

Beautiful Scotland and It's Your Neighbourhood annual seminar

10:00 - 10:30 Registration, tea & coffee

Exhibition: 'Year of Young People' Cast your vote for your favourite

10:30 – 11:50 **Year of Young People**

10:30 - 10:40 **Welcome & introduction** – Colin Bayes, Charity Trustee, Keep Scotland Beautiful

10:40 – 10:55 **Young Scot and 'Year of Young People 2018' Beautiful Scotland Award winner**

10:55 – 11:05 **Year of Young People Ambassador** - ReRoute and engaging young people in nature

11:05 – 11:35 **'Year of Young People 2018' celebrations**

11:35 – 11:50 **Comfort break**

11:50 – 12:30 **Inspiring Case studies**

11:50 – 12:00 **Pulling communities together: Cowal KSB Network – Route 489**

12:00 – 12:10 **Improving an urban area, health & wellbeing: Newhaven Heritage Community Gardens**

12:10 – 12:30 **Making the move to Beautiful Scotland: Brighter Bervie and Beautiful Scotland judge**

12:30 – 14:00 *****Lunch and exhibitor viewing**

14:00 – 14:40 **Presentation of the 2018 It's Your Neighbourhood certificates**

14:40 – 15:30 **Practical advice**

14:40 – 14:55 **Pollination and how you can help** – Jim Jeffrey, SNH

14:55 – 15:15 **How to raise money for your projects** – Ian Goodman, MyParkScotland

15:15 – 15:30 **Intergenerational working** – Generations Working Together **and case study**
Find out about next year's theme and learn from a group which has successfully integrated intergenerational working into their projects.

15:30 - 15:35 **The best 'Year of Young People 2018' activity (the result of the people's vote!)**

15:35 – 15:50 **RHS Britain in Bloom Discretionary Award presentations**

15:50 - 16:00 **Closing remarks**

*****Lunch will be served in two sittings: 12:30–13:05: tables 1-10 will be served lunch while tables 11-20 visit the exhibition stands; 13:05–13:35 – tables 11-20 will be served lunch while tables 1-10 visit the exhibition stands. 13:35-14:00 tea/coffee in main hall.**



EXHIBITORS (viewing between 12:30 - 14:00)

Brighter Bervie

Brighter Bervie is a community volunteer group established 5 years ago to brighten-up Inverbervie, mainly through community gardening projects. A trail of public gardens and features has been developed around this ancient Royal Burgh for the benefit of local residents and visitors of all ages. Our Facebook page contains photos and topical information about ongoing activities, many of which involve local partner organisations.



British Dragonfly Society

The British Dragonfly Society (BDS) was founded in 1983 by a small group of dragonfly enthusiasts and scientists. The Society has three main aims: to carry out and support research on dragonflies, to conserve dragonflies and to engage the public with dragonflies and their wetland habitats.



Cowal KSB Network – Route 489

Cowal KSB Network's stand will profile their creative approach that brought six neighbouring groups together to support one another to improve their communities. The local bus service, Route 489, which spans a 30-mile coastal route serves to connect them in a variety of creative ways. Visit the stand for more information.

Falkirk Delivers

Falkirk Delivers works with partners to deliver a range of projects to enhance the visitor experience to the town centre and covers four strategic themes: cleanliness, safety, marketing and tourism. Through this activity Falkirk Delivers aims to inspire local businesses, residents and visitors alike to take a pride in Falkirk



Generations Working Together

Generations Working Together provides information, delivers support and encourages involvement to benefit all of Scotland's generations, by working, learning, volunteering and living together.



Gorebridge Community Cares – Poodunnit? Dog Poo Detectives



Gorebridge Community Cares is a community led small Charitable organisation that identifies local needs and is successful in delivering projects within budget and on time. Working with statutory/voluntary organisations we try to achieve our goals of reducing inequalities of health, attainment and opportunities of those affected. We believe in empowering people by assisting them to achieve the best they can to make a better life for themselves and their families. Using a person centred approach to problems, we consult with the local community to find solutions that best fit those we are trying to help.

Gorebridge Community Cares vision is to focus on 5 themes that we believe will make a difference within our community by offering better life chances to the people who live here. These themes include: (1) employment, (2) education and training, (3) green space, and, (4) play. The overarching theme is (5) health, both physical and mental

greenspace Scotland and MyPark Scotland

#MyParkLove - speak to us about greenspace Scotland programmes (Bags of Help and Young Placechangers) and MyParkScotland opportunities.



www.mypark.scot is an established and successful project that will help people discover, enjoy and support their local parks and greenspaces. MyParkScotland is Scotland's only crowdfunding approach to support local park & greenspace improvement, projects and activities. It provides a safe and easier way for individuals and businesses to make donations to support park improvement projects developed by Friends of Parks and other local groups.



