

**COMMUNITY CHOICES FUND VOTING EVENTS**  
**January to March 2017**

**Listed alphabetically by organisation leading the Community Choices programme**  
**Note: List does not include all organisations as some events still to be confirmed**

<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Project Title &amp; Summary</b>	<b>Voting Event Date</b>	<b>Venue</b>
<p>Aberdeen City Council &amp; Community Planning Aberdeen</p>	<p><b>U Decide</b></p> <p>Locality Planning Participatory Budgeting Process.</p> <p>This PB Project will be an essential part of Community Planning Aberdeen's Locality Planning agenda and will tie in closely with the development of Locality plans and effective community participation throughout the Locality planning process.</p> <p>The PB events will take place in the most deprived neighbourhoods in the City, involving 44,000 local residents, and will involve the use of a digital platform</p> <p><a href="https://aberdeen.participare.io">https://aberdeen.participare.io</a></p>	<p>Locality 1 Voting launch event 25.2.17 1-3pm</p> <p>Locality 1 Results presentation 11.3.17 1-3</p> <p>Locality 2 Voting launch event 4.2.17 2-5pm</p> <p>Locality 2 Roadshow 16.2.17</p> <p>Locality 2 Roadshow 2 7.2.17</p> <p>Locality 2 Roadshow 3 8.2.17</p> <p>Locality 2 Results presentation 11.3.17</p> <p>Locality 3 Voting event 15.2.17 10am-1pm</p> <p>Locality 3 Voting event 18.2.17 11am-1pm</p>	<p>Torry Academy</p> <p>Torry Academy</p> <p>Northfield Academy</p> <p>Northfield Academy</p> <p>Northfield Academy</p> <p>Northfield Community Centre</p> <p>TBC</p> <p>Aberdeen Lads Club</p> <p>Woodside Community Centre</p>

		<p>Locality 3 voting event 23.2.17 1-4pm</p> <p>Locality 3 Results presentation 4.3.17 2pm</p>	<p>Seaton Learning Centre</p> <p>TBC</p>
<p>Burnfoot Community Futures Housing, Hawick</p>	<p><b>Hands Up Burnfoot</b></p> <p>Wish to run a small grants process from aims identified in Burnfoot's Local Community Action Plan to address Social &amp; Community Services, Health &amp; Wellbeing, Facilities for Young People, Environment and Community Safety.</p>	<p>Sunday 19 March</p> <p>11am to 5pm</p>	<p>Burnfoot Community School</p>
<p>Church of Scotland</p>	<p><b>Your Voice Your Choice</b></p> <p>To run projects with Church of Scotland congregations which serve parishes in economically poor areas.</p>	<p><b>Old Kirk Muirhouse</b> Saturday 25 March starting at 10am</p> <p><b>Carrick Knowe</b> Saturday March 25 10.00-12.30</p> <p><b>Cranhill</b> Saturday 25 March 3pm – 6pm</p> <p><b>St Andrew's Church, Arbroath</b> Tuesday 28 March 7pm</p>	<p>The Old Kirk and Muirhouse Parish Church, Edinburgh</p> <p>Carrick Knowe church hall, Edinburgh</p> <p>TBC</p> <p>St Andrew's church, Arbroath</p>
<p>Clackmannanshire Council</p>	<p>Locality based events led by community councils.</p>	<p><b>Tillicoultry Coalsnaughton &amp; Devonside</b> Saturday 14th January</p> <p><b>Clackmannan</b></p>	<p>Devonvale Hall</p> <p>Clackmannan Town Hall</p>

