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November 2020 newsletter

Dear SRC member,

Welcome all new members

Thanks to all of you who responded to last month's newsletter to confirm that you wanted to ***continue*** to be a member of Selkirk Regeneration (SCIO) and those new members who have signed up since then.

Board meeting

The next meeting of the trustees of Selkirk Regeneration (David, Jenna, Lawrence, Ken and on Tuesday 8th December at 10am. All members are welcome to "attend" this on-line meetir Contact david@dbethune.com if you want to join, and we will send you the meeting link.

Sustainable Selkirk
A project by SelkirkRegeneration

Many of you have already met the Sustainable Selkirk staff tear Iain and Kasha. Kasha's main role is to provide home energy a and visits, while Iain's focus is on "active travel". They are wi for 2 years, funded by the Scottish Government's Climate Chall Fund. Throughout the year, they will be organising a variety of activities and events. Details of these will appear on the project website at sustainableselkirk.org.uk. If you haven't already done so, sign up to receive project newslett full of advice, ideas and events.

42 Market Place ....

The Sustainable Selkirk team has moved into its new temporary base in the former Sparkies in the Market Place, and will be there until March next year, by which time the old fish shop ir Tower Street should be ready. You can call in at 42 Market Place to speak to Kasha or Iain a following times: Monday 10-2, Wednesday 2-6, Friday 10-2,

Home Energy Advice visits ....

A "visit" can be an actual visit to your home, or a virtual by "zoom" or by phone. There is no pressure - just free impartial advice, tailored to your own situation, which m help you to save energy, reduce costs and benefit the

environment. We encourage every SR member to take advantage of this free, friendly and impartial advice. To a visit, use the contact form on the project website.

Active travel ....

Travel is a major contributor to Scotland's environmenta impact. If you want to talk about active travel (eg e-bike electric vehicles or fuel-efficient driving), contact Iain on iain@sustainableselkirk.org.uk.

Update on 5 Tower Street

At long last, the renovation of 5 Tower Street has begun! We have the funding (thanks to the Landfill Community Fund, the Robertson Trust, the Fallago Windfarm Trust, SBC Localities Fund and the Selkirk Common Good Fund), and our contractors have moved in. We expect the work to take 4 months to complete, and then Sustainable Selkirk can move in there as its permanent home.

Community Energy Projects ....

Some of you attended a consultation meeting last October about potential community energy projects. We had a small grant from Community Energy Scotland to carry out some basic sc work, thanks to Ken Turnbull and Janis Cornwall. We now have a brief report on the finding which we can send out to you if you are interested. Please email david@dbethune.com to request a copy.

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