



## WCDC2019 Practice Exchange Tours

Following the main conference, you will have the opportunity to take part in a two or four-day themed learning journey to engage with community development in action in the east coast of Scotland. This will enable a deeper understanding of the context and practice of community development in rural and urban settings in Dundee and neighbouring areas.

### Thursday 27 June 2019

#### One Day Tour

Cost: £35 per person + booking fee  
(Choose one tour)

**Dundee – 9.30am to 4.30pm:**  
*Sharing Power, Fighting for Fairness*

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*Lifelong Learning, Learning for Life*

**West Fife – 9.30am to 5.00pm:**  
*Environmental Regeneration, Community Action*

### Friday 28 June 2019

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**Dundee – 9.30am to 3.30pm:**  
*Youth Leading, Community Growing*

**Dundee – 9.30am to 3.30pm:**  
*Community Development and Sport*

**North Fife – 9.30am to 3.30pm:**  
*Environment, Health and Social Enterprise*

### Friday 28 June – Sunday 30 June 2019

#### 2½ Day Tour

Cost: £375 per person + booking fee

**Highland Perthshire:**  
*Community Arts and Community Ownership*

## **Thursday 27 June 2019**

### **Dundee – 9.30am to 4.30pm: *Sharing Power, Fighting for Fairness***

Hosted by Dundee City Council, community representatives in the city, Dundee International Women's Centre and Faith in Community Dundee.

#### **ITINERARY:**

Please note that some elements of the tour itinerary are subject to change.  
Final itineraries will be communicated to booked passengers.

- Tour Starts:** **9.30am** from the Dalhousie Building, University of Dundee. (conference venue)
- 10.00am – 11.45am Hilltown Community Centre – Decentralisation Journey**  
The Decentralisation Journey - Dundee has an excellent reputation for effectively engaging with local communities to inform public decision-making. Local people from across the whole of Dundee will share their experiences and achievements of community empowerment. They come from a wide range of community representative structures and are key to progressing identified community needs with Public Bodies and the Third Sector.
- 12.00noon – 2.00pm Lunch at Dundee International Women's Centre Create (DIWC)**  
DIWC seeks to engage, educate and empower women from diverse ethnic and cultural backgrounds, to help them achieve their personal goals. It provides educational, recreational and social activities, as well as employment training, information and advice services for disadvantaged and/or excluded women from over 60 countries. DIWC works in partnership with many organisations to promote the personal development of women, by encouraging active participation, leadership and citizenship in society.
- 2.15pm - 3.45pm Hilltown Community Centre – Fighting for Fairness, Tackling Poverty**  
Faith in Community Dundee is part of Faith in Community Scotland and works with faith communities, mainly in the poorest communities of Dundee, as they tackle poverty and exclusion. Faith in Community aims to help build the capacity of local people so that they are more able to create an inclusive community where people can achieve more and have increased positive wellbeing.
- Tour Ends:** **4.30pm** returning to the Dalhousie Building
- Price:** £35 per person (+booking fee)  
[Book your place here](#)

#### **Package includes:**

- Return coach transfer from Dundee
- Morning and afternoon refreshments
- Lunch
- Facilitated discussion

#### **Cancellation Policy:**

More than 60 days prior to the event start date – 50% non refundable  
Between 30 – 60 days prior to the event start date – 75% non refundable  
Less than 30 days prior to the event start date – 100% non refundable

## **Thursday 27 June 2019**

**Dundee – 9.30am to 4.30pm: Lifelong Learning, Learning for Life**

In partnership with Dundee and Angus College and Dundee Council

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**Tour Starts:** **9.30am** from the Dalhousie Building, University of Dundee. (conference venue)

**Fusing the cultures of youth work and formal education together to create a unique chemistry!**

### **The D&A and CLD Partnership**

With so many external factors impacting the development of today's young people, a multi-disciplinary approach is required to ensure that their journey to adulthood is as healthy and seamless as possible. The partnership between Dundee & Angus College and CLD Youth Work Dundee is evidence that this works, and demonstrates our collective commitment to engaging young people in learning skills for life and work. We want our young people to leave school/college inspired, skilled, employable and able to cope with life's demands. Individually and collectively, we offer a unique mixture of opportunities: educational, social, cultural and recreational. We would love to share our approach with you!

