



Local Directory

August 2012

(minor updates to 26/9/2012)

Introduction

In this directory we have attempted to list the many local clubs, organisations and services available in the communities where we sell the paper. The directory does not attempt to include local businesses. This was a task too great for our team of volunteers but we have endeavoured to include traditional services like pharmacies, opticians etc. For perhaps obvious reasons, we also included our C&B News retailers. Whilst considerable effort has been made to make the directory accurate, The Currie and Balerno News cannot be held responsible for any errors or omissions. Inclusion in our directory is free of charge and we ask that you let us know of any errors, amendments or additions you identify.

Entries in the directory are in this format

Name and Date

Description

Venue

Meeting times

Contact 1; phone, email

Contact 2; phone, email

Website

The date shown in an entry is when the information was last verified. Information taken from an official public domain source, e.g. telephone directory or official web site is indicated by the letters PD.

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C&B Retailers

Co-operative Food - (Garage) 21/06/2012 PD

Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5JX.
Sunday: 9.00am-9.00pm, Monday to Saturday: 7.00am-10.00pm.
0131 449 6920
www.co-operative.coop/food/welcome/

Co-operative Food - Currie 21/06/2012 PD

8-9 Corslet Place, Currie, EH14 5LS.
Sunday to Saturday: 7.00am-10.00pm.
0131 449 2874

H&S Stores, Currie 30/06/2012 PD

120, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.
0131 449 2497

Juniper Green Café 10/03/2012

Newsagents: Paper delivery etc.
529, Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DE.
Pradeep 0795 038 3142

Post Office, Balerno 16/04/2011

Post Office (selling Euros and US\$ over the counter) with shop selling cards, stationery and gifts.
36, Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EH.
0131 449 3077

Post Office, Currie 03/02/2012

Post Office (selling Euros and US\$ over the counter) with shop offering cards, stationery and gifts.
190-192, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NX.
0131 449 2364

Ruth's Kitchen 25/06/2012

Tea Room: specialising in home-baking, light lunches, afternoon tea and special events. Themed evening dinners and private events, e.g. Birthdays, Anniversaries etc. Outside catering. Walking groups welcome.
563, Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DB.
Monday - Saturday 9.00am - 5.00pm, Sundays 12.30-5.00pm.
Ruth Shannon 0131 453 4343 ruthshannon123@btinternet.com

Saks, Currie 20/06/2011 PD

10, Dolphin Avenue, Currie, EH14 5RL
0131 449 3895

Scotmid Balerno, Bavelaw Road 24/06/2012

49/53, Bavelaw Road, Balerno, EH14 7AA.
Monday to Sunday from 7.00am - 10.00pm.
Ewan Hebson 0131 449 3646
www.scotmid.coop

Scotmid Balerno, Main Street 24/06/2012

6, Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EH.
Monday-Saturday 7.00am-9.00pm & Sundays 8.00am-8.00pm
Geoff Guthrie 0131 449 4237
www.scotmid.coop

Scotmid Currie 24/06/2012

7, Pentland View Court, Currie, EH14 5NP.
Monday to Sunday from 7.00am-9.00pm
Nicci Ross 0131 449 2854
www.scotmid.coop

Simply Fix IT 11/06/2012 PD

We're proud that SimplyFixIt at Juniper Green plays a very important role in the local community. In 2012 we were the official shirt sponsors for Currie Rugby and we have also sponsored a number of other local sporting clubs.
544, Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5EL.
Monday - Saturday: 9.00am to 6.00pm.
0131 446 5501 Email: junipergreen@simplyfixit.co.uk
www.simplyfixit.co.uk

Clubs or Organisations

10th Edinburgh and Lothians Girls' Brigade 25/06/2012

The Girls' Brigade is a Christian uniformed organisation providing a variety of activities and is open to girls from Primary 1 upwards.
The Ogston Hall, Balerno Parish Church.
Tuesday evening during term time 6.00-7.15pm.
Mrs Marion Milne 0131 449 4441 Marion724@talktalk.net
Balerno Parish Church Office 0131 449 7245 bpc-admin@btconnect.com

Balerno Bridge Club 29/06/2012

A local bridge club for members used to playing bridge but we do welcome players relatively new to bridge.
Gibson Craig Hall, 256, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.
1.15pm for 1.30pm start.
Sandra Renton, Secretary 0131 449 3527 sandra.renton@yahoo.co.uk
Ron Dow, Chairman 0131 538 2313 ronedow@blueyonder.co.uk

Balerno Chess Club 20/01/2012

Competitive and social chess. Teams in the Chess Edinburgh Leagues. All welcome.
Community Centre, Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EQ.
Tuesdays at 7.30pm.
John Shedden 0131 442 1613 jshedden@talk21.com
Eric Smith 0131 332 7454 eric@epsmith.f9.co.uk

Balerno Children's Gala Association 18/01/2012

A group of volunteers who meet to organise a two week event in May for the Children of Balerno.
Grey Horse Inn, Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EH.
Once a month, varying dates to accommodate members.
Denise Scougall (President) denisemscougall@btinternet.com
www.balernochildrensgala.org.uk

Balerno Fair Trade Group 03/02/2012

A diverse community group with Balerno Parish Church support. Promotes Fair Trade via events, school links and pursuing 'Fair Trade Village' status. All welcome.
Varies: please watch Balerno Post Office window for details.
As above, 5 - 6 meetings a year.
Jane Forster, Chair 0131 449 4166 j.forster43@virginmedia.com
Iona Binns, Secretary 0131 449 3594 iona.binns@blueyonder.co.uk

Balerno Folk Club 17/01/2012

Promoting traditional and contemporary folk music by booking quality folk artistes in concert.
Balerno Bowling Club, 5 Ladycroft, Balerno, EH14 7AG.
Last Tuesday of month except July and August.
Morag Dunbar 0131 449 5014 morag@scotland-tour-guide.co.uk
John Stirling 0131 449 3456
www.balernofolkclub.org.uk/

Balerno Footsteps 4 Fitness 19/01/2012

BF4F offers a varied programme of over 25 walks during term time. Monday Walks (2-4 Miles), alternate Thursdays (shorter walks 2-3 miles) and alternate Fridays ('Tortoise Walks' - 1-2 miles). For details of all walks contact BF4F (details below).
Contact Community Education at Balerno Community High School, 5 Bridge Road, Balerno, EH14 7AQ.
All walks start at 10.00am.
Balerno Footsteps 4 Fitness c/o Community Ed. BHS 0131 477 7733

Balerno Monday Club 19/01/2012

A general interest club for over fifties. Non-denominational but allied to Balerno Parish Church.
Balerno Parish Church Hall.
1st and 3rd Monday of each month, September to April, 2.00pm.
Trudy Allan 0131 449 4751 trudy.allan@yahoo.co.uk
Isobel Laing 0131 449 2316

Balerno Music Festival 30/05/2012

An annual Music Festival featuring a wide range of musical genres, including jazz, folk, classical and lots more.
Various venues - see programme.
Usually around the second weekend of October.
Morag Dunbar, Secretary via website
Richard M Henderson, Chair 0131 449 4484 via website
www.balernomusicfestival.org.uk

Balerno Out of School Club 31/08/2012

The club provides 50 after school care places for children attending Deanpark Primary School and pupils in S1 and S2 of Balerno High School during school term times. We also offer full day care to children living in the local area during some school holiday periods.

Balerno High School: Children are collected from Deanpark Primary School each day during school term times.

We are open from school bell time until 6.00pm Mon–Fri during school term times and from 8.30am to 5.30pm on school in-service days and during the February and October school holidays.

Kim Muir

07957 823 319

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www.northedinburghchildcare.co.uk

Balerno Theatre Company 20/02/2011

Local community theatre company involving children and adults of all ages performing musical theatre, pantomimes, plays and concerts on a regular basis.

Currie Community High School/Balerno Parish Church.

Tuesday and Thursday nights, 7.30–9.30pm.

Adrian Smith

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Sheryn Ali

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www.balernotheatre.co.uk

Balerno Village Trust 23/01/2012

BVT is a local Development Trust that works for economic, environmental and social sustainability within Balerno.