		<p>Wednesday 18th January</p> <p><b>Alva</b> Saturday 21st January Alva</p> <p><b>Alloa</b> Saturday 21st January</p> <p><b>Dollar</b> Thursday 23rd January</p> <p><b>Muckhart</b> Saturday 28th January</p> <p><b>Sauchie &amp; Fishcross</b> Saturday 28th January</p> <p><b>Tullibody Cambus &amp; Glenochil</b> Saturday 28th January</p> <p><b>Menstrie</b> Saturday 28th January</p>	<p>Alva Parish Church Hall</p> <p>Alloa Town Hall</p> <p>Dollar Civic Centre</p> <p>Muckhart Parish Church</p> <p>Sauchie Hall</p> <p>Civic Centre Menstrie</p> <p>Dumyat Centre</p>
Cornerstone House Centre, Cumbernauld	<p><b>We Decide: Families overcoming inequality</b></p> <p>Raise awareness of PB to identify a new group of community and family activists. Learning and support for around 12 people.</p>	Wednesday 15 March 2017	TBC
East Ayrshire Council	<p><b>You Decide</b></p> <p>Building on significant PB work to date, will work with a further 12 communities to hold PB events linked to community led action plans. Events will either have a presentation or marketplace format, decided by local steering groups.</p> <p><a href="https://www.east-">https://www.east-</a></p>	<p>Saturday 25 February 11.30am – 3pm Presentation (Voting closes at end of presentations)</p> <p>Saturday 4 March 10am – 2pm (Voting closes at 1pm)</p>	<p><b>Patna Helps</b> Patna Primary School 32, Carnshalloch Avenue Patna KA6 7NP</p> <p><b>Stewarton Supports</b> Stewarton Annick Youth &amp; Community Centre</p>

[ayrshire.gov.uk/CouncilAndGovernment/About-the-Council/Grants-and-funding/Participatory-Budgeting.aspx](http://ayrshire.gov.uk/CouncilAndGovernment/About-the-Council/Grants-and-funding/Participatory-Budgeting.aspx)

Marketplace

Sunday 5 March  
12.30pm – 5pm  
Presentation  
(Voting closes at end of presentations)

Saturday 11 March  
10am – 3pm  
(Voting closes at 2pm)  
Marketplace

Saturday 18 March  
11am – 3pm  
(Voting closes at 2pm)  
Marketplace

Sunday 19 March  
1.30pm - 6pm  
Presentation  
(Voting closes at end of presentations)

Sunday 19 March  
2pm - 5pm  
(Voting closes at 4pm)  
Marketplace

Thursday 23 March  
3pm - 9pm

Standalane, Stewarton,  
KA3 5BG

**Cumnock Cares**  
Cumnock Town Hall  
Glaisnock Street  
Cumnock  
KA18 1BY

**DRS Community Chest**  
Drongan Community Centre  
Millmannoch Avenue  
Drongan  
KA6 7BY

**Focus on FWM**  
Fenwick Parish Church Hall  
Kirkton Road Fenwick  
KA3 6DJ

**Afton Awards**  
New Cumnock Town Hall  
The Castle  
New Cumnock  
KA18 4AN

**Sorn & Auchencloigh  
Selects**  
Sorn Village Hall  
Main Street  
Sorn  
KA5 6HU

**SCAN Treasure Chest**  
Netherthird Community Centre

		<p>(Voting closes at 8pm) Marketplace</p> <p>Saturday 25 March 11am-2.30pm (Voting closes at 1.30pm) Marketplace</p> <p>Tuesday 28 March 5.30pm-9pm Presentation (Voting closes at end of presentations)</p>	<p><u>9 Ryderston Drive, Cumnock</u> KA18 3AR</p> <p><b>Dalmellington Parish Decides</b> Dalmellington Community Centre 38 Ayr Road Dalmellington KA6 7SJ</p> <p><b>Celebrate Kilmarnock</b> New Laih Kirk, <u>3 John Dickie Street,</u> <u>Kilmarnock</u> KA1 1BL</p>
East Ayrshire Tenants & Residents Federation, Kilmarnock	<p><b>EATRF: Working Together for Better Communities</b></p> <p>Will hold PB events in social housing neighbourhood areas. The projects will be tenant led and will focus on areas which are not represented by a Community Led Action Plan. This will complement East Ayrshire Council's successful application. Five events in total listed in order of event:</p>	<p>Saturday 25 February</p> <p>Saturday 4 March</p> <p>Sunday 12 March</p> <p>Saturday 18th March</p> <p>Saturday 25th March</p>	<p>Dalrymple;</p> <p>Auchinleck</p> <p>Crookedholm/Hurlford/Galston Bellfield/</p> <p>Riccarton/Kikstyle (Kilmarnock);</p> <p>Kilmarnock North</p>
Falkirk Council	<p><b>Community Changes</b></p> <p>More information:</p> <p><a href="http://falkirk.gov.uk/services/people-communities/communit-change.aspx">http://falkirk.gov.uk/services/people-communities/communit-change.aspx</a></p>	<p>Saturday 4 March</p> <p>Saturday 11 March</p> <p>Saturday 18 March</p>	<p>Maddiston</p> <p>Grangemouth</p> <p>Bo'ness</p>