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**West Fife – 9.30am to 5.00pm: Environmental Regeneration, Community Action**

Hosted by Fife Council and community representatives

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#### **Tour Starts:**

**9.30am** from the Dalhousie Building, University of Dundee. (conference venue)

#### **10.20am – Lochore Meadows Country Park**

*Context and Community Conversations: delegates and community reps in park walk / indoors if raining followed by lunch.*

Lochore Meadows Country Park has a fascinating history. The first signs of habitation in the area was approximately 4,000 years ago during the Bronze Age. Little remains of these ancestors but much more visible is Inchgall Castle which is found immediately upon turning into the park. Originally surrounded by water the earliest parts of the castle were built in the 14th century by Adam de Vallance. More recently, the area was home to seven pits - the Lindsay Pit which opened in 1873, the Nellie Pit 1880, the Aitken Pit 1895, Lumphinnans Pit 1896, Glencraig Pit 1896, the Mary Pit 1904 and Benarty Pit 1945. All of these pits closed between 1959 and 1966 and left behind a scarred landscape. Reclamation work began in 1967 and over several years the area was transformed into the wonderful landscape you can experience to this day. Hear about the regeneration journey from community activists and the community development work in post-industrial mining communities.

#### **1.30pm Dunfermline and West Fife villages**

The earliest known settlements in the area around Dunfermline probably date as far back as the Neolithic period. The area was not regionally significant until at least the Bronze Age. The town was first recorded in the 11th century, with the marriage of Malcolm III, King of Scots, and Saint Margaret at the church in Dunfermline. Robert The Bruce, otherwise known as Robert I, became the last of the seven Scottish Kings to be buried here in 1329.

Walk in the grounds of Scotland's ancient capital, and hear about community development heritage work, then take a trip to the West Fife villages to find out about the award-winning radical youth and community work that now defines community development in this area.

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**5.00pm** returning to the Dalhousie Building

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## **Friday 28 June 2019**

**Dundee – 9.30am to 3.30pm: Youth Leading, Community Growing**

Hosted by Dundee Youth Council, LGBT Youth Scotland, Hot Chocolate Trust, Robertson Street Gardens

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#### **Tour Starts:**

**9.30am** from the Dalhousie Building, University of Dundee. (conference venue)

#### **10.00am – 12.00noon Involving Young People, Youth Representatives, The Shore**

Through listening to young people a wide range of activities aimed at meeting their needs and supporting the voice of young people happens in Dundee. Youth voice and participation is strong and young people from a range of community groups and organisations across Dundee, young carers, LGBT, Youth Council members, Hot Chocolate will all share their experiences of influencing local and national issues using a world café style approach.

#### **12.00noon – 1.00pm Lunch at The Shore**

#### **1.30pm - 3.00pm Community Growing, Robertson Street Gardens, Stobswell**

The quality of local surroundings and the ability to access and use them have a fundamental impact on how people feel about and relate to the places where they live. Green open spaces that are well designed and purposeful are a hugely valuable resource and can create a sense of place and community, provide positive health impacts and opportunities for recreation as well as contact with nature. Dundee has invested in a wide range of community growing spaces involving many people who are socially isolated. This is an opportunity to visit a community growing space in central Dundee which has a high level of community ownership.

