

Your weekly news update Friday 21st February 2025

Hi All,

Here is the weekly news from the Ardentinnny Community Council and the Village Hall.

Well, that power cut was a bit worrying today, I believe that electricity was restored at just after 2.30pm to the remaining houses in the village.



Ardentinnny Community Council News

Beach Clean

Big Thanks to all who came along for the beach clean-up.

Ardentinnny Community Emergency Team – New Equipment

Highly topical after today's power cut!

The Emergency Team would like to thank the Ardentinnny Renewables Trust for funding a resilience equipment package. This will allow the Emergency team to provide improved facilities for residents that includes the ability to charge phones, walkie talkies and other small electrical items, until power is restored, via an LPG generator. Portable gas stoves and kettles will make the village hall available for cooking and the small generator may even be able to power a small heater there. All this will provide an improvement in the resilience level for our residents until power is restored and promote social interaction in adverse conditions.

We will hold a drop-in session to let you all see the equipment once we receive it, and it will be an opportunity for you to ask questions regarding resilience during a lengthy power cut.

Ardentinnny Community Council Facebook page and Website

The Community Council website can be found here - www.ardentinnnycc.co.uk

The Facebook page has been updated, search for **Ardentinnny Community Council** and we have an Instagram site under the same name.

Regards

John

Ardentinnny Village Hall Weekly News

Repairs to the hall

A big 'thank you' this week to Keith Wood for descending down into the depths of the hall and sorting out the floor that had been bouncing up and down. Also, to Stuart Gray for ascending up into the roof space to check for leaks so that we can now proceed to deal with the staining to the ceiling in the main hall. The hall can't survive without this kind of input and it is hugely appreciated.



ADVANCE NOTICE

We would like to hold a Bring-and-Buy/Table-Top Sale/Local Craft Sale in the hall in late Spring/Early Summer. If you would be interested in having a table or taking part again, please send us an email at



ardentinnyvillagehall8@gmail.com

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO JOIN THE HALL CLEANING ROTA TEAM

Unfortunately, a number of people have had to stand down from the Hall Cleaning Rota Team. If you are able to spare an hour say once a month to join the cleaning team, please let Elsbeth Brint know at ardentinnyvillagehall8@gmail.com

MUGS FOR SALE

We are selling mugs to help raise money for the village hall refurbishment. Mugs are for sale either individually or in whatever number you would like £5 each or £25 for 6 (any design).

Please contact Helen Rowthorn at ardentinnyvillagehall8@gmail.com if you are interested in any.

Top left to top right then bottom row we called them:

- Red boat (SOLD OUT)
- Summer view
- Swans in the bay
- Winter in Ardentinnny
- Ferry cottage
- Loch long



Below is a list of the regular hall events with contact details. You can also find this on the Ardentinnny Community Council web site.

That's all for now

Mark Rowthorn (Chairman), Brian Hillesdon (Secretary), Helen Rowthorn (Treasurer), and Elsbeth Brint (Trustee).

Weekly Groups	Ardentinnny Village Hall	24 th Feb –2 nd Mar 2025
Village hall membership information	Monday	Tuesday
<p>Membership £12 per year from 1st April each year</p> <p>Pay directly into the hall account with the details below.</p> <p>Please write the first line of your address as the reference and email your name and the name of anyone else you are paying for including the reference that this has been done to: ardentinnnyvillagehall8@gmail.com</p> <p>Ardentinnny Hall Association</p> <p>A/c: 00123850</p> <p>Sort: 80-13-46</p>	<p>Ukulele/Music group</p> <p>Please join us on from 17.30-19.30.</p> <p>Following our successful live debut at the bowling club, we are currently running a beginner session.</p> <p>All abilities welcome, spare instruments available.</p> <p>£3 per session, tea/coffee included.</p> <p>Email :- ardentinnny.ukulele@gmail.com for further info.</p>	<p>Ladies Badminton</p> <p>10.30 am – 12.30pm</p> <p>£3 per person.</p> <p>Contact for more info- Anne Wood</p> <p>07894 274422</p>
Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>Hobbies</p> <p>7pm – 9pm</p> <p>All welcome for a chat and a cuppa and friendly help with your knitting/ crochet/ quilting etc. Anyone who has a hobby or would just like to drop in and meet people, please call in.</p> <p>Contact Margo Hendry 01369 810262</p> <p>£3 per person.</p>	<p>Carpet Bowls</p> <p>Blairmore and Ardentinnny Carpet Bowling Club</p> <p>2.30pm – 4.30pm</p> <p>Contact Gordon Smith on 01369 810218 for new enquiries.</p> <p>Tai-Chi</p> <p>Heavenly Mountain Gate Tai-Chi Chuan (Yang Tradition)</p> <p>6.30pm – 7.30pm</p> <p>£5 per person</p> <p>Contact Bryan on 07813 374879 for new enquiries.</p>	
Saturday	Sunday	Private Hiring of the village hall
		<p>Contact for more information ardentinnnyvillagehall8@gmail.com</p> <p>£100 Per day</p> <p>£50 1/2 day</p>