

Kinross-shire Decides!

The Kinross-shire, Almond and Earn Action Partnership is pleased to announce the opportunity for local groups to bid for funding of up to £1,500. Funding is available for community groups in Kinross-shire.

Local community groups can apply for funding to carry out projects that help to create a fairer place and give people a more equal chance in life. Perhaps you have an idea that would benefit a particular group of people – older or younger, people with disabilities or health needs, people facing poverty, or people who are isolated? Or perhaps your idea is something that the whole community could get involved in?

Funding will be allocated using “participatory budgeting” – this means that successful bids will be chosen by a public vote, to take place at Kinross Farmer’s Market on Saturday 22nd April 2017. The day will also be an opportunity for people to share their views and opinions of local priorities, to influence future activity.

Further details and application forms will be available from Wednesday 8th February (closing date 10th March). They can be found at www.pkc.gov.uk/communityplanning, or by contacting Tracey Ramsay on TRamsay@pkc.gov.uk

The Kinross-shire, Almond and Earn Action Partnership aims to tackle inequalities in the locality. It is a collaboration between local community representatives, Perth & Kinross Council, Police Scotland, NHS Tayside, Scottish Fire and Rescue Service, and other public services.

Similar opportunities are available to communities in other parts of Perth and Kinross – look out for details on the Perth & Kinross Council website and in local media.