#### **Tour Ends:**

**3.30pm** returning to the Dalhousie Building

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## **Friday 28 June 2019**

**Dundee – 9.30am to 3.30pm: *Community Development and Sport***

Hosted by Dundee United FC, Dundee City Council, Leisure and Culture Dundee

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**Tour Starts:** **9.30am** from the Dalhousie Building, University of Dundee. (conference venue)

**Visit Tannadice Park**, the home of Dundee United Football Club to hear about the role of professional sports clubs in supporting local community development initiatives with Public Authorities in Dundee. Brilliant initiatives such as midnight football leagues for young people, walking football, women's football and anti-racism initiatives.

**12.30pm Lunch at Hospitality Suite**, Tannadice Park and Tour of the Ground

More details to follow about this exciting initiative connecting Dundee FC - walk the shortest distance between two professional football clubs in the world (they're just across the road!) And hear about how the Dundee Stars Ice Hockey team are encouraging health and well-being in the community.

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## **Friday 28 June 2019**

### **North Fife – 9.30am to 3.30pm: Environment, Health and Social Enterprise**

Hosted by Fife Council, St Andrew's Environmental Network, Men's Shed, St Andrews Community Hub for Low Carbon Living, Community Garden and Tool Share, Bike Project, Zest Community Enterprise Café

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**Tour Starts:** **9.30am** from the Dalhousie Building, University of Dundee. (conference venue)  
**10.00am St Andrews Botanical Garden – Environmental Community Development**  
A warm welcome awaits on arrival at St Andrew's Botanic Garden at 10.00am, followed by a tour of the Men's Shed Project, St Andrew's Community Hub for Low Carbon Living, the Community Garden and Tool Share project and the Bike Project

**St Andrews Botanics** - The Kernel is St Andrew's community Hub for low – carbon living  
This is a partnership between [Transition](#) University of St Andrews and [St Andrews Botanic Garden](#) and runs complementary practical "sharing economy" activities such as tool shares, bike share, and skillshares, including food growing skills.

#### **Men's Shed Movement**

Men's Shed are community spaces for men to connect, converse and create. The activities are often similar to those of garden sheds, but for groups of men to enjoy together. They help reduce loneliness and isolation, but most importantly, they're fun.

#### **St Andrew's Environmental Network**

This is a charity aiming to reduce CO2 emissions and cut household fuel bills in the local area. It runs initiatives addressing fuel poverty in the area as well as the environmental Green and Clean project .

#### **11.00 am - St Andrews Town Hall – Fuel Poverty and Men's Shed Initiatives**

Presentations from St Andrews Environmental Network on Fuel poverty work and environmental work in St Andrews and the Men's Shed initiative to improve health and well-being. Lunch in St Andrews Town Hall

#### **Zest - Community Enterprise café.**

St Andrews-based We Are Zest provides training and paid work for people with additional support needs to help them gain valuable work skills and maintain or achieve employment.

#### **12.45pm - 2.30 pm - Tour of St Andrew's**

**Tour Ends:** **3.30pm** returning to the Dalhousie Building

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**Friday 28 June to Sunday 30 June 2019**

**Highland Perthshire: Community Arts and Community Ownership**

Hosted by Perth and Kinross Council, Birnam Arts, Birks Community Trust and in partnership with Andrew Burnett and Co Ltd.



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**Tour Starts: Friday 28 June 2019**

**4.00pm** from the Dalhousie Building,

**5.10pm** Arrive Fishers Hotel, Perthshire - check-in

**7.30pm** Dine in the Ballroom

**Saturday 29 June 2019**

**8.00am Breakfast** served in the Ballroom

***Focus on community arts and transfer of assets.***

**09.30am Aberfeldy / Dunkeld Visit** – Guests split into groups and travel to Aberfeldy to visit the following venues

**Birnam Arts Centre**

A delightful multi-purpose arts, conferencing and entertainment facility centrally located in the picturesque Highland Perthshire community of Dunkeld & Birnam. Birnam Arts is a community owned and run facility with charitable status. This community facility has a welcoming community café and has over a decade's experience of successfully hosting a diverse range of Exhibitions, Conferences, Seminars, AGM's and Public Meetings in its' small theatre space and community cafe."