Fife Council	<p><b>Forward West Fife</b></p> <p>£60,000 participatory budgeting exercise within eight target communities in South West Fife to support the regeneration of the area following the closure of Longannet Power Station. Priorities for the fund are drawn from a community seminar held in 2016. The project is being governed by a steering group of community representatives.</p>	<p>Saturday 4 March 2017</p> <p>10.00am – 2.30pm</p> <p>For further information go to: <a href="http://www.fifedirect.org.uk/letstalk">www.fifedirect.org.uk/letstalk</a></p>	<p>Tulliallan Castle, Scottish Police College, Kincardine, Fife, FK10 4BE</p>
Girvan Youth Trust, South Ayrshire	<p><b>2Kare for South Carrick Award Scheme</b></p> <p>The Trust engages and support over 200 local young people from Girvan and 11 outlying villages. Will lead a PB small grants scheme with youth organisations and community groups which deliver projects in support of local children/youth. Hosted with Health and Social Care Partnership in South Ayrshire.</p>	<p>Saturday 18 February</p>	<p>Girvan Academy</p>
Highland Council	<p><b>Your ward, Your cash, <u>Your choice</u>-</b> Drumnadrochit <a href="http://www.craigmoniecentre.co.uk/index.asp?pageid=663461">http://www.craigmoniecentre.co.uk/index.asp?pageid=663461</a></p> <p><b>Building a Better Badenoch and Strathspey</b> <a href="https://www.highland.gov.uk/directory_record/717545/building_a_better_badenoch_and_strathspey/category/155/grants_for_community_groups">https://www.highland.gov.uk/directory_record/717545/building_a_better_badenoch_and_strathspey/category/155/grants_for_community_groups</a></p> <p><b>Your Community Your Cash - Dingwall and Seaforth</b> <a href="http://www.highland.gov.uk/news/article/9979/your_community_your_cash_-_dingwall_and_seaforth">http://www.highland.gov.uk/news/article/9979/your_community_your_cash_-_dingwall_and_seaforth</a></p>	<p>Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> February</p> <p>Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February</p> <p>Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> March</p>	<p>Craigmonie Centre</p> <p>Carrbridge Village Hall</p> <p>Leanaig Centre, Ben Wyvis Primary School, Conon Bridge</p>

Joint Community Councils of Moray	<p><b>Money for Moray</b></p> <p>Aim is to tackle social isolation. PB event targeted at activities which improve geographical access to facilities. Builds on the experience gained as part of the steering group for Moray council PB event in early 2016. Hope to leave a legacy of steering group as independent body to provide PB work in region.</p>	<p>Saturday 25 March</p> <p>10:00 – 14:00</p>	Grant Hall in Rothes
Kirkconnel and Kelloholm Development Trust, Dumfries and Galloway	<p><b>Kirkconnel and Kelloholm Decide - The BIG Event</b></p> <p>Kirkconnel and Kelloholm Development Trust are holding a PB event to engage and involve the whole community in making decisions about how the £20k small grant funding should be spent. All applications link with and contribute to the Kirkconnel and Kelloholm Community Action Plan 2014-2019.</p> <p>More information on the applications through to the presentation stage for the Kirkconnel and Kelloholm Decide BIG Event can be found on: <a href="http://yrpri.org/community/601">yrpri.org/community/601</a></p>	<p>Sunday 19 March 2017</p> <p>11.30am – 3.00pm</p>	Kirkconnel Miner's Memorial Hall Needle Street, Kirkconnel DG4 6ND
Leith Links Community Council, Edinburgh	<p><b>CommUNITY Links Brightening local lives</b></p> <p>Having experienced the Leith Decides event for over 6 years keen to run small-scale grass roots PB to make it more inclusive and accessible aiming particularly at young people (aged 8 to 20) and older people who may be isolated and vulnerable.</p>	<p>Saturday 11 March 2017 Voting: 11:30 to 13:30</p> <p>Thursday 16 March 2017 Results: 18:30</p>	<p>Leith St. Andrew's Church</p> <p>Leith Community Centre, Newkirkgate</p>
Maryhill Housing Association, Glasgow	<p><b>Vocalise to Localise</b></p> <p>Not specific criteria only that all projects must</p>	<p>Saturday 11 March</p>	Ruchill Event Ruchill Community Centre 671 Bilsland Drive

