


You Decide! 2016

Applications Summary

Voting takes place on Saturday, 14 May at Portobello Town Hall between 1 and 3 pm. Anyone aged 8+ is eligible to take part. Use your 5 votes wisely!

This summary has been produced by Portobello Community Council so please ensure you see the full applications on the [You Decide 2016 Website](#)



Vote for Poems and Publish at
Portobello Town Hall on the
Saturday, 14th May 2016 from 1–3
pm.

Shindigs Scottish Artspace
Arts and Community Poetry

CHILDREN 8 TO 12 YEARS OLD

TEENAGERS 13 TO 19 YEARS OLD

ADULTS 20+

WRITE A POEM ABOUT YOUR LOCAL NEIGHBOURHOOD (MAX 40 LINES)

FREE SUBMISSION AND OPEN TO ANYONE IN THE CRAIGMILLAR & PORTOBELLO NEIGHBOURHOOD

CASH AND BOOK PRIZES FOR THE BEST POEMS AT AWARD CEREMONY ON 30 NOVEMBER 2016

SEND IN YOUR ENTRIES : 31ST JULY 2016

CLOSING DATE : 31 OCTOBER 2016

Shindigs Scottish Artspace

Shindigs Scottish Artspace's overall aim is to promote community poetry by publishing one anthology each of poetry, for children, teenagers and adults on an annual basis.

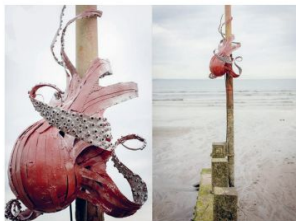
Seeking £975 to run a poetry competition for children and adults. Funds will be used for printing posters and other materials, prizes for each category and to hold a prizegiving event.



2-4 September 2016

A celebration of our
seaside, public space and
local arts community
Portobello, Edinburgh

Site specific art.
Artist open studios.
Local shop popups.
Makers market.



Lauren Fox's Cressida: Tidal Octopus



Juliana Muir's 'Love Letters'
at St Mark's Church



Emma Macleod's 'Spurging'



Paul MacPhail's
'Spiralling out of coal'

Run by volunteers, AWP aims
to give local artists the
chance to share their work
in the local community. We
need funding to help install
work in public areas for
all to enjoy.

Support us and help put
Portobello at the centre
of Scotland's creative map.



Mark Timmins
'Osaka Reflections'
Porty Light Box

www.artwalkparty.co.uk

Art Walk Party

Art Walk Party is an artist-led, not-for-profit, community group which aims to deliver innovative arts projects working with local communities and the public space of Portobello and surrounding area.

Seeking £1500 to commission 5 artists to provide a series of new art works to be located in public areas in and around Portobello. These pieces of work will form a central part of Art Walk Party's three day festival of contemporary art to be held in September 2016.

NEWCRAIGHALL PARK
HOME OF
NEWCRAIGHALL LEITH VICS FC
FOUNDED 1969

Newcraighall Leith Vics Football Club
Amateur Sports Team

969 people like this

ABOUT

Newcraighall Leith Vics is a growing Community Football Club - We aim to give everyone the opportunity to participate in our beautiful game!

<http://www.nlvc.co.uk/>

PHOTOS

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Newcraighall Leith Vics Football Club
5 May at 00:03 · 🌐

Coming soon! A fantastic weekend of football!
Parents, please remember and book your attendance by populating and submitting details into the portal link you were all issued by email.
Deadline day is 31st of May... See more

Grassroots Youth Football Festival to kick off in Edinburgh
THE inaugural Grassroots International Youth Football Festival, a two-day sporting and cultural festival celebrating and supporting the finest grassroots...
WWW.EDINBURGHNEWS.SCOTSMAN.COM

Newcraighall Leith Vics Football Club added 31 new photos.
3 May at 20:05 · 🌐

Brilliant to see everything coming together for the 2008/09 vics team. The kids have been working really hard in training and it's paying off in the games so we treated them with a surprise visit from Scott Brown. He was great with the kids and had loads of positive things to say about the kids and the setup we have at newcraighall lv

The kids looked really smart in there new strips which wouldn't have been possible without our sponsors L&i EATON arc Edinburgh, a massive th...
See more

NEWCRAIGHALL LEITH VICS FC

We aim to give individuals aged from 7 to over 35 the opportunity to be involved in sport, specifically football, in safe and secure surroundings with a high standard of facilities and a stable structure/organisation.