Current projects include the Farmers' Market, Sustain Balerno, Harlaw Hydro Project and the Walled Garden Project. Membership is open to anyone living or working in Balerno.

Richard M Henderson (Company Secretary) info@balernovt.org.uk

companysecretarybvt@gmail.com

www.balernovt.org.uk

Boys' Brigade - 65th Edinburgh (Currie) Company 20/01/2012

Youth organisation for boys from P2 through to S6. The 65th operates three sections and takes the Boys through to gaining their Queen's Badge.

Registered charity SC034640.

Gibson Craig Hall, 156 - 158, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.

Anchors (P2-P3) Thursdays 6.00–7.00 pm; Juniors (Thursdays (P4-P6) 7.00–8.30pm;

Company/Senior Section (P7-S6) Fridays 7.00 pm – 10.00 pm.

Jim Webber 0131 451 5112

isobelwebber@btinternet.com

http://65edinburgh.boys-brigade.org.uk

Colinton & Currie Pipe Band 19/01/2012

Community based, non-competing pipe band.

Guide hut behind Gibson Craig Hall, 156 - 158, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.

Wednesday at 7.00-9.00pm.

Mike Midgley

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Ronnie Grady

01383 626363

Ronald.Grady@scotland.gsi.gov.uk

www.pipes-aloud.com/colintoncurriepipeband.co.uk/

Currie & District Local History Society 08/07/2011

The society gives lectures, creates documents and has a collection of digitized photographs.

Gibson Craig Memorial Hall, 156 - 158, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.

1st & 3rd Mondays in month at 7.30pm.

Mr P D Cowlshaw (Secretary)

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Andrew Peden

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Currie and Balerno District Round Table 24/01/2012

Drinkers with a conscience! We are a group of friends that meet once a month, have a pint and work out how we can raise money for local organisations. We run Santa sleighs, fireworks and a range of other activities.

Tanners Bar, Juniper Green.

First Tuesday of each month.

Tim Dew

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www.cbdr.com

Currie Boys Club 31/01/2012

Our club offers opportunities to boys and girls to participate in organised football in a safe and friendly environment. Our soccer school caters for children 5 - 7 years of age.

Currie Community and Youth Club, 280 Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5RU and Currie Community High School.

Tuesday evenings, various age groups from 6pm through to 9pm.

Willis Scott, Club Secretary.

0131 477 2185.

willis.scott@blueyonder.co.uk

Gerry Butler, Club Chairman

Currie Country Dance Club 07/07/2012

The Hall, St Margaret's Court, 525 Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DG.

Wednesday evenings from 7.30pm. Normally commencing first week in October.

Pat McCarthy, President

0131 449 3051

patandbill28@btinternet.com

Currie East Neighbourhood Watch(CENW) 25/01/2012

A voluntary group which works with the Police and Community Council to reduce crime and promote good neighbourhood relations. Covers the area from Curriehill Rd to Muir Wood Rd.

Currie Kirk House.

Four Times a Year plus AGM. Dates and times on our Web Site.

chair@cenw.org.uk

www.cenw.org.uk

Currie Parish Horticultural & Industrial Society 11/03/2012

To promote a taste for gardening / handicraft work among amateurs resident in the Parish of Currie (Balerno, Juniper Green, Baberton, Blinkbonny and Hermiston).

Balerno Community High School.

7.00pm second Monday in May, June and 3rd Monday August. AGM normally in October.

Graham Thomas (Chairman) 0131 453 3294

Debbie Kerr 07747 841501

www.currieshow.org.uk

Currie Riding of the Marches 08/02/2012

We organise the annual ride which marks the boundaries of Currie on horseback. The Ensign and Equerry parade the Standard around the bounds and represent Currie at other Border town festivals.

The Ride takes place on the first Saturday in May.

Jenny McNair (Secretary)

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Currie Senior Citizens' Club 29/05/2012

All welcome - Homely Entertainment.

Gibson Craig Hall, 156 - 158, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.

Monday 2.00-4.00pm, Oct to May, holidays excepted.

Terry Gatenby (Secretary) 0131 449 2428

Mrs Jean Smith 0131 449 5596

Currie Sequence Dance Club 27/01/2012

Older age group doing modern dances with everyone doing the same steps in sequence.

Gibson Craig Hall, 156 - 158, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.

Thursday, September to May, 1.45-4.00pm.

Tom Masson 0131 449 2561

Shirley Neil 0131 449 2961

Currie Youth & Community Centre 20/01/2012

Community run venue / sport halls available for hire.

280 Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5RU.

Iain Burgess (Secretary) 0131 449 6224

www.currieyouthclub.org.uk

currieycc@live.co.uk

Edge Explorer Scout Unit 06/08/2011

Pentland District Scout Council is a registered Charity, Ref. SC042122.

Usually at 42nd Scout Hall, Forthview Crescent, Currie, EH14 5QR.

Fridays during term time, 7.30-9.30pm.

Owen Davies (Scout Leader) 0131 449 2952

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Flower Club: Pentland Flower Club 24/05/2012

Having Fun with Flowers through Floral Art Demonstrations and outings. No experience necessary, all welcome.

Balerno High School, Drama Theatre, 5 Bridge Road, Balerno, EH14 7AQ.

1st Friday of the Month, at 7:15 pm. Except January, February, July & August.

Lorraine McCafferty (Secretary) 0131 442 1076

Olive Quick (Chairman) 01506 433322

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Friends of Malleny 06/02/2012

A fundraising support group for Malleny Garden run under the auspices of the National Trust for Scotland and aimed at those who wish to take an active role in fundraising & attending organised events.

Malleny Garden, Balerno, EH14 7AF.

According to published times in members' Newsletter.

Mr John Peacock (Chairman) 0131 449 4553

Dr Yvonne Deacon 0131 449 2283

ydeacon@nts.org.uk

Friends of Muir Wood Park 19/01/2012

Our aims are to conserve and enhance the Park and its environment.

Meetings are held in Nether Currie Primary School.

Four times a year – see website for details.

Alistair Sutherland - Chairman 0131 538 4148

Ian Ireland (Events & Publicity Organiser) 0131 449 2321

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lanireland359@btinternet.com

Friends of the Pentlands 05/06/2012

The Friends of the Pentlands Society seeks to promote the conservation, protection, and enhancement of the Pentland Hills.
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 John Stirling - Chairman 0131 449 3456 J.Stirling@btinternet.com
 www.pentlandfriends.plus.com

Girlguiding Harlaw 20/01/2012

Girlguiding Harlaw, as part of a worldwide Movement, enables girls and young women to fulfil their potential and to take an active and responsible role in society through our distinctive, stimulating and enjoyable programme of activities delivered by trained volunteer leaders. Gatherings in and around Currie, Balerno and Juniper Green.
 Various.
 Girlguiding Edinburgh 0131 225 4154 admin@girlguiding-edinburgh.org.uk
 www.girlguiding-edinburgh.org.uk

In the Ditch Quilters 03/04/2012

A small patchwork and quilting group.
 Balerno Community Centre.
 3rd Wednesday of month, 7.30pm.
 Maureen Murray 0131 336 0053 maureenmurray@btinternet.com
 Carolyn Girvan 0131 449 4255 carolyn.girvan@blueyonder.co.uk

Jane Goulding School of Dance 18/01/2012

RAD Ballet, ISTD Modern and Tap. Classes for Pre-School to Advanced level.
 Balerno Community Centre, Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EQ.
 Daily.
 Jane Goulding 01555 661907
 0785 437 3173

Juniper Green School of Dancing 03/02/2012

Classes taught in Ballet Tap Modern and Jazz. Pupils from approximately 4yrs. Also introducing Heather Cooney, as our new Tap, Modern/Jazz Teacher. Heather has danced in Disney Resorts and for Fred Olsen Cruises. Display held in the Churchill Theatre every two years
 Juniper Green Village Hall, Juniper Park Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DX.
 Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoon/evening.
 Miss Anne Bangham RAD Registered 0131 334 7642 annebangham@yahoo.co.uk

