

NIT News



May/June 2011

Welcome to the latest edition of NIT News. This bulletin will update you all on what the NITs have been up to and all the things we have planned. As usual, you are welcome to comment on (or volunteer for!) any of the activities we have coming up, or even share your ideas for things we could do in the future. Just email the team at getinvolved@coastlinehousing.co.uk.

Lea got married!



Lea got married on the 21st May at Porthtowan - she even invited the Coastline beach ball! It was a lovely afternoon and Mr & Mrs Cox will be off to Malta on their honeymoon.

Redannack Hut Opening

The Grand Opening



Ron at his BBQ!!



View of the Redannack hut!!



Redannack residents have a brand new community room to enjoy after it was formally opened on the 14th April. The building which cost £3500 to refurbish will be a shared space for coffee mornings and residential groups to use.

A crowd of residents gathered at the new building for the grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony.

"Until recently the building had been boarded up and unused and the community has been trying to get it refurbished for the past six years" said Ron Curnow, a member of the residents' association. The group stretches far beyond Redannack and they have received a lot of support from the local chapel, the parish council and us here at Coastline. So we look forward to hearing about all the events they will hold in the hut including coffee mornings, BBQ's, cheese and wine evenings to mention just a few!! Keep up the good work Redannack!!

Family Away Day - Action Team Meeting.....What happens Next??

After the success of the Family Fun Day in February the steering group have just met to start putting together another all singing and dancing event. The Action Team have agreed that they would like the next event to be in the same format as the February Family Away day and have agreed less is definitely more. We are also looking at holding the event at another local attraction and possibly at the end of the summer holidays.

We will update you regularly via NIT News on how the action team plans are going so watch this space!!!!

TPAS Awards 2011

David Titley was nominated and shortlisted to the final six for the TPAS South Tenant of the Year Award. He attended the Awards Evening in London with Jo Hopkins and Jacquie Pilcher where a great time was had by all - although sadly David didn't win. But a great result that for the last two years we've had a Coastline customer in the final shortlist.



Funding Action Team Update - A New Financial Year, A New Pot of Money.....

From 1st April 2011 the funding action team have received their new funding pot totalling £15,000. The action team have just had their first assessment meeting of the financial year and allocated £2,055.60 of funds to local community groups. The funds were broken down as follows:

- **Trengrouse Way RA** - Annual Support Grant - Group awarded **£264.00**
- **Tolcarne & Trelawney** - Small Project & Activity - Awaiting response from the Residents Association stating they will take responsibility for the shed. Once responsibility agreed group awarded **£300**.
- **Spinnakers** - Annual Support - Group awarded the full amount of **£285.00**
- **Troon Village Association** - Small Project & Activity - Group awarded full amount **£298.75**

- **Veor House** - Capital Grant - Action team have requested at least one other quote and ideally two. The application will be reassessed by the action team via email once additional quotes have been received. £880.00 has been requested.
- **Paynters Lane End** - Small Project & Activity - Awarded full amount of **£300.00**
- **Fibromyalgia** - Capital Grant - Group awarded full amount of **£639.35**
- **Strawberry Lane** - Annual Support - Group awarded full amount **£232.50**

There is £12,944.40 left in the funding pot so if you know a community group who would benefit from funding please get in contact with a member of the Neighbourhood & Involvement Team via 08082 027 728 or via getinvolved@coastlinehousing.co.uk

Resident Association Update

There are currently 20 Resident groups working together, to create a community and giving everyone the opportunity to get involved and tackle issues that affect them. We are pleased to confirm that Euny Close are continuing with an active Committee and now planning to find money to have a seat in the play Area.

The current training package through Coastline offers full support to the RAs and aims to encourage all to take an active part with confidence and taking new skills into their community.

New RA on the block is Harpers Meadow, Lewannick (HMRA). They have formed a group to help tackle some of the issues they feel they have on their new estate. Next meeting is on June 21st 2011

Community Cohesion

Community Cohesion is ongoing through the Golden Triangle. The group are actively seeking planning permission for parking areas within our Estates and consultation within the communities to ensure we are doing the right things!

What's coming up?



Highlights in May / June

- 19th May - Tenancy Sounding Board Meeting
- 23rd May - Trevithick & Murdoch Area Panel Meeting
- 25th May - South Kerrier Area Panel Meeting
- 26th May - HeatCare Action Team Meeting
- 27th May - Taking Minutes/Secretarial Skills Training
- 31st May - Painting & Repairs Action Team Meeting
- 1st June - Involvement & Empowerment Sounding Board
- 8th June - Customer Scrutiny Panel
- 13th June - How to fill a Coastline Funding Form Training
- 15th June - Home Sounding Board
- 16th June - Chair of Residents Association Meeting
- 23rd June - Editorial Action Team Meeting
- 29th June - First Aid Training for customers

Residents Association Meetings in May / June

- 17th May - Troon Village Association
- 18th May - Porthleven Resident Association
- 6th June - Paynters Lane End Resident Association
- 20th June - Camborne West Resident Association
- 21st June - Troon Village Association
- 27th June - Strawberry Lane Resident Association

If you have any events or information you would like to see in NITs News then please contact Leanna from the NITs at leanna.barton@coastlinehousing.co.uk



out for the next edition coming soon!!