

# Altens Community Centre



**A personal view from  
the Chair of Altens  
Community Centre.**

We recently arranged an evening for youngsters to come along with a view to starting a youth group and are still building on the interest shown thus far. The aim is for the youngsters to form their own group with guidance from the centre. It's for them to decide what they want and the centre will help them get funding etc. Of course, only good ideas will get grants from funding bodies. So, come on all you young folk out there – get your thinking caps on, get involved and let the centre help.

Applications for funding have been sent away and at the time of writing we await replies.

*I'd like to take this opportunity to thank Alan Marwick and Tom Skinner for their contribution to the centre. Among other*

*things over the years, they have offered a minibus service to many of our less able users. Unfortunately, they will no longer be able to provide the service soon, as their licences will prevent them from continuing. We need more volunteers with appropriate licences to take over.*

Please get in touch very soon as by the time the Chronicle is delivered to you this important service will be drawing to a close if new drivers are not forthcoming.

We have a music room available for hire. Various drums, a keyboard and Guitars are available for use.

Contact the office for more details on the above and to find out what's available at the Centre.

**Tel: 01224 896798**  
**email: altenscc@gmail.com**

The office is now covered most of the time between 9am and 5pm.

**Brian Allan**  
Chair, Altens Community Centre



## Volunteer Mini Bus Drivers

The centre is urgently looking for volunteer drivers to drive the minibus for roughly 30 min in total every Thursday between 1pm-3pm to pick up and return pensioners for bingo at the Centre and 2 hours fortnightly on a Wednesday for the Asda,Portlethen run. There are other occasions which occur periodically but these are known in advance.

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**Join Altens Community Centre**  
**Adult £8, Concession/Child £4, Family**  
**£12 and enjoy many of the groups at**  
**reduced rates including hire of the hall**  
**for Children's and Adults' parties**

### Coming up very soon in the Centre!!!

- Dog Obedience Grooming Class
- Spanish Class
- Music Class and Guitar lessons for beginners
- Parents' and Children's Chocolate Workshops