Seeking £1500 to part fund a set of 11-a-side moveable goals as part of plans to expand the club's youth teams

Please note the information provided here is a summary. Please see the full applications and posters on the [You Decide! 2016 website](#)

BINGHAM & DISTRICT 50+ PROJECT



No payment required

Come and join us for a day trip away to

Dumfries

on

Friday 29th July 2016

We're planning a wonderful day trip away - the beautiful town of Dumfries - where there's lots to see and do finished off with a meal and entertainment in the wonderful Hole In The Wa' Restaurant



FOR MORE DETAILS AND TO BOOK A FREE SPACE FOR COACH AND MEAL, PLEASE RING 669 0606 OR POP INTO THE OFFICE AT 31 BINGHAM AVENUE

Bingham & District 50+ Project

Bingham & District 50+ project provides accessible and socially inclusive educational/ health / fitness and social events for older people who live in the Greater Craigmillar area of Edinburgh.

Seeking £1015 to take 50 people for a day trip to Dumfries, including an evening meal and entertainment.



Tribe Party

A community coworking space and creative events hub social enterprise.



Seeking £1350 to develop the Party Process, a framework, which allows a diverse range of people from Tribe Party and the wider community to explore challenges that we face and build solutions together.



Family Circus Day

Sunday 19th June 2016



Full Cirque,
8 Baileyfield Crescent,
EH15 1ET Edinburgh

info@fullcirque.org.uk
www.fullcirque.org.uk
Visit us on facebook!

Full Cirque

Full Cirque is Edinburgh's circus centre situated in the community of Portobello. At Full Cirque there are classes in a multitude of circus skills ranging from juggling, acrobatics, hula hooping, aerial silks, trapeze and more for all age groups and all skill levels!

Seeking £1475 to publicise and hold a public even to offer taster sessions in different art-forms and have short performances and walkabout characters to create a fun-filled and circusy atmosphere delivered by our volunteers and teachers.



About



The Venchie is situated in Craigmillar, in the south east of Edinburgh, and provides children and young people in Niddrie with a range of play, recreation and issue-based youth work within a purpose built centre, on grounds of an Adventure Playground.

The building is accessible to people with disabilities, and is registered under the Children (Scotland) Act by Edinburgh Registration and Inspection Department. The building is well maintained and comprises an arts and crafts room, sports hall, and kitchen, office, meeting room / computer room and a large communal area to which all the other rooms are connected.

The building sits within over half an acre of land which makes up the Adventure Playground. This area has a range of high quality manufacturer designed fixed play equipment, an all weather pitch, a basketball area, swings and a sand play area.

The location, building and grounds provide an environment conducive to delivering a range of developmental opportunities for children and young people.

SEARCH 4 U!

 Search

RECENT ENTRIES

- Recycling Trip Part of our Community Project
- Our Community Project
- Easter Playscheme Week 1
- Egg Decorating
- Easter Playscheme 2016
- After School and Breakfast Club Easter Activities.
- P1 visit to Lego Exhibition at Museum
- P3 Group Mothers Day Activities
- February Break and Group Activities
- P1 and P2 Activities February 2016

TANKS

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- WordPress.org

Venchie Children & Young People's Project

We provide local children between the ages of 5 and 12, 390 hours of after school activity based sessions per year. We also offer holiday provision during school holiday periods. We base our activities on Children's rights, art and crafts, sports, Baking and outings in our minibus

Seeking £1500 to take 12 Children, who have never been on a holiday or away from their parent/carers and take them on a five-day residential where they can take part in Canoeing, Horse riding, Sea Xplorer fast boat trip, Gondola Trip up Ben Nevis,

JKC
Jack Kane Community Centre
"Bright ideas are the beginning points for new possibilities and actions..."

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Older People's Groups

The Jack Kane Community centre strives to bring new and rewarding experiences to all age groups. The centre offers a diverse range of activities for older people which includes lunch clubs, tea dances, socialising events and gentle exercise. All activities encourage fun, laughter and friendship.

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Jack Kane @jkmc3
Look out for Oct n about tonight on the streets of portobello
05 May

Older peoples 'Constantly Connecting'

The 'Constantly Connecting' group are older people who wish to offer interesting opportunities to other older people who reside in the Craigmillar and Portobello communities.

