

# Gateside

**AND  
DISTRICT  
COMMUNITY  
ASSOCIATION**

## Friendliest Village Party



The Village enjoyed a great day in each other's company on Saturday 22nd September. The lively afternoon football tournament was a great success and was followed by an evening at the Memorial Hall where friends and neighbours came together to enjoy the Gary Sutherland Ceilidh Band, as well as our own local talent of Eddie's

Garage Band, the fantastic Kevin McMahon and his unique magic, and the bravest amongst us had several turns on the bucking bronco and still have the bruises to prove it.

The children were high on sweets and sunshine, and even the big kids couldn't resist the ice cream van after a superb hog roast. The real credit for the success of the day lies with the willingness of the Gateside people to pull out all the stops. From the camper van that provided coffees in the park for the footballers, to the troops who spent hours puzzling out the marquee construction without any instructions, those who made an effort to decorate the hall and those who offered advice, manpower, lifts, equipment, time and effort, we would like to say thank you for making the village a worthy winner.

### Hall Improvements

The Hall now benefits from a fantastic new sound system with four wall speakers and a control board which can be linked to an iPod, computer or microphone. A big thanks to Eddie Petrie who organised all the equipment and installed it. The plasterwork at the front door has now been repaired and re-painted after the water damage it suffered last year, so the inside of the Hall is all looking much better.

### Christmas Fair and Coffee Morning - Saturday 8th December 2012

This year's Christmas Fair, coffee morning, held in aid of hall funds, will be on the 8th December from 10 a.m. to midday in Gateside Memorial Hall. There will be the opportunity to buy some wonderful, locally made and supplied gifts. These include items fashioned from Scottish woven tweed and linen, Holly Wreaths, Cards & Paper, amazing chocolates, spectacular original jewellery, Christmas crafts, Body Shop goodies and much, much more! There will of course be our usual excellent array of home made Cake & Candy (please bring offerings on the day). We will also be entertained by a special performance from the children of Gateside School.

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For comments on the newsletter and suggestions for future content please contact the Secretary of the Committee

## Forthcoming events

### Table Sale - 2012

Gateside Primary School is holding a Table Sale on Saturday November 17th from 10 to 12. Everyone is welcome! There will be teas and coffees available, a cake and candy stall, plant stall, and tombola. Anyone wishing to hire a table for £5 and sell their unwanted goods should get in touch with the school. Donations for the various stalls can be handed in to school on Friday November 16th.

### Christmas School Concerts

Gateside Primary School Christmas concerts will take place on Tuesday 11th December 2.00pm to 3.00pm. and Wednesday 12th December 6.30pm- 7.30pm in the Memorial Hall.

### Crooked Jack

Crooked Jack are coming back to do a Christmas Special on Monday 17th December in the Memorial Hall at 6.30pm. This involves songs that had everyone on their feet last time! Children are free, adults £1. Everyone is welcome for a good night's entertainment.

### Keep Fit Classes

Keep Fit Class incorporating, Step Aerobics, Boxercise, Circuits and toning are held in the Hall on Wednesday evenings from 7.30 to 8.30 p.m.. The cost is £2.50 per class. They are suitable for any age or stage of fitness. Further info contact Lorna on 07774 575 935 or email [lornamcaldwell@googlemail.com](mailto:lornamcaldwell@googlemail.com)

### AGM

The Community Association AGM will be held on 13th December 2012 at 7.30pm in Gateside Memorial Hall.

## Hall Booking

### Events

- Birthday Parties - for children or adults
- Wedding Receptions
- Anniversary Celebrations
- Concerts
- Classes
- Coffee Mornings
- Meetings
- Band Practice

### Facilities

- Stage
- Fully equipped kitchen
- Trestle Tables and Chairs
- Toilets
- Car Parking

### Hire Charges

Hire charges are very competitive and should be agreed and paid prior to the event.

### How to Book

Check availability and book on-line at [www.gateside-fife.org.uk](http://www.gateside-fife.org.uk) or Contact: Jane Macnaughton Telephone: 01337 860884

### Cancellation

If you have to cancel your event, please contact Jane Macnaughton as soon as possible.

### Office Bearers

Jane Macnaughton - Chair  
Teri Gillan - Vice Chair  
Susan Jack - Secretary  
Emma Morgan - Treasurer

Alan Wright - Hall Convenor  
Annette Petrie - Hall Keeper

### Committee Members

Michael Williams  
Sue Whisler  
Valerie Weir  
Alan Stewart

Committee Meetings      2nd Thursday of Month      7:30 p.m.      Memorial Hall