

Your weekly news update 1st September 2023

Hi All,

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

Ardentinny Community Council News

Ardentinny Community Council Public Meeting

The public meeting of the Ardentinny Community Council will be held in the village hall at 7.30 pm on Tuesday 5th September. All welcome, tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided.

Knotweed Removal

FLS are starting their knotweed spraying campaign soon, we have also pointed out areas that we have spotted on the coast path. We will give you updates on when and where they are doing this work when we get it.



Events

Middle Eastern Feast Fundraiser Saturday 9th September 2023 at 7 pm

Peter Wilson from the Outdoor centre is inviting residents to a Fundraising dinner in support of his sponsored Cycle ride to raise funds for Medical Aid in Palestine.

Tickets are £30 per person (BYOB) and can be obtained from Peter at peter@ardentinnycentre.org.uk

Only 50 seats available so be quick!

See attachment for further details.

Events at Benmore Botanic Gardens

Giants of Benmore - Thursday 21 September 2pm – 4pm

Join our tour and discover our impressive tree collection which includes 160-year-old Giant Redwoods, Douglas Firs, Scots Pines and Monkey Puzzles. Meet at the covered notice board, just past admissions. Garden admission applies to non-members.

Guided Walks

Every Tuesday and Sunday at 2pm Join our garden guide for a seasonal walk. Meet at the covered notice board just past admissions. Garden admission applies to non-members.

Ardentinny Community Council Facebook page and Website

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

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

Regards

John

Ardentinny Village Hall News

Hi Everyone,

Hope you are all well.

Just in case no-one has seen, The Ardentinny will be closed this Sunday as the staff are going for a well-deserved day out.

BT/Internet Update

We are looking at the option of having this installed with a satellite dish as with the majority of people having mobile phones, there is no need for a phone line.

Quiz Night

Saturday 9th September

Although the outdoor centre is running a charity event the same night, this will be the start of the quiz nights. This is the only time this month we can hold the quiz night due to the hall being booked out so if anyone has any ideas for a theme for Neil to run with, or even run yourself, please let us know by

emailing: ardentinnyvillagehall8@gmail.com

October

Walled Garden Harvest Fair

1st October

Indoor/ Carpet Bowling Club

Thursdays from 5th October the Bowling will be in the village hall until next year

Sausage sizzle on the beach (weather permitting)

Dates and times to be confirmed.

Hallowe'en Quiz Night

Saturday 14th October

November

Saturday 11th November

Music Quiz by Mike Loochin

Wednesday 22nd November

Decorate the hall.

Decorate the tree outside.

December Dates and times of functions to be confirmed.

Boozy Christmas Raffle.

If anyone would like to donate a prize for this, it would be much appreciated. The more donations, the bigger the 5 prizes will be.

Christmas Gift and Craft Fayre to be held at the Outdoor Centre.

Please contact the usual address if you would like to book a table.

Possible Santa's Grotto

Christmas Carol Service

Come along and sing some Christmas songs. Details to be confirmed.

Wreath Making

Saturday 2nd December 11.30

This was a success last year and was requested again for this year.

Hogmanay

Timings TBC

£6 entry per person to be paid on the night. If you are considering bringing guests, please book in advance to secure a table.

Live music by the Elderly Brothers.

Quizzes and Games

Raffle and Prizes

Bring your own bottle and snacks.

Ukulele/Music group

Hi Everyone,

Please join us on Mondays from 18.00-19.30. Beginners to George Formby welcomed, spare ukuleles available. £2 per session, tea/coffee included.

Email us at ardentinny.ukulele@gmail.com for further info.

Blairmore

Saturday 2nd September 1-4 BBQ on which is always a good day.

Saturday 16th of September, The Elderly Brothers are playing at Blairmore hall in the evening. Timings TBC

Requests

If you would like to organise a village hall event or have a specific theme for a quiz night please get in touch, either by email at: ardentinnyvillagehall8@gmail.com or just grab us around the village anytime.

Kind Regards,

Dee.

Ardentinny Hall Management Group Secretary