	<p>demonstrate a clear benefit to the local community (Maryhill and/ or Ruchill). Each project will have their story board displayed at the event and will do a 4 minute pitch on their project idea.</p> <p>Everyone attending the event (16 years old and over) will get 3 votes each and can vote for their favourite projects. The winners will be announced on the night.</p>	Saturday 18 March	<p>Ruchill Glasgow G20 9NL</p> <p>Maryhill Event Ledgowan Hall Ledgowan Place Glasgow G20 0JZ</p>
Melness and Tongue Community Development Trust, Highlands	<p><b>Up North! Community Chest</b></p> <p>Will run a PB event in partnership with the community council in the local area to raise awareness of other groups in the area, to provide a much needed boost to morale and contribute to the social and economic regeneration of the local community.</p>	<p>Saturday 11 March 10:30am – 2:30 am <a href="mailto:simon@melnessandtonguetrust.org.uk">simon@melnessandtonguetrust.org.uk</a></p>	Tongue Village Hall
North Ayrshire CPP	<p><b>Mental Health and Wellbeing, Your Money You Decide</b></p> <p><b>A PB event working with citizens affected by mental health challenges.</b></p>	<p>Saturday 25 February, 12-3.30pm</p> <p><u>Further information</u></p>	Ardrossan Civic Centre
North Carrick Community Benefit Company, South Ayrshire	<p><b>Participate, Activate, Regenerate (PAR)</b></p> <p>Intends to use the PB process as the next step towards the regeneration and revitalisation of North Carrick. 8 community participation champions will be recruited from under represented communities and given training to help engage their communities in priority community projects voted for at a series of PB events.</p>	<p>Saturday 4 March</p> <p>10:30 to 15:00</p>	Carrick Centre, Maybole



<p>North Glasgow Housing Association Ltd</p>	<p><b>Young Voice of North Glasgow</b></p> <p>Event is focussed on young people to give them a voice within the community. Working with around 40 young people both in the school and community settings. Following on from the project aim to set up a youth council / group that allows young people to continue to help shape and influence decisions in their communities.</p>	<p>Tuesday 28 March</p> <p>09:00 to 15:00</p>	<p>Springburn Academy</p>
<p>Perth &amp; Kinross Council</p>	<p><b>Perth &amp; Kinross Decides</b></p> <p>Local Community Planning Partnerships (“Action Partnerships”) in localities across P&amp;K will lead PB events to encourage community involvement in tackling locally relevant inequalities such as social isolation in rural areas.</p>	<p>Saturday 11 March</p> <p>Saturday 18 March (x 2)</p> <p>Sunday 19 March</p> <p>Saturday 25 March (x 2)</p> <p>Saturday 1 April</p> <p>Saturday 22 April</p>	
<p>Shetland Islands Council</p>	<p><b>Shetland Community Choices</b></p> <p>A Shetland wide PB event, building on work to date, with priorities identified by the community as part of the Shetland Place Standard consultation.</p> <p>Starter for Six, Skerries Skerries Community Council PB</p> <p>Funds for Fetlar Fetlar Community Council PB</p>	<p>Online and postal voting 13 – 25 March</p> <p>Saturday 25 March</p> <p>Friday 3 March</p> <p>Saturday 25 March</p>	

