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West Calder & Harburn

Community Development Trust Newsletter

Welcome

Welcome to the latest news from the CDT, where things have been happening faster than ever:

- **New Home**
- **New Staff**
- **Completed Projects**
- **Community Grants**
- **Events**

Get in touch to see how you can get involved:

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New Home

West Calder and Harburn CDT now has its own home at 14 Union Square. This means we have our own shop front, welcoming reception area, office and meeting room.

New Staff

As of September we have had Stephen Brockbank, our new Project Development Officer, working for us in our new office.

Please drop in Monday – Thursday mornings to say hello, find out what we are up to and to see how you can get involved.

Save the Date!

Christmas Fayre 10th December 2016

Annual Christmas Fayre featuring: Market Traders, Santa's Grotto, Brass band and Christmas lights switch on.

Burngrange Memorial 14th January 2017

70th Anniversary of the Burngrange mining disaster. The West Calder history group are organising an event in and around the square.
www.burngrange70.co.uk





West Calder & Harburn CDT Project Update

War Memorial Gardens

Refurbishment of the War memorial and gardens was completed just in time for the 2016 Remembrance Day Service.

The project was financed with £8,000 from the Tesco Bags of Help fund, and additional support from WLC cemeteries fund.

We are delighted that the refurbishment has considerably improved access for the less able as well as providing beautiful, themed benches to sit and reflect.

West Calder in Bloom

This year has seen a very successful display of planters and hanging baskets throughout Main Street. These were planted by children from the primary schools alongside residents from local sheltered housing.

Small Project Grants

The CDT has managed to secure £30,000 from LDV Harburnhead Ltd to give to local projects benefiting the community.

Please contact us for details of grants of up to £2500.

Community Map Project

We have been working hard to create an online and paper map of West Calder, Harburn & Polbeth. The project is being run in conjunction with WLC Active Travel and with help from Sustrans and local volunteers.

Wheeled Sports Facility

This project is currently in the community consultation phase. Discussions with WLC open spaces team and the planning department have been initiated.



Who's who?

Directors

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