Seeking £1500 to arrange and hold 5 events which will be designed to make sure that older people have opportunities to access social events which increases their physical well-being, whilst combating social isolation.



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Transformation to Transition

Transition from Primary to Secondary High school can be both exciting and frightening at the same time. The centre offers a transition group to allow children the space to share their thoughts and feelings about moving to High School with older young people from the area acting as peer mentors. This group runs on Tuesday evenings, 5-7pm and is open to all children in P7

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The Jack Kane community centre

The Jack Kane Community Centre offers rich and rewarding experiences to children and young people from the Greater Craigmillar and Portobello areas of Edinburgh.

Seeking £830 to help 12 of the most vulnerable children identified from the local cluster primary schools and the Smooth Moves group over the summer by offering additional support including a residential break to Ardvullin near Fort William

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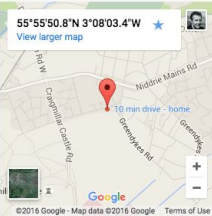
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Community Learning

Sandy's Community Centre

Address
76 Craigmillar Castle Avenue
EH16 4DW
Tel: 0131 661 4064
Email: Graham.Neal@ea.edin.sch.uk
Website:

Community Centre in Craigmillar offering a wide range of activities to the local community.



Activity search

Search for activities using a keyword like: computer, yoga, art, weekend, Broughton High. Used the advanced search for more options such as the day of the week or type of activity for example Art Appreciation.

Enter keyword to search

Any activity type

Search

> Advanced search
> Search for a venue

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Upcoming events

<p>Adults Arts & Craft Group</p> <p>Arts & Crafts group for adults</p> <p>Date term started: 29 Apr 2016 (8 days ago)</p> <p>Duration: 18 lessons - (16 remaining)</p> <p>View details</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sandy's Community Centre 76 Craigmillar Castle Avenue, Edinburgh Adult Learning Adult, 60+ 0.50 per lesson Fridays mornings 10.00 - 12.00
<p>Sandy's Green Fingers Group</p> <p>Grow vegetables in raised beds, composting, maintain and build local woodland, etc.</p> <p>Date term started: 28 Apr 2016 (9 days ago)</p> <p>Duration: 30 lessons - (26 remaining)</p> <p>View details</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sandy's Community Centre 76 Craigmillar Castle Avenue, Edinburgh Family Learning and Support Under 5, Under 12, Over 12, 16+, Adult, 60+ FREE Thursdays afternoons 12.00-2.00 & Fridays mornings 9.00-12.00
<p>Youth Club, P1-P3</p> <p>Tuesdays after school Youth Club for children P1-P3 from 2.50pm-4.50pm</p> <p>Date term started: 26 Apr 2016 (11 days ago)</p> <p>Duration: 8 lessons - (6 remaining)</p> <p>View details</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sandy's Community Centre 76 Craigmillar Castle Avenue, Edinburgh Children's Work Under 12 FREE Tuesdays afternoons from 2.50-4.50
<p>Youth Club, P4-P7</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sandy's Community

St Teresa's Youth Club

St Teresa's runs weekly Drop In Groups at (Sandy's) Castleview Community Centre where Young people from our local community (aged 9 – 16 years) can come to have fun, meet friends, chill out – all in a safe environment, Our groups offer different activities every week, including Pool, table tennis, art and craft, dance, sport and more!

Seeking £1390 to help cover the costs of the weekly programme including snack, art, craft, sports resources, storage, some small admin costs, also hall hire, volunteer training/expenses, also some outings costs and also tutor or coaching costs.



REAL BREAD FOR EVERYONE
VOTE FOR MORE COMMUNITY
BAKING!