	Bucks for Bressay Bressay Community Council PB	Sunday 26 March	
South Ayrshire Council	South Carrick Decides  Troon and villages Decides  Ayr North and villages Decides  Prestwick and villages Decides  Ayr South and Coylton Decides	Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> February  Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup> February  Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> March  Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> March  Date to be confirmed	Girvan Academy  Walker Halls Troon  Ayrshire College Campus Ayr  Prestwick Academy
Voluntary Action Orkney  <a href="http://www.vaorkney.org.uk">www.vaorkney.org.uk</a>	<b>Your Island Your Choice</b>  Geographically isolated isles communities supported to initiate a small grants PB exercise inviting bids from communities of place or interest to address their identified priorities.  Each of the 13 islands wished to hold their own event. They also decided on an Orkney mainland event that will vote on bids to benefit more than one of the islands held in Kirkwall.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graemsay 8<sup>th</sup> February</li> <li>• Papa Westray 10<sup>th</sup> February</li> <li>• Westray 10<sup>th</sup> February</li> <li>• Rousay 13<sup>th</sup> February</li> <li>• Stronsay 15<sup>th</sup> February</li> <li>• Flotta 17<sup>th</sup> February</li> <li>• Shapinsay 17<sup>th</sup> February</li> <li>• Egilsay 18<sup>th</sup> February</li> <li>• Wyre 14<sup>th</sup> February</li> <li>• North Ronaldsay 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb</li> <li>• Sanday 23<sup>rd</sup> February</li> </ul>	Com hall  Com hall  Heritage Cntr  Com hall  Com hall  Com hall  Com hall  SG residence  Pier Building  Com hall  Com hall

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West of Scotland Regional Equality Council, Glasgow	<p>Over to you - B Empowered</p> <p>To engage local communities with particular focus on disadvantaged minor ethnic communities/groups in 4 areas: Glasgow North &amp; South, Renfrewshire and North Lanarkshire. PB will help raise awareness of local issues, encourage those hard to reach to engage and be part of the decision making process.</p> <p>contact: Caroline McKoen <a href="mailto:cmckoen@wsrec.co.uk">cmckoen@wsrec.co.uk</a></p> <p>Webpage: <a href="http://www.wsrec.co.uk/oty">www.wsrec.co.uk/oty</a></p>	<p><b>Over to You Renfrewshire</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/otyrenfrewshire/">https://www.facebook.com/otyrenfrewshire/</a> Thursday 16th March 6pm</p> <p><b>Over to You North Lanarkshire</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/otynorthlanarkshire/">https://www.facebook.com/otynorthlanarkshire/</a> Saturday 18th March 1pm</p> <p><b>Over to You Glasgow North</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/Over-To-You-Glasgow-North-1836437116575398/">https://www.facebook.com/Over-To-You-Glasgow-North-1836437116575398/</a> Thursday 20th April 6pm</p> <p><b>Over to You Glasgow South</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/Over-To-You-Glasgow-South-573253742845037/">https://www.facebook.com/Over-To-You-Glasgow-South-573253742845037/</a> Saturday 22nd April 1pm</p>	<p>Johnstone Town Hall, Johnstone, Renfrewshire</p> <p>Gartlea Community Centre, Airdrie, North Lanarkshire</p> <p>Woodside Hall, Glasgow (tbc)</p> <p>Langside Hall, Glasgow (tbc)</p>
Young Peoples Futures (YPF), Glasgow	<p><b>Spirit of Ruchill/Possilpark</b></p> <p>Aims to build on the success of previous PB event 'Spirit in the Park' aiming to involve the whole community. Supported by Foundation Scotland and Thriving Places with intention to embed PB process for distributing funds locally.</p>	<p>Saturday 25 February</p> <p>12-4pm on line vote</p>	<p>Possilpoint Community Centre 130 Denmark street Glasgow G22 5LQ</p>