

What's New in Baldernock in July/August 2023 - Baldernock Community Council

www.baldernock.org.uk – provides information on Baldernock and its organizations as well as minutes of the Community Council meetings and Baldernock Trust. If you have something to submit, please email: baldernockcc@gmail.com

Annual Canvas for Register of Electors – 3rd July 2023 see attached poster.

Your Local Tennis Club – Your local tennis club now has a new committee, and we are looking for more members. There are exciting plans and ideas to revive the club, including tennis coaching, social and fundraising activities, and a new clubhouse. More details to follow. Please consider joining! Membership form attached. Please return to hazel.black84@live.co.uk

Dates for your diary

Sunday 2nd – Baldernock Parish Church - Service 12 noon each week with coffee/tea after Church on last Sunday of each month. Thanks to all who attended the church picnic. Church and watchhouse open every Sunday 2-4pm for visitors – come and see the interiors ,tapestries , banners and memorabilia .

Church interior to be seen later this year on the TV crime drama Shetland (starring Ashley Jensen) More details of the future of the church below.

Friday 7th July - 6.30-9.30 – ‘First Friday Gathering at the Golf Club’ with FREE golf taster session for children (P1 to P7) provided by Balmore Golf Club from 6.30 to 7.30. Advance registration for the golf taster is essential: the session will not go ahead unless there is sufficient interest. Please let Lesley know if your child(ren) would like to attend (at lesley.wiseman@hotmail.com or on 07810698678).

.Monday 10th – Meeting of Baldernock Community Council – 7.30 pm - Baldernock Church Hall, Balmore Village. All Welcome and please come and bring your

concerns and thoughts on your local area.

Saturday 15th – Ladies that Walk – details will be forwarded at a later date. All welcome and please contact handyannie@hotmail.com if you would like to join the group.

Friday 4th August – ‘First Friday Gathering at the Golf Club’.
The Golf Club bar will be open from 6.30pm to all Baldernock residents, young and old, to meet up with their friends and neighbours.

For the Future

September 10th – Torrance and Baldernock Heritage and History Group – Carol Primrose – more details to follow.

Delighted to announce the nomination of Paul Bishop for the EDC Champions Award.

<https://www.eastdunbarton.gov.uk/news/provost%E2%80%99s-community-champion-winners-2023>

Baldernock Community Council – next meeting July 10th – 7.30 pm in the Church Hall, Balmore. Please see minutes of our previous meeting on the Baldernock website. Do contact us with your concerns. baldernockcc@gmail.com

The Baldernock Trust - Better broadband for Baldernock - Over the summer months more and more addresses in Baldernock will be able to order a full fibre service as a result of Baldernock's Community Fibre Partnership. As soon as a property can access the upgraded network the Openreach team will be in touch with voucher holders to encourage them to order a full fibre service according to the terms and conditions of their voucher pledge. Once that full fibre service is installed, the UK Government (DCMS) will ask the voucher holder to confirm they have an active service within the property. Please make sure you complete this final step. Please keep an eye on the Baldernock website Broadband page (<https://www.baldernock.org.uk/broadband>) for updates. **Better community facilities in Baldernock** - The Baldernock Trust has been helping to make the Church Hall in Balmore a more welcoming space for community events. It has also been exploring

with EDC ideas for a new nursery building at the school (see Better Community Space in Baldernock at (<https://www.baldernock.org.uk/thetrust>) and any proposals will be shared with the community as soon as possible.

Online calendar of events - To help co-ordinate and publicise community events, The Baldernock Trust has set up an online, shared calendar that anyone organising a local event can use. Please contact Kate for details at katemenzies1@yahoo.co.uk.

New projects to benefit Baldernock? The Trust would like to support new projects or activities to benefit the community. If you have ideas, please get in touch at thebaldernocktrust@gmail.com.

Join us! If you would like to join the Trust or its board of directors, please get in touch at thebaldernocktrust@gmail.com.

Learn more... For more information about The Baldernock Trust please check out our Facebook page or information on the Baldernock website at <https://www.baldernock.org.uk/thetrust>.

