



Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation (SCIO)

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Welcome to our 6th Tullibody Community Development Trust newsletter Members Meeting - Thursday 13th of September - 7.30pm in the Function Room

Fantastic Funding Boost #1

We are overwhelmed by the generous donation of **£700!** Our **St Serf's Soup and Roll Ladies** raised at their recent Strawberry Tea. Such a welcome donation and we are so grateful to the St Serf's Ladies and our community who supported them. As we approach the potential date for the community running the Civic Centre this will be a real boost to help us cover some of the core start-up costs: cleaning materials, gas, electricity, booking system, insurance, phone and internet – even though we will have no staff cost to pay!

Our next Members Meeting is on Thursday the 13th of September @ 7.30 pm in the Function Room – Civic Centre

So much has been happening over the last few months. Our trustees have been meeting weekly followed by weekly meetings with Clacks Council officers to progress the terms of our community lease. The 1st of October is the date we are aiming for. But we have so much still to do. If you have any skills that you think might help us, please get in touch. It could be basic advice or offering to help clean the building, right through to managing the Centre, taking bookings and lets, drawing up policies, fire procedures, health & safety, volunteer and key holder training and so much more. We know we have the **skills right here** in our community, we just need folks to come on board. Now we are moving forward you can really get involved, if you are as **keen** as we are to get the Centre up and running.

Our biggest challenge at present is making sure the building is fit for use before sign off the lease **PLEASE get in touch if you can get help in any of the above at our weekly meetings on Tuesday nights at 7pm – you can email – enquiries@tullibodycdt.org.uk for more information on what we're looking for or get in touch via our website: <http://tullibodycdt.org.uk/contact/>**

Fantastic Funding Boost #2

We've just learned we're about to receive national funding to help us towards the next phase of our journey – Stage 1 of – Community Ownership of the Civic Centre

This is really exciting news and another great boost to take our community forward. Please come along to the meeting on Tuesday night to hear the full details



We've also applied to a local charity for funding to host a **youth event** later this year. Our young ambassadors are on the case with young people and school friends to discuss activities they want to have at the Civic Centre – exciting times ahead for our young people