Area Partnership FYI!

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

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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Submission deadline - 5.00pm Thursday

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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 Hun
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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Musselburgh Area Partnership Communities Day

The Musselburgh Area Partnership would like to thank all the organisations and community groups that took part in the Communities Day on 25th June 2016.

A big thank you to Nick Sharratt too who was a big hit with the Reading is Braw crowd.



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Just a reminder!

Tyne Esk LEADER Programme Launch

The Tyne Esk LEADER Local Action Group (LAG) is launching our Programme of funding at twin events and we would like you to join us.

- Dalkeith Show on the 9th July at 2pm.

Members of the staff team will be present throughout the day to answer any questions.
More information on our funding priorities and the Local Development Strategy can be found at www.tyneesk.co.uk

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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, 12th July 2016 10.30 – 11.30
Tues, 2nd August 2016 10.30 – 11.30

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Resourcing Scotland's Heritage

'Sustainability: Where will you be in five years' time?' (Edinburgh)
Wednesday 13th July, 4pm - 6pm
http://www.resourcingscotlandsheritage.org/event/sustainability-where-will-you-be-in-five-years-time-workshop-edinburgh/

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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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Police Powers to Search Children and Young People for Alcohol

This consultation asks for views on whether the police should be given new search powers in relation to children and young people in relation to alcohol.

https://consult.scotland.gov.uk/organised-crime-and-police-powers-unit/under18search

The closing date for this consultation is 15 July 2016.

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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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Dementia friendly | EAST LOTHIAN
Curious | Connected | Active

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
Or email fdawson@eastlothian.gov.uk to subscribe to our ENews.

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