Juniper Green Youth Club 14/09/2011

The club is for children who are in P5 - S1. The club offers a variety of activities such as games, arts & crafts, sports and trips.
 Juniper Green Community Centre, 1a Juniper Park Road, Juniper Green.
 Thursday evenings 7.00 – 8.30pm.
 Support Service Officer 0131 458 3751
 Dave Stewart 0131 333 1055 dave.stewart@ea.edin.sch.uk

Kids Insight 01/09/2012

An afterschool childcare service providing flexible childcare options. Offering collection from Dean Park Primary School and childcare up to 6pm. Full and part sessions available.
 Ogston Hall, Balerno Parish Church, Deanpark Brae, Balerno.
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. 2.45pm/3.15pm to 6.00pm.
 Suzie Erasmuson - Manager 0131 466 7761/ 07840753799 suzie@kidsinsight.co.uk
 Dawn Barrass – Deputy Manager 07528409223
 www.kidsinsight.co.uk

Lodge Colinton and Currie No. 1029 23/07/2012 PD

Masonic Hall, 1 Riccarton Mains Road, Currie, EH14 5PX
 0131 449 4256
 Andrew Young (Secretary) 01506 437986

No. 2463 (Currie & Balerno) Squadron Air Training Corps 22/01/2012

Want a real flight experience? Do competitive Sport? Target Rifle Shooting? Abseiling? Adventurous training, DofE and camps? No Problem. As a cadet you can do things others only dream about. Join us Now.
 Hall, Corner of Forthview Crescent and Currievale Drive (EH14 5QR)
 Monday and Thursday 19.00hrs to 21.30hrs.
 Officer Commanding No. 2463 Squadron ATC 0131 449 7449 (above times only) oc.2463@aircadets.org
 atc2463@btinternet.com
 www.2463sqn.org.uk or www.2463.jiggy.com

Octagon Club 18/05/2012

For adults with special needs and learning difficulties.
 Gibson Craig Hall, 156 - 158, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.
 7.00-9.00 pm Wednesday evenings, Mid Sept until June.
 Alastair Hardie 0131 453 3556
 Terry Maloney 0754 454 0116

Pentland Art Club 18/01/2012

The aim of the club is to encourage art in all forms. The club has talks by visiting speakers, demonstrations and work evenings, covering all mediums.

Balerno High School Art Room, 5 Bridge Road, Balerno, EH14 7AQ.

Tuesday evenings 7.30 to 9.00pm.

Peter Tuffy

0131 538 0249

ptuffy@tinyworld.co.uk

Pentland Bridge Club 24/01/2012

The club plays duplicate bridge and runs a team in the East of Scotland SBU League. We draw members from South West Edinburgh including Colinton, Currie, Balerno, etc.

St. Margaret's Hall, Juniper Green.

Thursday 7.00 -10.30 pm each week.

George Graham (Chairman)

0131 539 5775

george.graham00@btinternet.com

John Mendum (Secretary)

0131 453 3202

jrme@bgs.ac.uk

Pentland Caledonia Pipes and Drums 30/05/2012

We are a non-competing pipe band who will teach anyone interested in learning bagpipes, snare drum, tenor or bass drum. We have people of all ages and are very much a family band.

Balerno Community Centre, Main Street, Balerno.

Every Friday 7.00pm - 9.30pm.

Deeane Newton (secretary)

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dee20new@aol.com

Gary Newton (Pipe Major)

0131 449 5133

grynewt@aol.com

Pentland Ladies Probus Club 21/06/2012

Club for retired ladies.

Masonic Hall, 1 Riccarton Mains Road, Currie, EH14 5PX.

Fourth Tuesday each month September to April at 10.00a.m.

Barbara Hannaford (Secretary)

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Pentland Probus Club 24/01/2012

Social club for retired professional businessmen from Currie, Balerno, Juniper Green and Baberton Mains. Programme of speakers and outings.

Juniper Green Parish Church Hall, 498, Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DH.

First and third Wednesdays, September to May, 10.00am.

Leslie Hannaford

0131 453 3012

lesliehannaford@blueyonder.co.uk

Pentland Scottish Country Dance Club 20/01/2012

A small, friendly club. Newcomers welcome, no experience necessary.

Telephone to verify venue.

Tuesday 7.15 – 9.15 pm. From September to Easter.

Sheila Wilson

0131 449 4383

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Pentland Singers 11/05/2012

A friendly and supportive community choir with a membership of around 90. The choir members come together and share their love of singing with popular and well-attended concerts each year in early June and early December. No formal auditions.

Balerno Parish Church.

7.30 – 9.30pm on Tuesdays. Junior Choir, this meets on Tuesday, 6.00-7.00 rehearsing in the Church. Open to children P4 - S1.

Douglas McBeth (Chairman)

013 1441 5896

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info@pentlandsingers.org.uk

www.pentlandsingers.org.uk

Ramblers - Balerno & District Group Ramblers (Saturday & Sunday) 06/02/2012

Wide programme of walks and shown in What's On pages of C&B News. Car sharing encouraged to minimise environmental impact. Recommended donations from walkers to cover travel costs. All welcome.

Meet at Pentland View Car Park, Lanark Road West.

08.50 for 09.00am though occasionally earlier.

Euan Scroggie

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0776 233 2125

www.lothian-borders-ramblers.org.uk/Balerno.htm

Ramblers - Balerno & District Ramblers (mid-week) 19/01/2012

Wide programme of walks available from Keith Gordon. Car sharing encouraged to minimise environmental impact. Recommended donations from walkers to cover travel costs. All welcome.

Meet at Currie Library car park, 210 Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NX.

Wednesdays, 09.20 for 09.30am.

K Gordon

0131 449 2534

doreengordon41@yahoo.co.uk

A Blyth

0131 449 5020

www.lothian-borders-ramblers.org.uk/Balerno.htm

Ravelrig Riding for the Disabled 30/06/2012 PD

Our Objectives: To provide disabled people with the means to ride at the level of their ability, choice and ambition. To acquire, manage and support the resources; people, ponies, facilities and finance to achieve the objectives. To make available suitable training.

21 Ravelrig Gait, Balerno, EH14 7NH.

Office

0131 449 7994

ravelrigda@tiscali.co.uk

www.rda-ravelrig.org.uk/index.htm

Rotary Club of Currie & Balerno 09/07/2012

We are part of Rotary International, the world's largest community service organisation - fun, fellowship, friendship. We welcome new members and always need new project ideas. Why not join your local club and contribute your energy, skills and experience.

July 2012 to January 2013 - Tanners Pub, Lanark Road. Thereafter Baberton Golf Club.

6.00 for 6.30 pm Wednesday of each week (see website for variations).

Club Secretary

secretary@curriebalerno.rotary1020.org.uk

Club President

president@curriebalerno.rotary1020.org.uk

www.cbrotary.org

Scottish SPCA Edinburgh & Lothians Animal Rescue & Rehoming Centre 19/01/2012

Animal rescue and rehoming centre run by Scotland's animal welfare charity.

Mansfield Road, Balerno, EH14 7JU.

Diane Stewart (Manager)

03000 999 999

enquiries@scottishspca.org

Scouts - 31st Pentland (Juniper Green) Scout Group 23/01/2012

Providing traditional Scouting and challenging activities for boys and girls aged 6 to 14.

Scout Hall, 45 Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5JY

Beavers - Wednesdays 18.30. Cubs - Monday 19.00. Scouts - Fridays 19.00.

Mary Dick (Group Scout Leader)

0131 449 7043

Marydick@blueyonder.co.uk

Hamish Leal (Chairman)

0131 449 3288

hamishleal@talktalk.net

Scouts - 42nd Pentland (Currie) Scout Group 23/01/2012

We run a full Scouting programme for Boys and Girls with Beaver Scouts for 6-8 Year Olds, Cub Scouts for 8-10½ year olds and Scouts for 10½ - 14 year olds.

Scout Hall, Forthview Crescent, Currie, EH14 5QR.

Cubs (Monday 6.15 - 7.45pm) Scouts (Monday 7.45 - 9.15pm), Beavers (Tuesday 6.30 - 7.30pm).

