everywhere!

The Organisations Who Can Apply
We are inviting applications from the Anchor Organisations that are leading on each of the Coalfields Community Action Plans

The Big Incentive
CRT have £6,000 funding to take forward 3 innovative projects that will help address the dog fouling issue in their community.

The Big Award Ceremony
The projects that apply will be assessed and those that are eligible will be voted on by participants at the next CRT Network Meeting in September after candidates have had an opportunity to give a short presentation on their project.

To check if your group can apply, and if you have a bright idea that you think could work, or for an application form please contact Enid Trevett.

enid.trevett@coalfields-regen.org.uk

01259 272127

The deadline for applications is August 17th 2016.

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Community Choices Fund

No pressure but note the closing date for applications is the **29th July 2016**

The Community Choices Fund is a new £2 million fund to support participatory budgeting (PB) in 2016/17 for more people to have a direct say in how, and where, public funds can be used to address local needs. There are 2 categories of funding available:

1) Category one is open to Public Authorities which includes Local Authorities and other Public Bodies. For more information on the criteria for this application see: www.gov.scot/Resource/0050/00501823.pdf Note, that match funding is needed from public authorities and can be directed towards support for participatory budgeting activity geographically or thematically towards a particularly policy or community interest. Funding from other stakeholders can be used to support this but NOT match funding from other Scottish Government streams eg "East Lothian's on the move" project.

2) Category two is open to Community Organisations (such as Tenants and residents Associations and Community Councils). For more information on the criteria for this application see; www.gov.scot/Resource/0050/00501823.pdf It is open to community lead organisations that can demonstrate democratic governance, strong links to their community and the ability to stimulate high levels of voluntary activity. Community Councils must have an agreed Scheme of Establishments with ELC and have a written constitution and a bank account. Projects can be place based or thematic and match funding is not needed.

We can help you apply for and deliver on this if you need any help. We will also be running training later this year if you are interested in learning more about Participatory Budgeting.

Email: skerr@eastlothian.gov.uk for more info

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Just a reminder!

Drop In Cuppa and blether! Dementia Friendly North Berwick

Dementia Friendly North Berwick hosts a drop in community cuppa on the first Tuesday of the month, 2pm at the Hope Rooms. Everyone Welcome!
For information please contact: sue@dfel.org.uk

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Dads2b East Lothian

If you are an expectant father you are invited to attend a dads-to-be course in Lothian. The course runs for 4 weeks on a Wednesday evening from 6.30-8.30pm and covers topics such as:

- Supporting Labour and Birth
- Baby care skills- everything from nappies, bathing, handling to coping with your baby crying
- Early days
- Post Natal Depression
- Baby brain development
- Being a dad... and much more!

To book contact
dadswork@hotmail.co.uk
andrea.hewitt@nhslothian.scot.nhs.uk
Tel: 01506 524020 or 0131 665 0848

37 Galt Avenue
Musselburgh
EH21 8HU

- 2nd to 23rd November 2016
- 11th January to 1st February 2017
- 1st to 22nd March 2017
- 3rd to 24th May 2017

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Wild Magic in the Park
5th August, 10am to 2pm
Neilson Park, Haddington

Calling all fairies, pixies, wizards, elves, explorers, naturalists, animal lovers ... have you heard? The Park is the Place to be! Come and join the fun, with Support from the Start, celebrating National Play Day.

Vintage Fire Engine – Cool Creatures Petting Zoo
Crafts and Capers – Den Building and Create a Buddy
Wild Storytelling – Play on Pedals – Family Games
Professor of Wizardry's Lotions and Potions
Magic Show and Mini Beasts Hunt
Find the Wishing Tree

Join the family fun. Bring picnics, friends and family!

FREE EVENT. Find us on Facebook
www.facebook.com/SupportfromtheStart

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Weaning

Find out more information about introducing your baby to solid foods. Sessions delivered by community nutritionist Ruth Davie at Pennypit Centre, Prestonpans (Training Room 1).

Tues, 2nd August 2016 10.30 – 11.30

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Riding of the Marches 2016
23 – 31 July 2016

Get out there and get involved.
Programme of events available here
http://rom2016.co.uk/

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Musselburgh Allotments OPEN DAY
Sunday 24th July - 2pm to 4pm

The allotments are located on the south edge of Lewisvale Park cricket pitch – enter on foot from Double Dykes via Inveresk Village.
Get up-to-date information from our website
http://www.musselburghallotments.wordpress.com

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Strategic Police Priorities Consultation

The Scottish Government has launched its formal consultation on draft Strategic Police Priorities. The press release and documents can be found at the attached links;
http://news.scotland.gov.uk/News/Future-policing-25a9.aspx
http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Justice/policies/police-fire-rescue/police-scotland/StrategicPolicePriorities

The consultation will be open until 16 August 2016.

