

Chair's Notes

Welcome to The Cove Chronicle, the local newsletter published by Cove and Altens Community Council. Produced and delivered by volunteers to all homes in the Cove and Altens area.

Community Council By-election

If you care about your community and have a few hours to spare, please consider standing in the forthcoming Community Council elections.

Due to dwindling numbers of Community Councillors and the problem of co-opted members outnumbering full members it has been decided to call a by-election. If you are interested in standing as a Community Councillor, please contact Karen Rennie, Community Council Liaison Officer on 01224 522723.

Loirston Green Play Park

Some ground work and grass-seeding has been completed in preparation for the eventual placing of new play equipment. Play equipment on the open space off Langdykes Way is also to be replaced.

Cove in Bloom

The Cove in Bloom volunteers have won a Silver Award in Beautiful Scotland's Urban Community category. Well done all!

Annual Garden Competition

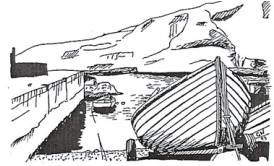
The winners of the four categories have been chosen. Thank you to those who took part and to Ian Talboys, City Council Countryside Officer, for agreeing to the difficult task of judging. Mr A McCrae, best Garden, Ms B Forbes, best Novice Garden, Mr D McGillivray, best Container and Mr A Frost, best Hanging Basket.

Friends of Old Cove

Please see update on another page.

Bridge at Old Cove

At long last the road over the bridge into Old Cove has been resurfaced.



Christmas Festivities

The Annual Community Council Christmas Concert is to take place on Sunday, 7th December, 5pm-6pm, thereafter process to the Christmas tree for mulled wine and stollen and the switching on of the Christmas Lights. Join in the Carols round the tree.

Funds raised go to the Christmas Lights fund. We are looking for a sponsor for the Christmas tree and sponsors to help with funding the other costs involved. If you or your company can help, please get in touch.

Planning

The plans for an office block with 225 parking spaces on the old Lauries Motel site have been passed by the City Council.

Cove Chronicle Deliverers

Thank you to those deliverers who are moving on due to various reasons for your valued help. The support of those who have agreed to take their places is most welcome. We need deliverers for the 24 new homes in Whitehills Square, Falkland Crescent and Loirston Close. Please get in touch if you can help.

Next Community Council Meetings will be on 27th October and 24th November, 7pm in Loirston School.

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