Martin Elliot, Leader in Charge

0775 218 2793

martin.elliott@btinternet.com

Scouts - 51st Pentland (Balerno) Scout Group 23/01/2012

Scouting in Balerno (Beavers, Cubs and Scouts) provides challenge and adventure for young people (boys and girls) from age 6 to 14 - fun with a purpose.

Balerno Scout Hall, Ladycroft, Balerno.

Various evenings and times.

Lawrence Mitchell, (Group Scout Leader)

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Carol Saunders (Joining List)

0131 449 9315

carolsaunders1@hotmail.co.uk

Scouts, 172nd Pentland Scouts 17/08/2011

The Group has one Beavers Colony, Cub Pack and Scout Troop. It is joined with the Pentland Braveheart Explorers.

Juniper Green Church, Juniper Green Church Hall, 498, Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DH.

Scouts - Monday 19.15 to 20.45; Beavers - Friday 18.30 to 19.30; Cubs-Friday 19.00 to 20.30.

Neill Sinclair - Group Scout Leader

07050 263240

neillsinclair@hotmail.com

www.172scoutgroup.com

Stagecoach Theatre Arts (Edinburgh Pentlands School) 23/01/2012

Musical Theatre School, Drama, Singing, Dance classes for 4-18 year olds. World's largest school with over 1 million children taught in UK.

Established over 22 years. Proven premiere curriculum and confidence building.

Currie Community High School.

Saturday mornings during term time.

Steve Valvona (School Principal)

0131 449 9507 / 0794 4527163

edinburghpentlands@stagecoach.co.uk

www.stagecoach.co.uk/edinburghpentlands

Suntrap Gardening Club 25/06/2012

The club tries to be informative, not competitive, with talks and visits to other gardens.

Suntrap, 43 Gogarbank, Edinburgh, EH12 9BY.

3rd. Tuesday evening every month at 7.00pm.

Mr Dick Rudkin, Chairman

07799 114778

richardrudkin@blueyonder.co.uk

Gordon Erskine, Secretary

01506 872611

t.erskine611@btinternet.com

www.sos2010.btck.co.uk/

SWRI - Balerno 23/01/2012

Balerno Community Centre.

1st Tuesday of Month at 7.30pm.

Margaret Lindsell

0131 449 3921

mjlindsell@yahoo.co.uk

June Duff (president)

0131 449 4061

http://www.swri.org.uk/

SWRI - Currie 04/02/2012

Masonic Hall, 1 Riccarton Mains Road, Currie, EH14 5PX.

2nd Tuesday of the Month at 7.15pm. (Except July & August).

E.E.Smith (Press Secretary)

0131 538 1604

mrs_eleanor_smith@yahoo.co.uk

<http://www.swri.org.uk/>

SWRI - Juniper Green Women's Rural Institute (WRI) 24/01/2012

Local branch of Scottish national organisation for women of all ages, social meetings promoting rural skills and crafts.

Juniper Green Village Hall.

Second Monday of each month, 7.00 pm.

D. Johnston

0131 453 3741

dmj62a@gmail.com

I. Johnstone

0131 539 9886

isobel_m_johnstone@hotmail.com

<http://www.swri.org.uk/>

Young at Heart 22/03/2012

60+ group –appropriate gentle exercise and a variety of activities for older people in the area.

Balerno Parish Church Hall

Tuesdays 10.00am-12.00noon.

Sally Howie (Coordinator)

0131 449 7864

sally.howie@talktalk.net

Education**Heriot-Watt University 29/06/2012 PD**

Riccarton Mains Road, Currie, EH14 4AS.

Enquiries

0131 449 5111

enquiries@hw.ac.uk

www.hw.ac.uk/home/

School - Balerno Community High School 20/02/2012

Comprehensive Community High School.

5 Bridge Road, Balerno, EH14 7AQ.

Head Teacher

0131 477 7788

admin@balernochs.edin.sch.uk

www.balernochs.edin.sch.uk

School - Currie Community High School 30/01/2012

Dolphin Avenue, Currie, EH14 5RD.

Head Teacher: Kate Paton

0131 449 2165

admin@currie.edin.sch.uk

Community Education Office

0131 449 5922

curriecommunity@ea.edin.sch.uk

www.currie.edin.sch.uk

School - Currie Primary School 30/01/2012

59 Curriehill Road, Currie, EH14 5PU.

Head Teacher: Mrs Elizabeth Wood

0131 449 3359

admin@currie-pri.edin.sch.uk

www.currie-pri.edin.sch.uk

School - Dean Park Primary School 30/06/2012 PD

Non-denominational primary school associated with Balerno Community High School.

31 Marchbank Gardens, Balerno, EH14 7ET.

Nursery 9.00-11.35am, 12.25-3.00pm, FT 9.00am-3.00pm; P1-2 Mon-Thurs 8.50am-2.45pm, Fri 8.50am-

12.15pm; P3-7 Mon/Tue/Thu 8.50am-3.15pm, Wed 8.50am-3.10pm, Fri 8.50am-12.25pm.

School Office

0131 449 4529

admin@deanpark.edin.sch.uk

Head Teacher: Colin Russell

0131 449 4529

www.edinburgh.gov.uk/directory/13/primary_schools

School - Harmeny Education Trust Limited 01/02/2012

Harmeny School is Grant Aided by the Scottish Government and provides residential and day special education to primary and early secondary age children with additional support needs, whose difficulties impact on their social, emotional and behavioural development.

Mansfield Road, Balerno, EH14 7JY.

Neil Squires (CEO)

0131 449 3938

admin@harmeny.org.uk

Isabelle Guillot D'Hauterives

0131 449 5002

www.harmeny.org.uk

School - Juniper Green Primary School 30/01/2012

Local Authority non-denominational school serving the residents of Juniper Green and Baberton Mains.

20, Baberton Mains Wynd, Juniper Green, EH14 3EE.

Monday – Thursday 8:45-3:15pm; Friday 8:45 – 12:00noon.

Karen Noble

0131 442 2121

admin@junipergreen.edin.sch.uk

Arlene McNally

0131 442 2121

admin@junipergreen.edin.sch.uk

www.junigreen.ik.org

School - Kirknewton Primary School**30/01/2012**

21 Station Rd, Kirknewton, EH27 8BJ.

Head Teacher: Mrs Jean Fleming 01506 881461
www.westlothian.gov.uk/sitecontent/schools/Kirknewton

kirknewton.ps@wled.org.uk

School - Nether Currie Primary School**11/05/2012**

23 Thomson Crescent, Currie, EH14 5JR.

Head Teacher: Miss Sheila Nicol 0131 449 3140
www.nethercurrie.edin.sch.uk

admin@nethercurrie.edin.sch.uk

School - Woodlands School**30/01/2012**

Situated on a campus shared with Currie High School our school meets the additional support needs of Secondary School aged children and young people with significant and complex learning difficulties in the moderate to severe range.

36 Dolphin Avenue, Currie EH14 5RD.

Term Time.

Mrs Janis Mullen, Business Manager 0131 449 3447

Mrs Jean Wilkie, School Administrator 0131 449 3447

www.woodlands.edin.sch.uk

business.manager@woodlands.edin.sch.uk

admin@woodlands.edin.sch.uk

Faiths**Balerno Parish Church 27/01/2012**

To endeavour to achieve the objectives of the Church of Scotland one of which is that all people should know God and to encourage a warm and friendly atmosphere to everyone in our Church.

Balerno Parish Church, 3 Johnsburn Road, Balerno, EH14 7DN.

Sunday 10.00am.

Rev. Louise Duncan 0131 449 3830

Ken Bisset 0131 449 5812

www.balernochurch.org.uk

bpc-minister@btconnect.com

ken.bisset25@btinternet.com

Currie Baptist Church 29/05/2012

Local Christian fellowship involved in Sunday worship, Mothers and toddlers group, home fellowship groups, and youth group.

Currie High school and 16 Kirkgate, Currie – see website.

11.00am Sundays, other times – see website.

Kenny Galloway 0131 449 2722

www.currie-baptist.org.uk

info@currie-baptist.org.uk

lindaannanduk@yahoo.co.uk

Currie Kirk, Church of Scotland SC001554 26/01/2012

A church in the community, aiming to serve the community through worship, service, community groups and events.