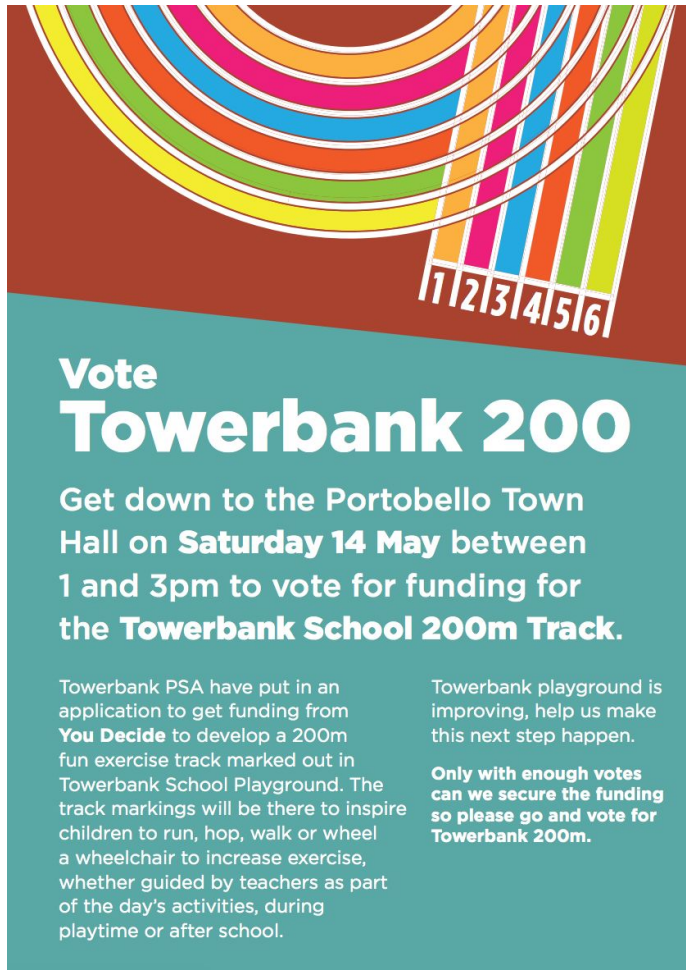
Help Breadshare to host 12 fun and affordable bakery days for 100 local people.

BRING YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILIES-
EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

Breadshare Community Bakery

We are a social enterprise running an organic community bakery and cafe in Portobello. Our social aims include getting as many people as possible baking and eating 'real' healthy bread.

Seeking £1500 to run 12 affordable and fun baking events for 4-12 participants to share the skills, ideas and confidence to start baking delicious healthy bread at home.



**Vote
Towerbank 200**

Get down to the Portobello Town Hall on **Saturday 14 May** between **1 and 3pm** to vote for funding for the **Towerbank School 200m Track**.

Towerbank PSA have put in an application to get funding from **You Decide** to develop a 200m fun exercise track marked out in Towerbank School Playground. The track markings will be there to inspire children to run, hop, walk or wheel a wheelchair to increase exercise, whether guided by teachers as part of the day's activities, during playtime or after school.

Towerbank playground is improving, help us make this next step happen.

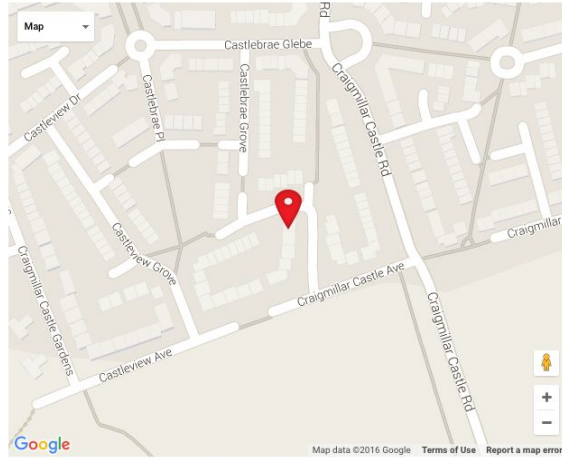
Only with enough votes can we secure the funding so please go and vote for Towerbank 200m.

Towerbank Primary PSA

The Parents Staff Association raises funds to provide additional resources for Towerbank Primary School.

Seeking £1500 to create a permanent, painted 200m fun exercise track in the playground providing inspiration and motivation for children to exercise regularly - running, walking, hopping, wheeling a wheelchair, etc.

Craigmillar Eco Housing Co-operative



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Updated: 06/05/2016

Craigmillar Eco Housing Co-operative is a group of Edinburgh residents who are working together to build ten new, highly sustainable and affordable homes at Greendykes Road, Craigmillar that implement a national plan for self-build and co-operative housing initiatives.