Bardowie Sailing Club - Summer school is open for booking at Bardowie Loch, for adults and children (from 8) who want to sail. Classes are run from 09:30 to 16:30 on Monday to Friday each week, with children supervised by the instructors during the lunch break. Training will begin on 26 June, with subsequent blocks of lessons starting 3 / 10 / 17 / 24 / 31 July and 7 August. <https://cccds.co.uk/training>

Further News on Baldernock Parish Church -.The Church of Scotland Presbytery Plan has approved the continued link with St Paul's in Milngavie (for now) , subject to some improvements to the Church building to create disabled access and facilities . This means that a new minister of the linked charge can be called. In the meantime, Interim Moderator Rev Barbara O'Donnell continues to offer Sunday worship and pastoral support , aided by the Kirk Session**there are Sundays which are 'DIY' at church – where the Baldernock congregation take the whole service – next date 16th July** . So, if you are not sure about attending on a regular Sunday, please come along to this one – **more informal , shorter** and those taking part would appreciate your support. On support – did you know that you can become an adherent of Baldernock Parish Church ? If full membership is not for you , please enquire about becoming an adherent . This entitles you to vote re appointment of our new minister (and more) . Contact the Session Clerk Jamie Marr on james.marr3@ntlworld.com for more

information or speak with any Elder .

Roads – a useful site for checking on Road closures. <https://www.eastdunbarton.gov.uk/residents/roads-pavements-and-parking/scheduled-road-closures-and-road-works>

Baldernock Childcare - is open during the school term-time and provides nursery places for 2 - 5-year-olds every day from 9am until 2pm. Funding is available from East Dunbartonshire for eligible 2-year-olds and all 3+ year olds. We also offer Afterschool care to school age children. For enquiries, please contact 0141 9552343 or edbaldernock@glow.org.uk.

Helpful site to report fraud – national Fraud and Cyber Crime Reporting Centre 03001232040

Prayers – some local families and individuals are gathering on-line to pray for our community and beyond. If you would like to join this group or contact them, please email baldernockprayers@gmail.com

Points of Contact Email – Baldernock Community Council baldernockcc@gmail.com

Facebook – Baldernock Trust – including the **Trusts Swop and Share Facility** baldernockcdt@gmail.com

Twitter - @Baldernock

Note from Editor - *Baldernock Community Council collects, uses, and stores personal data such as names, addresses and emails, in order to pursue the community objectives, set out in our constitution and to keep you informed of community news and activities. All personal data will be kept securely, and we will inform you in advance of any data which will be shared with others. Minutes of a Community Council meeting are considered a public record and will be made publicly available and archived. Other documentation presented at meetings may also be treated in this way. Under the terms of the General Data Protection Regulation, you have various rights with respect to your personal data, including the right to access a copy of what we hold on you; have it changed or removed. Contact baldernockcc@gmail.com if you wish to do this or if you require more information.*

We may contact you by post, email, phone, or in person.

Please follow any instructions given carefully and take necessary action.



*Dunbartonshire and Argyll & Bute
Valuation Joint Board*

Our **ANNUAL CANVASS** for
the **REGISTER OF ELECTORS**
starts on **3 JULY 2023**

saa.gov.uk/dab-vjb/canvass

Anyone aged 16 or over and
living in Scotland can now register
to vote in Scottish Elections.

If you need to update your information
the easiest way to do this is on-line using
the links in any form or email we send you.

If you have moved address register now at:
gov.uk/register-to-vote

Contact your local office if you need further advice:

Argyll & Bute: ero-abc@dab-vjb.gov.uk

East Dunbartonshire: ero-edc@dab-vjb.gov.uk

West Dunbartonshire: ero-wdc@dab-vjb.gov.uk

From October 2023 you will need to show approved photo ID to vote in person at UK Parliament elections. Visit the website below for more info:
electoralcommission.org.uk/i-am-a/voter/voter-id

BARDOWIE LAWN TENNIS CLUB

Membership Form Season 2023

Dear Member,

Your subscription for season 2023 is now due for renewal. To ensure our records are currently up-to-date, could you please complete the details below.

Name:

Address:

Post code:

Mobile number:

Email:

Partner's name:

Emergency contact (name and phone number):

Children

Name	Date of birth	Sex (male, female, other)

Remittance	Sub-total	Total
Junior (up to 17)	£50	
Adult	£85	
Family	£130	
Social	£10	
Student/Unemployed	£50	
Voluntary donation to Club funds		
	Total	£

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

Please return form to Hazel Maxwell, Withinfield, Balmore Road, Bardowie, G62 6ES.

Please make payment to Bardowie Tennis Club, Account number 00144760, Sort code 80-08-98