5 Kirkgate, Currie. Contact Office, Gibson Craig Hall, 256, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.

Worship every Sunday at 10.00am for all ages.

Revd. Lezley J. Stewart 0131 449 4719

Currie Kirk Office 0131 451 5141

www.curriekirk.org

lezleystewart@btinternet.com

currie_kirk@btconnect.com

Juniper Green Parish Church 27/01/2012

Congregation of the Church of Scotland serving the communities of Juniper Green and Baberton Mains; a church for all the family with worship and other events for all ages.

Juniper Green Parish Church, 498, Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DH.

Sunday Services, 10.30am and 7.00pm.

Rev James Dewar 0131 453 3494

Charles Godon 0131 449 2670

www.jgpc.org.uk

jim.dewar@blueyonder.co.uk

Chasg@blueyonder.co.uk

Our Lady, Mother of the Church, Catholic Church 30/01/2012

Our Lady, Mother of the Church, Currie is the Roman Catholic Church serving the communities of Currie, Balerno, Juniper Green and surrounding areas. Residents new and old are welcome to join us for worship at the times mentioned below. You will be welcome.

Curriehill Road, Currie.

9.15a.m. (Monday – Friday), 11.30a.m. (Sunday).

Monsignor Tony Duffy 0131 443 1317

Father Tom Molloy 0131 449 2372

St Mary's Scottish Episcopal Church Dalmahoy 29/01/2012

Scottish Episcopal Church (Anglican).

Office – St Mary's Church Hall, Dalmahoy, Kirknewton, EH27 8EB.

Sundays – Morning Prayer 10.00 am, Sung Eucharist 10.30 am,

Last Sunday of month – Evening Prayer 6.30 pm, Wednesday – Said Eucharist 11.00 am.

Revd. Deryck Collingwood 0131 333 1312

www.stmarysdalmahoy.org.uk

St Mungo's Church, Balerno 27/01/2012

A lively and contemporary Episcopal church with a heart to serve its community.
 Balerno High School on Sundays - Church building in village during week.
 10.30am and 6.00pm
 Malcolm Round (Rector) 0131 449 9907
 Bill Thompson (Pastoral Assistant) 0131 449 9900
 www.stmungos.org

Malcolm.round@stmungos.org
 bill.thompson@stmungos.org

Halls**Hall - Juniper Green Village Hall Organisation 21/06/2012**

Manages Juniper Green Village Hall, providing a base for recreational activities for a wide age range from pre-school to senior citizens, as well as private parties, functions, exhibitions or fundraising events at weekends.
 Juniper Green Village Hall, 1a Juniper Park Road, Juniper Green EH14 5DX.
 8.30am-9.30pm Monday-Friday, mainly during term time, though some activities continue during holidays. Weekends by arrangement.
 SSO/Caretaker 0131 458 3751 junipergreen.villagehall@gmail.com
 Malcolm Brown (Chairman, JGVHO) 0131 442 1216 or 07767 773 514 malcolmbrown@googlemail.com

Halls - Balerno Community Centre 25/06/2012

Located in the heart of the community with a programme of activities for people of all ages and two large halls with kitchen available to let.
 Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EQ.
 8.00am-10.00pm daily.
 Alice Anderson, Chairperson 0131 451 5756 alicecanderson@hotmail.co.uk
 Dave Stewart - Edinburgh Council CLD worker 0131 333 1055 dave.stewart@ea.edin.sch.uk

Halls - Balerno Parish Church Halls 25/06/2012

The St Joseph's Centre, the Ogston Hall and the Shepherd room are available for hire for social events, children's parties or meetings. Kitchen facilities are available.
 2 Main Street, Balerno EH14 7EH.
 Jennifer MacDonald 0131 449 7245 bpc-admin@btconnect.com

Halls - Gibson Craig Halls, Currie 22/08/2011

The Gibson Craig Halls are available for hire for meetings, use by organisations and children's parties. There is a large hall, medium hall, kitchen facilities and a meeting room available. Parking is available on site for a number of cars.
 156 - 158, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.
 May Sutherland 0131 449 7747
<http://www.curriekirk.org/our-buildings/gibson-craig.php>

Halls - Juniper Green Parish Church Hall 21/06/2012

Halls for hire, large, medium and small, suitable for meetings, parties and other functions. Kitchen facilities available.
 498 Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DH. (with access also from Woodhall Avenue).
 Available weekdays and weekends.
 Ian Marshall, Halls Convenor 0131 453 4253 / 07772 512223 immarshall@btinternet.com
 www.jgpc.org.uk

Halls - Scout Hall, 45 Lanark Road West, Currie 03/02/2012

31st Pentland (Juniper Green) Scout Hall is available for hire for meetings, use by organisations and children's parties.
 It has all facilities and parking.
 45 Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5JX.
 Neil McEwan (Secretary) 0131 449 2772 neilandalison@blueyonder.co.uk
 Hamish Leal (Chairman) 0131 449 3288 hamishleal@talktalk.net

Health Care

Balerno Food Co-op 23/01/2012

Balerno Food Co-op offers a range of affordable fresh fruit and vegetables, as well as healthy eating tips, free taster sessions and recipes, to people in the Balerno area.

St Joseph's Hall, Balerno

Tuesday 10.30-12.15pm.

Denise Young, Project Worker,

0131 477 7733

denise.young@balernochs.edin.sch.uk

Vivienne Mackay, Community Manager

0131 477 7733

Vivienne.mackay@balernochs.edin.sch.uk

Currie - Lloyds Pharmacy 11/06/2012 PD

162 Lanark Road West, Currie. EH14 5NY.

Monday-Friday: 08:45-5:45pm, Saturday: 09:00am-12:30pm.

Manager

0131 449 3417

via web site

www.lloydspharmacy.com/

Currie Kirk Day Care Centre 11/02/2012

A social centre for frail & elderly people. Transport, a light breakfast, 2-course midday meal & entertainments are provided. Members are self-referred, or by GP, or social services.

Gibson Craig Hall, 256, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.

Fridays. 9.30am-2.30pm.

Mrs Elspeth Frame

0131 449 3603

elspethmary@btinternet.com

Mrs Sally Heron

0131 449 3452

sally.heron@blueyonder.co.uk

Dentist - Currie Dental Surgery 29/06/2012 PD

58, Bryce Road, Currie, EH14 5LD.

0131 449 2100

Dentist - Juniper Green Dental Surgery 29/06/2012 PD

577, Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DB.

0131 453 4038

Dentist- Balerno Dental Care 29/03/2011

To provide a calming, relaxed environment to help you achieve and maintain a healthy and attractive smile.

38, Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EH.

Reception

0131 449 5545

info@balernodentalcare.co.uk

www.Balernodentalcare.co.uk

Dentist: Riccarton Dental Surgery 07/07/2012 PD

Riccarton Dental Practice offers NHS dental care for Heriot-Watt University students. The majority of patients will have to pay for their dental care. Only patients in possession of an HC-2 certificate, or who are on income support or other benefits will be exempt from charges.

Heriot-Watt University Medical Centre, Edinburgh, EH14 4AS.

The Practice is open from 8.30am Monday to Friday.

Appointments

0131 451 3080

www.hw.ac.uk/health/dentist.htm

Edinburgh Sports Injury Clinic 03/02/2012

Therapies on offer include; Physiotherapy and sports therapy, chiropody, pilates, sports and remedial massage, reflexology.

350b, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 2LQ.

Monday to Friday 8.00am-7.30pm (outwith by arrangement).

Reception

0131 449 4422

edsportsinjuryclinic@gmail.com

Optician - Margaret Best Optometrist 03/08/2011

Family eye care, Contact lens specialist, DVLA eye testing, diabetes, glaucoma screening, comprehensive ocular health checks.

587a, Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DA.

By appointment.

Margaret Best

0131 458 5888

margaret.best@btconnect.com

Lesley Phung

0131 458 5888

margaret.best@btconnect.com

www.margaretbestoptometrist.com

Optician: ClearVue Opticians 25/06/2012

Provision of ophthalmic eyesight testing, domiciliary eye health care testing. We also have an in-house laboratory providing facilities for the completion of spectacles after sight testing, and a full spectacles repair service.