Helping Hand Environmental

Helping Hand Environmental has been manufacturing sustainable litter clearance tools since 1965. Manufacturer of the Litterpicker, Streetmaster and Ranger MAX – The Helping Hand Company has developed a host of bespoke tools and award winning clean up kits to assist local authorities, corporates, housing associations, community groups and schools in developing sustainable environmental campaigns and smarter tools for cleaning – for ANY application, environment and budget.



Helping Hand Environmental is proud to be named official working partners and suppliers of choice to Keep Scotland Beautiful and the Clean Up Scotland campaign – this year sponsoring and supporting Spring Clean Scotland and the Hero of the Month campaign which has recognized over 50 Scottish litter heroes with our bespoke Keep Scotland Beautiful litterpicker and hero kit.

Should you need any more information, please do not hesitate to get in contact with Chrissie Jeffery our dedicated sales advisor for Scotland on 01531 635678 or email sales@helpinghand.co.uk – quoting KSBGROUP to receive your discount!

Keep Scotland Beautiful

Keep Scotland Beautiful is the charity that campaigns, acts and educates on a range of local, national and global environmental issues to change behaviour and improve the quality of people's lives and the places they care for. We are committed to making Scotland clean, green and more sustainable.

www.keepsotlandbeautiful.org



Newhaven Heritage Community Gardens

Newhaven is one of the villages of Edinburgh and possesses a rich heritage going back over six hundred years. With an enthusiastic Group of 20 plus volunteers of all ages, Newhaven is just full of colour and vibrance. The children get involved with the planting and the elderly can be found pottering around at their leisure.

North Berwick in Bloom

North Berwick in Bloom's enthusiastic volunteers work all year round on our various projects to support the great work done by East Lothian Council around the town. We want to ensure that not only is the local environment improved by imaginative planting, but that hard landscaping is developed and maintained, awareness is raised on such issues as recycling and littering, and community involvement continues to flourish.

Royal Horticultural Society (RHS) Scotland

The RHS is the UK's foremost gardening charity, helping and inspiring millions of people to garden. The RHS Scotland team has a number of activity programmes including supporting school gardening via its Campaign for School Gardening and supporting horticultural training, education and volunteering within communities. Please visit our website at www.rhs.org.uk/scotland to find out more.



RSPB

Together, let's give nature a home! RSPB Scotland is part of the RSPB, the country's largest nature conservation charity, inspiring everyone to give nature a home. Together with our partners, we protect threatened birds and wildlife so our towns, coast and countryside will teem with life once again. We play a leading role in BirdLife International, a worldwide partnership of nature conservation organisations. www.rspb.org.uk



Scottish Allotments & Gardens Society

The Scottish Allotments and Gardens Society is a membership organisation working for all ploholders in Scotland. SAGS campaigns for more allotments, protects allotments, preserves skills in gardening and promotes the benefits of allotments. Our recent publications include a Scottish Allotments Site Design Guide and A Scottish Ploholders' Guide. www.sags.org.uk



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Scottish Gardeners Forum

The Scottish Gardeners' Forum's exists to provide support to local horticultural societies and clubs throughout Scotland. Our website provides information on our activities:

www.scottishgardenersforum.org.uk



Scottish Gardeners' Forum

PROMOTING SCOTLAND'S GARDEN CLUBS

Scottish Invasive Species Initiative

SISI is a Heritage Lottery Funded project operating across NE Scotland with the goal of empowering local people to undertake control of invasive non-native species (INNS) in their area. We want to provide volunteers and groups with the skills that they need to be able to undertake practical invasive species management. This will provide a sustainable future for invasive species control in northern Scotland. We can provide opportunities to gain pesticide application qualifications and first aid certificates, and gain training in survey techniques, wildlife identification, group management etc. We can also provide resources, equipment and support to help you undertake INNS management work.



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Scottish Natural Heritage

Scotland's pollinators are a vital part of our biodiversity. Species such as bees and hoverflies are a familiar sight in our gardens, parks and countryside. However, our wild pollinators are under threat and the Pollinator Strategy for Scotland aims to make Scotland more pollinator-friendly and improve our understanding and appreciation of these vital insects.



Scottish Natural Heritage
Dualchas Nàdair na h-Alba

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The Ridge

The Ridge in Dunbar is a community organisation which aims to help local people overcome their barriers to fulfillment, with the Backlands Garden playing an important part in this work.



Year of Young People 2018 Ambassador – Mhairi McCann