Latest PB News:

• <u>Gorebridge decisions for "Food, Glorious Food" – April 2017</u>

Local people in Gorebridge, Midlothian have voted in favour of funding 10 projects, all aimed at promoting healthy eating

• TSI Moray have recently held "You Choose" events – April 2017

The key priority was on tackling social isolation for the 60+ age group focusing on early intervention and prevention

• PB in Castlemilk: Voting to lower the cost of the school day – March 2017

On Saturday 18th March Castlemilk saw participatory budgeting with a twist. They called it 'community funding', but rather than being about a community of place this event was about funding for two school communities.

• Leith Links – March 2017

Table top presentations, community discussions and social voting for £400 - £2,000

• PB for Young and Old - Hurlford, Crookedholm & Galston in East Ayrshire - March 2017

East Ayrshire Tenants and Residents Federation use PB to benefit older and younger residents of Hurlford, Galston and Crookedholm.

• Young people take budget lead - Digital PB in North Ayrshire. April 2017

North Ayrshire Council worked with Young Scot's Localities Team to undertake one of Scotland's largest ever online participatory budgeting exercises exclusively for young people.

• Voting opens for Choose Youth Work in Edinburgh – March 2017

Young people in Edinburgh are being asked to vote on projects to deliver youth work across the city. During February 2017, the Council invited groups to apply for up to £10,000 to spend on youth work activity that will benefit young people between 11-25, either locally based or citywide.

- <u>Community members of South Lanarkshire</u> identified community led projects that promoted the well-being of children, young people and families.
- **Participatory Budgeting in Brechin** event held for projects that supported community health & wellbeing.
- <u>Perth Carers Voice, Carers Choice February 2017</u> unpaid carers voted on how to spend funding on projects that would directly benefit them.