



# Tayport Community Trust

## Newsletter

### February 2010

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#### OPEN DAY - 27 February

Plans are well underway for the TCT Open Day on Saturday 27 February in the Gregory Hall, 10am-4pm.

At the Open Day we will showcase what the Trust has been doing this past year. We want to show you how the plans for the Community Café, the Shanwell Road Community Project (Community Sports Centre) and the Renewable Energy and Garden-share projects are developing - from the applications we've made for funding to the partners and other groups we've teamed up with.

There will be home baking on sale (see Café Update) posters and presentations of the Shanwell Road site, and games, activities and demonstrations of some of our other projects. We also want you to tell us if these schemes, and others under the TCT umbrella, are what you want to see happening in Tayport over the next few years.

Everyone with an interest in Tayport's future is warmly invited to attend. Entry is free.

#### Harbour Café Update

The lease relating to the Harbour Café has now been signed and work to replace the windows will commence in the next few weeks. Once the Building Warrant has been received the hard work will start on the internal refurbishment works. Initial

funding has been secured from the Scottish Community Foundation, LEADER in Fife and the Fife Council Area Budget. Other funding is being sourced. A small version of the Café will be set out at the Open Day and the floor plans and information on the running of the café will be available to view. With the help of the local Guides, tea/coffee and home baking will be on sale.

Please contact Mary-Jane Duncan on 01382 553882 or email [harbourcafe@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:harbourcafe@hotmail.co.uk).

#### Annual General Meeting

An Annual General Meeting was held on Monday 23 November in Tayport Bowling Club. The Chair reported that the main events of the year were the Fife Council agreement to allow the Trust to control the Shanwell Road site and developments regarding the Harbour café project. Three new Trustees were elected, namely, Bob MacKintosh, Julia Garritt and Heather Davidson. If you are interested and would like to learn more please contact Tony Gowland, David Yule or Heather Davidson.

#### Communication Tree

Twenty organisations, with a potential membership of 500, have joined the communication tree as a tool to circulate forthcoming local events. If you would like to join the communication tree, as an individual, there is an opportunity for you to register your interest at the Open Day on 27 February. In the meantime if you want to know more, read the article

'Lets Talk' on the  
www.tayport.org.uk website.

#### Other Events

A fundraising evening with  
Tannahill Weavers will be held on  
22 May 2010.

#### Fundraising

The Trust would like to thank all  
members of the community for  
their generous contributions  
collected during the Santa Run on  
Saturday 5 December. A total of  
£607 was raised.

Another way to help raise funds  
for Trust projects is to shop online  
and raise funds. Eeasyfundraising  
is a shopping directory listing  
some of your favourite online  
stores. Just use the links on the  
easyfundraising site whenever  
you shop online and, at no extra  
cost to you, we'll receive a free  
donation of up to 15% from every  
purchase you make. It's  
completely FREE to register and  
you won't pay a penny more for  
your shopping when you use the  
easyfundraising site. In fact you  
can even SAVE MONEY as many  
retailers offer discounts, special  
offers and even 'e-vouchers'  
exclusive to easyfundraising. If  
you shop online anyway then why  
not raise valuable extra funds for  
us by using this fantastic scheme.  
All you need to do is visit  
[http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk  
/tayportcommunitytrust](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/tayportcommunitytrust)  
and  
select Tayport Community Trust  
as the organisation you wish to  
support.

If you would like to help then  
please contact us.

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## COMMUNITY EVENTS

DOLPHIN CENTRE

**Valentines Bingo Night** 17th Feb 2010,  
Eyes Down @ 7pm

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### THE AULD KIRK, TAYPORT

Saturday, 6 March 7.30pm

Wee Room productions present

"Sugar and Snails".

An entertaining musical evening  
celebrating the life of women (and men  
too).

Tickets £5 (includes first refreshment)  
available from Tayport Post Office,  
Manna Coffee shop Newport or at the  
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### TAYPORT FOOTBALL CLUB

#### HORSE RACING NIGHT

Saturday 27 February, Tayport Arms

First Race 7.30pm - Horses £3 -

Race Sponsors £25

TICKETS FREE

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**FOOTBALLERS SUPPER**

Friday 26 March

The Bell Rock Tavern

SPEAKER: CRAIG BROWN

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**THE 'PORT FIVES**

Sunday 27 June, The Canniepairt

A FUN DAY FOR ALL THE FAMILY

Entry Fee - £20 per team

BOYS - UNDER 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15

GIRLS - UNDER 11, 13, 15

Contact John Brown

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