60, Bryce Road, Currie, EH14 5LD.

Open Monday to Friday 9.00 am to 5.00 pm.

Jim Syme or Pat Syme

0131 449 6889

pat.syme@live.co.uk

enquiries@clearvueopticians.co.uk

www.clearvueopticians.co.uk

Optician: Jack Brown Eyecare 31/01/2012

Local independent eyecare with no sales staff, only G.O.C. registered Opticians. Latest eyecare equipment, lenses, frames +contact lenses. Go to our website or call in to find out about our latest special offers.

Unit 5, Westside Plaza, Wester Hailes, EH14 2SW.

Open Monday-Friday 9.00-5.30pm. Thursday 9.00am-6.50pm. Saturday 9.00am-1.00pm.

Westside Plaza

0131 442 2333

westerhailes@jbeeyecare.com

www.jbeeyecare.com

Pentlands Medical Centre 30/01/2012 PD

44 Pentland View, Currie, EH14 5QB.

Monday and Friday 08:00 – 18:00; Tuesday and Thursday 07:00 – 18:00; Wednesday alternate 08:00 – 19:30 / 08:00 – 18:00.

Practice Manager

0131 449 2142

pauline.melville@nhslothian.scot.nhs.uk

Out of hours and day-time emergencies only

0131 449 6969

www.pentlandsmc.co.uk

Pharmacy - Balerno Pharmacy 23/06/2012

Your only independent Local Pharmacy. NHS & Private prescriptions; Delivery Service available; Homeopathic & Health remedies; Health Notes computer; Private Consultation Room; Minor Ailments Scheme; Chiropody.

24, Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EH.

Monday-Friday: 8.45pm-5.30pm (closed for lunch 1.00-2.00pm), Saturday: 9.00am-1.00pm.

Mrs C Lawrie (MRPharm) Pharmacist/Proprietor 0131 449 5477

clawrie@nhs.net

Pharmacy - Lindsay & Gilmour Chemist 11/06/2012 PD

Lindsay & Gilmour is a family run pharmacy group based across Central Scotland, Fife and the Scottish Borders.

2, Pentland View Courtt, Currie, EH14 5NP.

Monday-Friday 8.30am-1.00pm & 2.00pm-6.00pm / Saturday 9.00am-1.00pm & 2.00pm-5.30pm.

Manager

0131 449 2707

headoffice@lindsayandgilmour.co.uk

http://www.lindsayandgilmour.co.uk/

Pharmacy - Lindsay & Gilmour Chemist 11/06/2012 PD

Lindsay & Gilmour is a family run pharmacy group based across Central Scotland, Fife and the Scottish Borders.

536, Lanark Rd, Juniper Green, EH14 5DJ.

Monday-Friday 9.00am-1.00pm & 2.00pm-5.30pm / Saturday 9.00am-1.00pm.

Manager

0131 453 3130

headoffice@lindsayandgilmour.co.uk

http://www.lindsayandgilmour.co.uk/

Riccarton General Practice 01/02/2012

Heriot-Watt University Medical Centre, Edinburgh, EH14 4AS.

Monday-Friday: 8.30am-6.00pm. The Practice receptionist is contactable by telephone from 8.00am to 6.00pm, Monday to Friday.

Carol Pearson (Practice Manager)

0131 451 3010

carol.pearson@lothian.scot.nhs.uk

c.pearson@hw.ac.uk

www.riccartongeneralpractice.co.uk

Sports Active Treatment and Rehabilitation Centre 05/03/2012

Our team of professional and dedicated practitioners provide advice and treatment in Physiotherapy, Podiatry, Sports Massage & Sports Medicine. We also offer a range of sport science assessments.

Academy-discounted rates for Sports Active services.

Heriot-Watt University, Sports Academy, Riccarton, EH14 4AS.

Monday - Friday by appointment.

Liz Flynn

0131 451 8440

sportsactivetrc@hw.ac.uk

cse@hw.ac.uk

www.hw.ac.uk/sports/sports-active-treatment-rehabilitation.htm

Libraries

Library - Balerno 30/06/2012 PD

Facilities: - Gaming consoles; Induction loop; Photocopier; Fax machine.
Contact library for details of: Bookbug Sessions (0-4years); Chatterbox(4-12 years); Storytime(3-5years).
1 Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EQ.
Monday & Wednesday: 1.00-8pm; Tuesday & Friday: 10.00am-5.00pm; Saturday: 10.00am-2.00pm.
Balerno Library 0131 529 5500 Balerno.library@edinburgh.gov.uk
www.edinburgh.gov.uk/libraries

Library - Currie 30/06/2012 PD

Car park; Disabled access; Community room for hire; Display/exhibition space for public use; Toilets; Toilets for disabled users; Baby changing facilities; Wheelchairs; Gaming consoles; Photocopier; Fax machine; Currie & Balerno News archive; Local history displays from the Local History Society; Public access telephone for Council services; Library Link.
210, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NX.
Mondays & Wednesdays 1.00pm-8.00pm. Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday 10.00am-5.00pm;
Book Groups 1st Wednesday every month 7.00-8.00pm.
Currie Library 0131 529 5609 currie.library@edinburgh.gov.uk
www.edinburgh.gov.uk/libraries

Library - Mobile 04/07/2012 PD

The mobile library service offers a window to the full range of library services. You can join on board and choose from a wide range of books for children and adults. There are over 2,000 books and talking books to choose from - or request any of our 500,000 loan items for free and collect them on your next visit. All of our mobile library buses are fully accessible and wheelchair friendly.
Baberton Avenue (outside Primary School) and 280 Baberton Mains Drive
Mondays 2.25-2.50pm (Baberton Avenue). Wednesdays 3.10-3.20 (Baberton Mains Drive)
Edinburgh City Libraries 0131 529 5683 access.services@edinburgh.gov.uk
http://www.edinburgh.gov.uk/info/467/mobile_library_service

Other

Pentland Hills Regional Park 15/08/2011 PD

The Pentland Hills Regional Park is a living, working landscape, which offers great opportunities to experience and enjoy the outdoors. Sculpted by glaciers and water, then shaped by people's interactions over thousands of years, the Pentland Hills are a special place for everyone.
General Contact Address: Boghall Farm, Edinburgh, EH10 7DX
0131 445 3383 pentlandhills@edinburgh.gov.uk

Scottish Wildlife Trust - Red Moss of Balerno 24/06/2011 PD

Originally the bed of a shallow loch that existed in the early Ice Age, Red Moss is largely composed of peat built up over thousands of years. Its domed top is covered by heather, cottongrass and varieties of sphagnum moss. Dragonflies and damselflies inhabit the small ponds, as well as common frogs, toads and newts. The reserve is part of the Balerno Common SSSI mainly due to its Raised Bog habitat.
OS Grid Reference: NT164636, 2 miles South of Balerno.
Open all year but best May - August for flowering plants.
SWT 0131 312 7765 email via web site.
www.swt.org.uk

Police

Balerno Police Station 30/06/2012 PD

Open 09.00 – 5.00pm, Monday – Friday (no counter service 1.00-2.00pm).
15 Bridge Road, Balerno, EH14 7AQ.
General Enquiries 0131 311 3131 (24hrs) enquiries@lbp.pnn.police.uk
Pentland Team adivsntpentlandhills@lbp.police.uk
www.lbp.police.uk

Wester Hailes Police Station 30/06/2012 PD

49 Dumbryden Drive, Edinburgh, EH14 2QR.
Open 07.00am – 11.00pm, seven days a week (no counter service 11.00am-12.00noon, 7.00-8.00pm).
0131 311 3131 (24hrs) adivsntsighillgorgie@lbp.pnn.police.uk
www.lbp.police.uk

Political

Balerno Community Council (non party-political) 16/02/2012

Meetings open to all local residents.
Balerno High School.
First Thursday of the month at 7.30pm.
Trudy Allan
Ian Hynd
www.balerno.org.uk

0131 449 4751
0131 449 5081

trudy.allan@yahoo.co.uk
i.hynd@blueyonder.co.uk

Cllr Bill Henderson (SNP) 28/05/2012

SNP Councillor for Pentland Hills.
SNP Group, City Chambers, Level 10, High Street, Edinburgh, EH1 1YJ.
Councillor Bill Henderson

0131 529 4976
07718666466

bill.r.henderson@edinburgh.gov.uk

Cllr Dominic Heslop 21/06/2012 PD

Conservative Group Councillor.
The City of Edinburgh Council, City Chambers, High Street, Edinburgh, EH1 1YJ.