The project is designed to Passivhaus standards and a tight capital budget, aims to provide robust accommodation and reduce fuel poverty for residents.

Trading Address

19 Castlebrae Wynd
Edinburgh
Edinburgh, City of
EH16 4FH
United Kingdom

Craigmillar Eco Housing Co Operative

Local people getting together to partially build 10 homes for rent and working in partnership to research benefits.

Seeking £550 to help the group gain more skills. We will do this by networking with others in the Eco Field and travelling to training events in other areas. Any amount awarded would cover some of the costs for volunteers from our local community to access training workshops, study/research, admin costs and seminars relating to new technology within the eco field.



Portobello Toddlers Hut

Portobello Toddlers Hut is a self-funded registered charity which runs a pre-school playgroup for up to 50 places. Established in 1929, Portobello Toddlers Hut is one of the oldest community run childcare facilities in the UK.

Seeking £1500 to purchase new equipment for communal messy and creative play including sand and water tables and an art island.

Bringing pre-schoolers together to be messy, creative, interactive and to make friends at a new art island and messy play area at our well loved, much utilised, long established playgroup.

BRIDGEND INSPIRING GROWTH
 In partnership with
CoEC COMMUNITY LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT

A social hub, with low cost grub & fresh opportunities.



**QUALIFICATIONS, TRAINING, SOCIALISING,
 HEALTH SUPPORT, FUN - WORKING WITH
 THE COMMUNITY, FOR THE COMMUNITY**

Find Bridgend on Facebook - Bridgend Farmhouse or email bridgendbuild@gmail.com

See the
 cafe - You
 Decided on last
 years - on Youtube:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1m0OFZSDcc0>

Bridgend Inspiring Growth (BIG)

A community-owned centre for learning, eating and exercise at Bridgend Farmhouse which aims to create a range of educational and training opportunities for local people, create sustainable services, facilities and activities which promote engagement and interaction with the Craigmillar Castle Park and green spaces.

Seeking £1500 to provide training for young people and BME groups to run a cafe.



Kids in the Street (KITS)

0131-529-3111



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Play Fair in Sports and Take Care of Your Community with KITS!

The organisation owns a mobile sports pitch that is taken into communities suffering antisocial behaviour to allow local children to spend their free time more positively.

Why the community needs us

KITS provides a free well managed sports facility to the young people of east Edinburgh especially in areas where residents have experienced problems of crime and anti social behaviour

Our impact on the community

Project due to start in March 2010. Administration being discussed at the moment

Charity information

Kids in the Street (KITS)

Telephone: 0131-529-3111
Address: East Edinburgh Local Office,
Edinburgh, Edinburgh City, EH16 4DT
Established in: 2005



KITS Football School 2016

Kids In The Street (KITS) provides free football and sporting activities to young people who live in East Edinburgh, including free training sessions for children aged 5 upwards, indoor fitness sessions, bubble football, a full summer program and coach our local high school girls football team.

Seeking £1500 to provide water, fruit, a t-shirt, medals, lunch and professional coaching for children taking part in the KITS Summer School 2016.

SAY YES TO VOLLEYBALL IN PORTOBELLO



We want to create Scotland's first ever permanent beach volleyball facility by erecting **two permanent courts** on Portobello Beach.

The courts will be accessible to people of all ages and abilities, available for clubs, local schools and community use.

They will provide opportunities to keep fit and have fun in a brilliant outdoor environment.

They will provide curricular and extra-curricular opportunities for schools, whilst enhancing the school to club pathway for volleyball.



They will provide a venue for Scotland's National teams to train for the 2018 Commonwealth Games.

The courts will increase Portobello's profile, showcase our community to people from around the world, and enhance opportunities for local businesses by bringing people to the area.



Funding would go towards buying and installing the two volleyball courts.






Edinburgh Beach Volleyball Club

Edinburgh's first beach volleyball club, we provide the opportunity for people to experience, train and compete in beach volleyball.

Seeking £1500 to create Scotland's first permanent beach volleyball facility by erecting 2 permanent courts on Portobello Beach. Courts are for community and club use, available to school pupils for curricular PE.

SUPPORT VINTAGE VIBES!