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Haddington Town Centre Consultation Pedestrians, Parking, and Events – The Access Strategy

There will be regular project updates on the East Lothian Council web, Twitter and Facebook pages. You can also email comments to:
jbaker@eastlothian.gov.uk or Fiona.Davies@lda-design.co.uk

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DUNBAR:
Dementia Hub – Carers Group meets at 6pm every Thursday, Dunbar Library
Singalong! – music and afternoon tea for people with dementia and carers. The Gibb Room, Bleachingfield Centre, every Tuesday 1pm
www.facebook.com/dementiafriendlydunbar/

NORTH BERWICK:
DF North Berwick meets the first Tuesday of the month, 2pm at the Hope Rooms. Everyone Welcome!
sue@dfel.org.uk
Tea Dance – at the Hope Rooms, last Wednesday of the month, 2pm. Small charge applicable

HADDINGTON:
Good Memories Cafe meets last Friday of the month at 2pm, the Star Room, John Gray Centre
www.johngraycentre.org/2015/02/17/good-memories-happy-afternoon-cafe-people-dementia/

TRANENT:
Contact Dementia Friendly Tranent
www.facebook.com/Dementia-Friendly-Tranent-1676565895946403/

MUSSELBURGH:
Dementia Cafe Musselburgh (Alzheimer's Scotland) meets on the first Wednesday of every month from 11am to 2pm (lunch is available at 12.45pm, £4). A **Carer Support group** is available from 11.45am to 12.45pm which includes support for people with dementia.
www.alzscot.org/services_and_support/search/2409_d-caf_musselburgh

Dementia Friendly Musselburgh meets monthly after the cafe at 2.15pm.
Lets Sing! – singing group for people with dementia and carers 11am every Tuesday at the Brunton Theatre

There are also many events and activities across East Lothian where people with dementia are welcomed. Please see the DFEL website for information
www.dfel.org.uk

OPEN MEETINGS – ALL WELCOME!

Dunbar & East Linton

5 September 2016, 7pm Bleachingfield Centre, Dunbar
14 November 2016, 7pm Bleachingfield Centre, Dunbar

Sub Groups

Web/Events Database
Next meeting still to be set

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13 Sept 2016, 7pm Ross High School (Annual Mtg)
8 November 2016, 7pm Venue tbc

Sub Groups

Active Travel
Next meeting still to be set

Haddington & Lammermuir

4 August 2016, 7pm Town House Haddington
22 September 2016, 7pm Town House Haddington
21 November 2016, 7pm Town House Haddington

Sub Groups

Haddington Town Centre
18 July 2016, 6pm Town House, Haddington

Children & Young People
30 June 2016, 10am Town House, Haddington

Musselburgh Area

(held in Musselburgh East Community Learning Centre)

22 August 2016, 7pm (Annual Meeting @ 7.30pm)
26 September 2016, 7pm
28 November 2016, 7pm

Sub Groups

On The Move
Next meeting still to be set

Communities Day
Next meeting still to be set

North Berwick Coastal

30 August 2016, 7pm Venue tbc
1 November 2016, 7pm Venue tbc

Sub Groups

Communications
15 August, 6.30pm Hope Rooms, North Berwick

On the Move
Next meeting still to be set

Older People's Network
3 Aug 2016, 2pm North Berwick Community Centre

NB Area Children & Youth Network
Next meeting still to be set

Preston Seton Gosford

(held in The Pennypit Centre, Prestonpans)

21 September 2016, 7pm
16 November 2016, 7pm

Sub Groups

Communications
27 July, 6.30pm Venue to be confirmed

On the Move
Next meeting to be set

Children & Youth Network
25 August, 4.15pm Preston Lodge
22 September, 4.15pm Preston Lodge
27 October, 4.15pm Preston Lodge
24 November, 4.15pm Preston Lodge

Agendas and previous minutes of Area Partnership meetings can be found here – www.eastlothian.gov.uk/info/200135/community_planning/1586/community_planning_in_east_lothian/11

East Lothian Partnership

Want to know what's going on across ELP? Visit http://www.eastlothian.gov.uk/elpnews
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