0131 529 4066

dominic.heslop@edinburgh.gov.uk

Cllr Ricky Henderson (Lab) 11/05/2012

Councillor for Pentland Hills Ward.
Visit my blog at <http://rickyhenderson.blogspot.com>. Follow me on Twitter - @henderson_ricky
The City of Edinburgh Council, City Chambers, High Street, Edinburgh, EH1 1YJ.
Surgeries: Clovenstone Community Centre 1st Monday of each month at 6.00pm; Currie High School 1st Monday (during school term) 7.00pm; Ratho Community Centre 3rd Monday (during school term) 6.00pm;
Cllr Ricky Henderson (Lab) 0131 529 3269 ricky.henderson@edinburgh.gov.uk
Balerno High School 3rd Monday (during school term) 7.00pm.
www.edinburgh.gov.uk

Currie Community Council (non party-political) 05/02/2012

Represents the views of the community on licensing, planning, public safety and other matters; organises meetings and events, including Currie Fair; proposes improvements to the local environment. See also: www.facebook.com/pages/Currie-Community-Council/162003307167929.
Gibson Craig Hall, 156 - 158, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5NY.
7.30 pm on the second Monday of each month.
Graham Dane (Chair) 0131 449 2771
www.currie-scc.gov.uk

info@currie-scc.gov.uk

Juniper Green Community Council (non party-political) 03/02/2012

JGCC serves Juniper Green and Baberton Mains, representing the views of the community to the city council and organising community events.
Normally Juniper Green Village Hall, but check website or C&B News.
Fourth Wednesday of the month at 7.00pm. No meeting July & August.
Cliff Beevers 0131 453 4517
Richard Watt 0131 538 0352
www.junipergreencouncil.org.uk

chair@junipergreencouncil.org.uk
correspondence@junipergreencouncil.org.uk

MEP - David Martin MEP 30/06/2012 PD

David Martin is a Labour Member of the European Parliament, and one of the six MEPs representing Scotland in Brussels and Strasbourg.
Midlothian Innovation Centre, Pentlandsfield, Roslin, Midlothian, EH25 9RE.
David Martin MEP 0131 440 9040
www.martinmep.com

david@martin.mep.com

MP - Rt Hon Alistair Darling MP 10/05/2012

Member of Parliament for Edinburgh South West.
CBC House, 24 Canning Street, Edinburgh, EH3 8DG
Constituency Office 0131 272 2727
www.alistairdarlingmp.org.uk

Alistair.darling.mp@parliament.uk

MSP - Alison Johnstone MSP - Regional List 30/06/2012 PD

Scottish Green Party
MG.06, The Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh, EH99 1SP.
Parliamentary Office 0131 348 6364

Alison.Johnstone.msp@scottish.parliament.uk

MSP - David McLetchie MSP - Regional List 30/06/2012 PD

Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party
M2.06, The Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh, EH99 1SP
Regional Office, 20 Spylaw Street, EH13 0JX 0131 662 8577
Parliamentary Office 0131 348 5659
www.david4pentlands.com

David.McLetchie.msp@scottish.parliament.uk

MSP - Gavin Brown MSP - Regional List 30/06/2012 PD

Party: Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party
M2 13, The Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh, EH99 1SP.
Surgeries are available by appointment. Please contact: 0131 348 6931
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Parliamentary Office 0131 348 6931
www.gavinbrown.org/

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MSP - Gordon MacDonald MSP - Directly Elected 06/02/2012

Directly Elected MSP for Edinburgh Pentlands Constituency.
The Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh, EH99 1SP.
Member of the Scottish Parliament 0131 348 5741
www.gordonmacdonaldmsp/info

Gordon.MacDonald.msp@scottish.parliament.uk

MSP - Kezia Dugdale MSP - Regional List 08/02/2012

Labour Member of the Scottish Parliament for the Lothian Region.
Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh, EH99 1SP.
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Pre-School Groups

Juniper Green Nursery Playgroup 29/05/2012

The playgroup aims to provide a safe and stimulating environment where the children can develop social and learning skills through free play and creative art work. Currently £8 per morning.

Village Hall, Juniper Park Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5DX.

Monday-Friday 9.15am-12.00noon during term time.

0794 855 4889

junipergreenplaygroup@hotmail.co.uk

Juniper Green Open Door Café and Toddler Group 29/06/2012

A group providing a welcoming, safe and fun environment for Parents and Carers.

Juniper Green Church Hall, 498 Lanark Road, Juniper Green, with access also from Woodhall Avenue.

Tuesday mornings during school term time 10.00am - 12.00noon.

Karen Berry 0131 538 1395

Inez Paisley 0131 538 1395

Juniper Green Tots Nursery 29/06/2012

Day nursery providing a safe, friendly and fun environment for children 6 months to 5 years.

18a, Foulis Crescent, Juniper Green, EH14 5BN.

Monday-Friday 8.00am - 6.00pm.

Pamela Gordon 0131 453 4229

info@junipergreentots.co.uk

www.junipergreentots.co.uk

Balerno Baby and Toddler Group 22/06/2012

A fun, safe and calm environment for parents/carers and children under 5. Weekly sessions include free play, crafts, song time and snacks.

Balerno Parish Church Hall, 3 Johnsburn Road, Balerno, EH14 7DN.

9.45-11.30am Term Time only.

Kate Gibb

katejag@aol.com

Compass Playgroup, part of the Dean Park Primary Pre-school Centre

23/06/2012

Compass Playgroup offers quality care and early years' education, in partnership with parents. We provide a happy, safe, child-centred and caring environment.

Dean Park Primary School, 31, Marchbank Gardens, Balerno, EH14 7ET.

9.00-11.45am.

Mrs Alison Chadwick, Playgroup Leader 0131 449 4530

ali_virgo@hotmail.com

Mrs Yvonne McEwan, Chairperson 0131 449 4530

info@compassplaygroup.com

Currie Playgroup 06/07/2012

Currie Playgroup is a registered charity, and a member of the Scottish Pre-school Play Association (SPPA), with whom it is fully insured.

16, Kirkgate, Currie, EH14 6AN.

Monday to Friday, term time only, 9.00-11.45am.

Amanda Gillespie, Play Leader 0131 449 2016

info@currieplaygroup.co.uk

Rachel Gibbs, Business Manager 0131 449 2016

www.currieplaygroup.co.uk

Minis at St Mungo's 31/01/2012

Group for babies and toddlers with their parents, grandparents or carers. Fun mornings with toys, crafts, songs and refreshments. £1 a session.

No joining fee or waiting list.

St Mungo's Church lounge, Ladycroft, Balerno.

Tuesday and Wednesday 10.00-11.30am.

Kate Yates 0131 449 9903

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Riccarton Playgroup 01/02/2012

Pre-school playgroup for 2-5 year olds.

59A, Curriehill Road, Currie, EH14 5PU.

9.00-11.30am offering lunch club and wrap around 11.30am till 12.30pm.

0791 7833613

Janiebanannie@hotmail.co.uk

The Village Playgroup 30/03/2012

At the Village Playgroup our aim is to provide a happy, safe and stimulating environment, challenging our children both indoors and out.

Balerno Community Centre, 7-11 Main Street, Balerno, EH14 7EQ.

Open 8.00am to 5.00pm.

Alice or Heather 0131 451 5756

info@thevillageplaygroup.co.uk

www.thevillageplaygroup.co.uk

Sports Clubs

Baberton Golf Club 31/01/2012

Members Golf Club. New Members Welcome. Visiting parties welcome.

