

Fife Social Enterprise Network



The Road Forward

Monday 13th June 2016

Fife Renewables Innovation Centre

Ajax Way, Leven KY8 3RS

The future is now!

A journey for social enterprises and social entrepreneurs in Fife.

The purpose of the event is to engage all social entrepreneurs, social enterprises and stakeholders to consider the future of the Fife Social Enterprise Network.

The day will be a mix of opportunities to work individually, discuss in groups and review the thoughts and ideas of others. The aim is to give everyone the opportunity to get involved in a highly participative way, enabling you to have an input into shaping the FSEEN going forward.

Agenda

09:00—Registration & Coffee

09:30—Welcome & Outline — Bonnie Hacking

09:45—Derek Marshall—The Factory Skate Park

10:00—Susan Smith—Dundee SEN

10:15—Kim Wallace—Senscot

10:30—Panel Q&A

11:00—Coffee Break

11:15—Planning the way forward

Where are we now?

Where do we want to be?

Drivers and Barriers

12:15—Brainstorming Priorities and Actions

12:30—Clustering and Prioritising

12:45—Lunch

Facilitator



Bonnie Hacking is the Enterprise Adviser in the Careers Centre at the University of St Andrews and teaches in the School of Management. She is passionate about people and provides skills training, coaching and advice to entrepreneurs. She's worked with entrepreneurs who've built children's homes in India, sell bicycles online, manufacture food items and a whole variety of web based ventures. She is also responsible for the St Andrews Award, enabling students to develop their employability skills, through their extra-curricular and work related activities. She is a Director with Enterprise Educators UK.

Speakers



Derek Marshall worked as an operational firefighter for 17 years followed by 6 years as financial administrator for a charity in Dundee. Currently he is CEO of the Factory Skatepark & children's soft-play centres in Dundee which have won a number of awards for social impact and business over recent years. Derek has worked in the Social Enterprise sector for 16 years during which he has been involved in establishing a number of charities and social companies and raising over £4m for these enterprises. A social entrepreneur working in this country and Uganda he is constantly looking for opportunities to develop services and facilities for communities using fully sustainable business models.

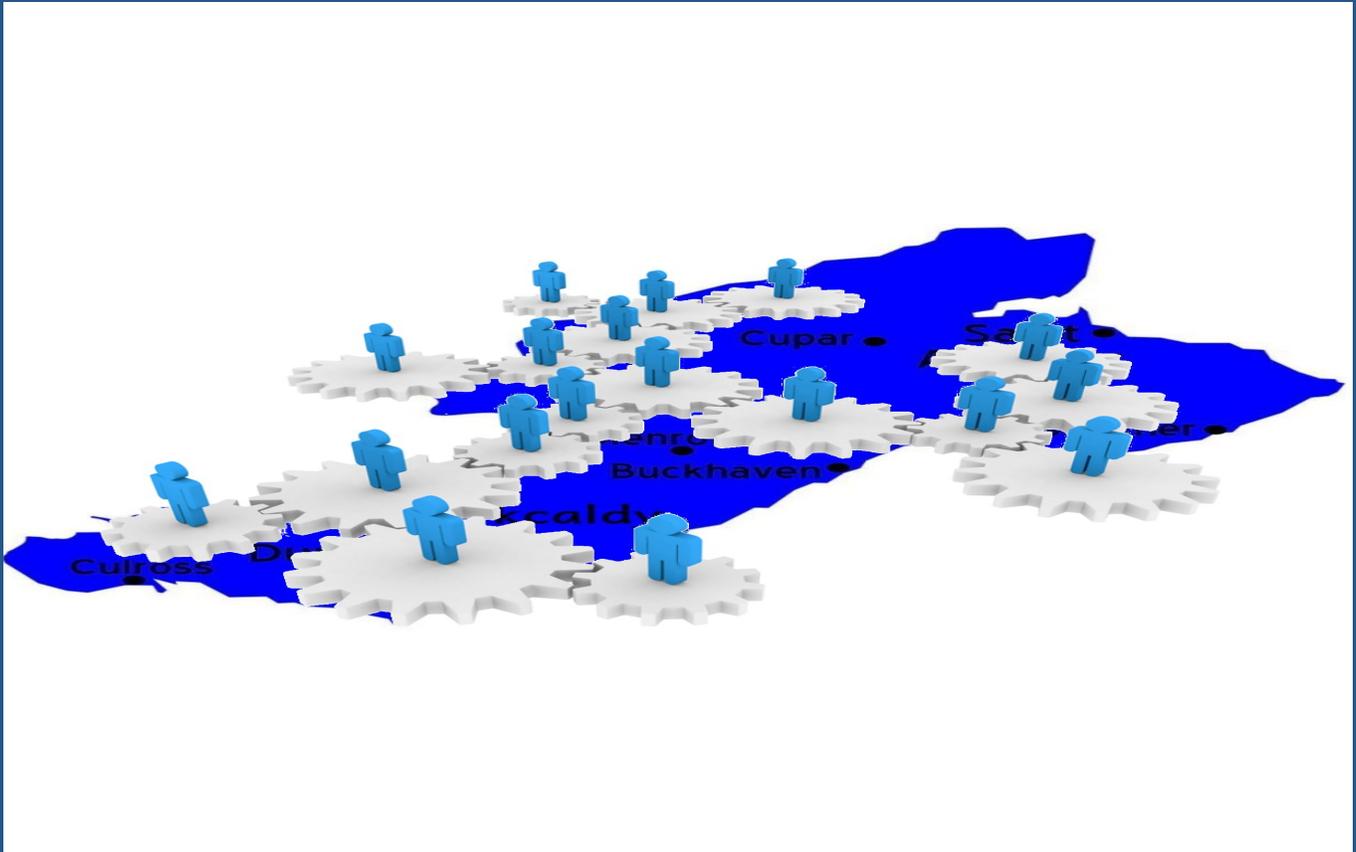


Susan Smith worked at Dundee Social Enterprise Network for 4 years and is currently the Chief Executive. The Network has grown its membership, its reach and projects that it undertakes in that time. The Network focus on support for existing enterprises to grow and develop, for new groups to start (including three different funds) and on a range of projects that open new markets for the members. DSEN is a partner in the Third Sector Interface. Susan successfully completed the Post Graduate in Social Enterprise through Glasgow Caledonian University to add to her Economics Degree. Developing a sustainable third sector is something Susan is passionate about.



Kim Wallace works with Senscot and is responsible for the Social Enterprise Network (SEN) activity. There are currently 23 SENs in Scotland – 18 geographic and 5 thematic which Health, Sport, Culture, Community Food and Employability connecting more than 1,000 social enterprises across Scotland. Kim's also been involved in the Ready for Business consortium which delivers Scottish Governments Developing Markets for Third Sector Providers contract. Kim has experience working in the public, private and third sector and has spent the last 17 years working in the Third Sector, including a wide range of employability projects, development work and European projects.

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