- Loneliness and isolation is occurring all over Edinburgh, and is something we should all be concerned about. Loneliness can be as damaging to your health as smoking 15 cigarettes a day.
- Vintage Vibes is a fresh new service that uses friendly volunteers to reach out to over-60s, offering companionship, reliable support and the chance to be more socially connected.
- We're looking for support to help establish our service in Portobello and Craigmillar—making a difference to local older people.



- www.vintagevibes.org.uk ● t: 0131 343 0955 ● e: hello@vintagevibes.org.uk
Facebook: [VintageVibes Edinburgh](#)
Twitter: [@VintageVibesEd](#)



Vintage Vibes is a partnership between LifeCare Edinburgh, Registered Scottish Charity SC012641 and The Broomhouse Centre, Registered Scottish Charity SC003706.

LifeCare (Edinburgh) Ltd . Vintage Vibes

Vintage Vibes is a new service in Edinburgh, tackling isolation and loneliness among over-60s, using friendly volunteers to create long-lasting friendships, support and the chance to be more socially connected.

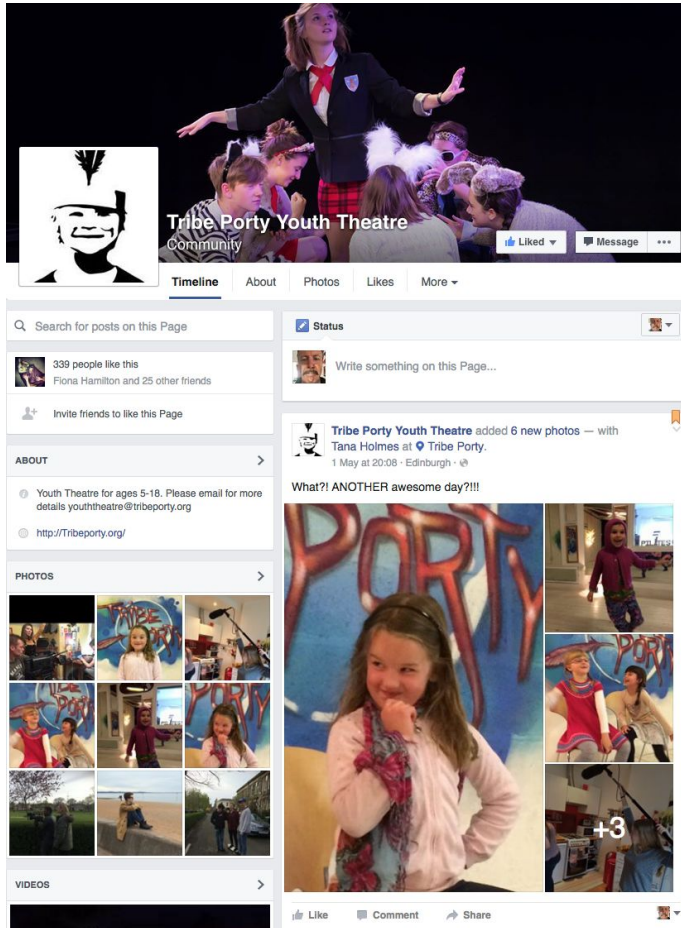
Seeking £1263 to organise a 'Vintage Tea Party' recruiting and informing volunteers about our Vintage Vibes project. Informing over 60s about our service, how it will benefit them by being less socially isolated.

17th July 2016	10am - 7pm
<h1>GIG ON THE GREEN</h1>	
Free hot & cold rolls and soft drinks games and prizes for the kids!	Old church opposite shopping centre contact 07513 770 259 Craigmillar Community Arts Centre 58 Newcraighall Road Edinburgh EH15 3HS 

Craigmillar Community Arts

We have a drama group on Tuesday nights 7-8.30 pm, music nights on Monday, open mic and karaoke on Friday 7-10 pm, Tuesday 10-3.30 pm Women's Group, Wednesday Disabled and Carers Day

Seeking £1000 to hold a 'Gig on the Green' with live bands, dancing, singing. We also have a kids and adults fun day, face painting, games with prizes and free food for all.



Tribe Porty Youth Theatre

A young & growing theatre company made up of children aged 3–18 which is now one of the leading Youth Theatre groups in Scotland that encompass all aspects of theatre, film, and television/online.

Seeking £1500 for the S5&S6 to produce a feature film dealing with teenage issues, and is giving teenagers from the community the experience to learn and develop skills in the television and film industry.

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