50, Baberton Avenue, Juniper Green, EH14 5DU.

Club Manager: Keith A Nicholson

0131 453 4911

manager@baberton.co.uk

Club Professional: Ken Kelly

0131 453 4911

www.baberton.co.uk

Balerno Bowling Club 02/02/2012

Balerno's local lawn bowling club with fully licensed clubhouse with bar and function facilities that can be accessed by members and guests.

Balerno Bowling Club, 5, Ladycroft, Balerno, EH14 7AG.

Generally, 12.00 noon to 11.00pm with varying licensing hours between seasons.

Charlie Husband OBE

0131 538 5257

charlie.husband@blueyonder.co.uk

Ron Duguid

0131 449 3961

ronduguid@btinternet.com

www.balernobowlingclub.co.uk

Balerno Lawn Tennis Club 16/02/2012

The tennis club has two all-weather courts and is open to members all year. The membership year runs from April to March. The club offers junior and adult coaching, club nights and tournaments.

Balerno Lawn Tennis Club, Ladycroft, Balerno.

Members can play anytime; Junior coaching on Friday afternoons; Senior club nights on Wednesday evenings

from Easter until mid-September, 7.00pm till dusk.

Leslie Patmore, Secretary

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A Forsyth

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Currie & Balerno Curling Club 06/02/2012

Secretary, Jenny Barr

0131 449 6492

jenny.barr@virgin.net

www.candbcurling.co.uk

Currie Badminton Club 01/02/2012

Competitive, Heather League, and social club. New members aged 16 years and over welcome.

Currie Community High School, new sports hall.

Monday, September to May, 7.30pm.

Jeanette Horsham

0131 442 1612

Currie Basketball Club 29/05/2012

Male Club for Secondary school up to senior.

Currie Youth Club.

Wednesday Evenings 7:00 till 9:00pm.

Eddy O'Hare

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Currie Bowling Club 31/01/2012

To provide bowling facilities for the recreation of Members and to foster the game of bowls.

Currie Bowling Club, Lanark Road West, Currie, EH14 5RT.

Bowling from middle of April to end of September, open all year for social activities.

Club House

0131 449 2668

secretarycbc@hotmail.co.uk

Alex. W. Neill, Hon. Secretary

01506 883557

Currie Rugby Football Club 12/05/2012

Rugby for all ages 5 to 35. We run 9 youth teams and 3 senior teams, Premier1 champions 2009/10.

Malleny Park, Balerno, EH14 7AF.

Most Saturdays and Sundays during the rugby season.

John Muir (President)

0131 333 1209

johnfreelands@aol.com

Donna Collins (Administrator)

0131 449 2432

www.currierfc.co.uk

Currie Star FC 14/02/2012

We are a progressive community football club for boys and girls. Based at Dovecot Park, Kingsknowe. We currently have teams at all age groups from the Soccer School for the 5 – 7 age group to Under 19 level.

Dovecot Park, Kingsknowe and Currie High School.

Training midweek. Matches on Sundays.

David McLellan (Secretary)

07952 111 464

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Grove Amateur Swimming Club 12/02/2012

Grove welcomes children aged around 6-17, aiming to improve their swimming abilities beyond the standard of lessons. Some may enter galas, all should improve their stamina & stroke development, while having fun in a safe, friendly & relaxed environment.

Dalry Swim Centre, Caledonian Crescent, Edinburgh.

Mondays & Thursdays 8.00 to 9.30 pm.

David Kelly

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groveasc@gmail.com

Harmeny Athletic Club 13/05/2012

Athletics club based in Balerno for children from age 8 to adults. Juniors compete in track & field disciplines plus cross country. Adult jogging and advanced groups cover full range of abilities.

Juniors: Balerno High School (Games Hall), Mondays and Wednesdays 6.00 – 7.00pm

Adult runners: Balerno High School (Car Park). Sundays 10.00am, Wednesdays 7.00pm

Other times organised for smaller groups (check website): Saughton Track: Sprint and endurance work for older juniors, Thursday 6.45 - 7.45pm.

Bob Douglas (juniors & adults) 0131 449 6105 enquiries@harmenyac.org.uk
Norma Bone (adult jogging groups) 0131 449 2384 normabone@blueyonder.co.uk
www.harmenyac.org.uk / www.pentlandrunners.org.uk

Hatton Sports Clubs 28/05/2012

Tennis and Squash Club catering for both social and competitive players. Junior and Adult memberships.

On A71 at Burnwynd, Kirknewton, EH27 8EA.

Secretary 0131 449 5314 hattonsec@gmail.com
www.hattonsportsclub.com

Inverleith Hockey Club 01/02/2012

Hockey Club catering for both men and women of all ages and standards. Mid-week training and Saturday games.

East Fettes Avenue.

Times vary depending on which team is training.

Robin McLaren – President president@inverleith-hc.co.uk
www.inverleith-hc.co.uk

Juniper Green Bowling Club 03/02/2012

New members welcome from Juniors to Adult.

600, Lanark Road, Juniper Green, EH14 5EN.

Peter Lennie (Secretary) sec.junipergreenbc@hotmail.com
Charlie Boyle junipergreenbc@sky.com
www.junipergreenbowlingclub.co.uk

Juniper Green Tennis Club 28/11/2011

A family club with two blaise courts and toilet / tea preparation facilities in the clubhouse. Table tennis table.

Baberton Avenue, Juniper Green.

Always.

David Smith 0131 453 1100 junipergreentennisclub@live.co.uk
Jan Richards 0131 442 2154 junipergreentennisclub@live.co.uk
www.junipertennis.org

Pentland Ladies Curling Club 25/06/2012

PLCC is a friendly group of curlers playing at club level. We welcome new members at any time.

Murrayfield Ice Rink.

Every Wednesday at 12.30pm-2.30pm.

Ruth Miller (President) 0131 229 8208 rmiller1211@hotmail.co.uk
Ellice Cackett (Secretary) 0131 663 5619 ellicecackett@btinternet.com

Pentland Rhythmic Gymnastics 09/02/2012

We are a rhythmic gymnastics group who cater for a range of ages and abilities. We have a large number of gymnasts who compete at local and national level.

Currie Community High School.

Wednesday at 6.00pm.

Pauline White 07411 982860 paulinewhite@blueyonder.co.uk

Tora-kai Karate 31/01/2012

Learn a challenging new skill which will improve fitness, self-confidence, discipline and respect. First lesson free.

Currie Community High School.

Monday 7.30pm.

Sensei Robert Redpath, 5th Dan 0131 445 2945 or 0778 3922453
www.tora-kai.co.uk

Torphin Hill Golf Club 31/01/2012

18 hole Golf Course, Memberships available, £399 for full membership. Other categories available on request. Visitors welcome, Golf Cars for hire.

39, Torphin Road, Edinburgh, EH13 0PG.

The Clubhouse 0131 441 1100 Torphinhillgc@unicombox.com
The Office 0131 441 7166
www.torphinhill.com

United Kingdom Taekwon-Do Centres & Little Tiger Cubs 21/06/2012

Master Harkess runs the biggest Taekwon-Do group in Scotland with over 10,000 members. We have beginner and advanced classes for children (aged 5+) and adults across Edinburgh and Midlothian. We also have Little Tiger Cubs classes for kids (3-5 yrs), which is the fun and safe martial arts training programme mixed with games and a reward system with stickers, tiger stripes, and certificates.

We have classes at venues throughout Edinburgh and the Lothians.
Classes take place Monday-Saturday in the afternoon and evenings.

Master Harkess 0131 445 1759
www.masterharkess.com & www.littletigercubs.com

info@masterharkess.co.uk

West Lothian Artistic Gymnastics Club 21/06/2012

We offer gymnastics classes in our full time facility for girls and boys from absolute beginners to international performance. We run classes for children from 18months to 18+ years. We also offer a development programme for young people wishing to take up gymnastics coaching as a volunteer or as a career choice.

Craigwillow Centre, Craigshill Road, Livingston, West Lothian EH54 5LU

An extensive class programme runs Monday-Saturday.

Ruth Griffin 07941 386965

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