**Lunch at Birnam Arts Centre**

**The Birks Community Trust, Community Social Enterprise, Aberfeldy**

A community - led social enterprise nestled in the main square of the attractive town of Aberfeldy in Highland Perthshire. It is an award winning community facility with a café and beautifully restored art-deco cinema, described as "a Gem of Highland Perthshire". Audiences can enjoy the latest movie releases as well as viewing broadcast live events including theatre, opera and ballet

**8:30pm** Guests will dine together at East Haugh House

**Sunday 30 June 2019**

**8.30am Breakfast** served in the Ballroom

Morning at own leisure.

**11.00am Check out** luggage can be stored at the hotel until they depart at 12.20

**12.20pm Depart** from Fishers Hotel

**12.30pm** Arrive at Molin Inn for 2-course private buffet lunch (main & dessert)

**3.00pm** Blair Athol Distillery – whisky tasting and guided tour

Set in open moorland in the foothills of the Grampian mountains, Blair Athol's ancient source of water – the Allt Dour – flows through the grounds from the slopes of Ben Vrackie, contributing to the whisky's mellow quality and smooth finish.

**Tour Ends:** **Sunday 30 June 2019**

**6.00pm** return to Dundee City Centre

**Price:** £375 per person (+booking fee)

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**Package includes:**

- All coach transfers including return transfer to Dundee City Centre
- Accommodation (Friday and Saturday), Dinner (Friday night) at the Fishers Hotel (guests will pay for own drinks which can be charged to your room – you will need to show reception a credit or debit card so that the reception staff. The card number is only taken as security. Guests will be asked to settle their account upon departure. The hotel will only charge to credit/debit card if a guest was to depart without settling the account. Alternatively, you can pay at the time of ordering rather than charging to the room in which case you won't need to leave card details.)
- Lunch on Saturday, Private Dinner at East Hugh House, Private Buffet Lunch at Molin Inn (guests will pay for own drinks)
- Admission to Blair Athol Distillery for guided tour and whisky tasting

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## Payment

Payment in full must be received at the time of registration and no later than 7 days from the date of booking. In the event that full payment is not received by then, the booking will be cancelled.

### Bank details:

#### DOMESTIC:

<b>Account Name</b>	International Association for Community Development
<b>Bank name</b>	Bank of Scotland
<b>Bank address</b>	1 Castle Terrace, Edinburgh, EH1 2DP, U.K.
<b>Account Number</b>	00232803
<b>Sort Code</b>	80-11-30
<b>BIC Code</b>	BOFSGB21001
<b>IBAN</b>	GB50 BOFS 8011 3000 2328 03

#### NEW INTERNATIONAL:

<b>Account Name</b>	International Association for Community Development
<b>Bank Name</b>	National Westminster Bank Plc
<b>Bank Address</b>	250 Bishopsgate, London, EC2M 4AA
<b>Beneficiary Name</b>	Triodos Bank
<b>Beneficiary Address</b>	Triodos Bank, Deanery Road, Bristol, BS1 5AS
<b>Account Number</b>	20619561
<b>Sort Code</b>	60-00-04
<b>SWIFT / BIC</b>	NWBKGB2LGPL
<b>IBAN</b>	GB98NWBK60000410018573
<b>Reference</b>	20619561 IACD

## Travel Insurance

Travel insurance is essential for this programme. Travel insurance should be paid in good time to ensure you are covered if you are forced to cancel. You undertake the travel with WCDC2019 solely at your own risk. Organisers both WCDC2019 and the local hosts in Scotland will not be responsible for any unforeseen situations arising due to accidents, delay in train timings, etc.

You expressly agree to indemnify WCDC2019 and the local hosts in Scotland and its servants and agents and to keep each of them indemnified against any cost or expenses incurred or threatened to be incurred as a result of any costs, damages, expenses, loss or proceedings suffered or brought by yourself as a result of any act or omission whatsoever by any third party (whether referred to in these terms or not).