

## **ALISS Bulletin September 2022**

Welcome to our ALISS bulletin. These bulletins will give you an update on the work we are doing to make community groups, voluntary organisations, and community-based services easily findable for staff, carers, and people who may want to access them.

We will also be spotlighting new and existing groups to give people an idea of the range of groups that are out there, and this month The Sheds in Foxbar, is featured.

As summer approaches, many groups will be taking a break. Please contact a group before going along or contact the Community Partnerships Team if there is no contact information.

We hope you find the information useful and if you have any questions or would like us to come out and speak to you about ALISS, please contact us at <a href="mailto:communitypartnershipsteam@renfrewshire.gov.uk">communitypartnershipsteam@renfrewshire.gov.uk</a>



## **ALISS – A Local Information System for Scotland**

ALISS <a href="https://www.aliss.org/">https://www.aliss.org/</a> makes it easier to find information about local groups, activities, and support in communities.

We have been working with people living and working in Renfrewshire's communities to find information and add it to ALISS so people can access it.

Before the pandemic we had information on 600 resources across Renfrewshire and to date we have confirmed that 250 resources are up and running again. We are working to add more every day.

## How to find information on ALISS

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Go to <a href="www.aliss.org">www.aliss.org</a>. You will see a box where you can input the postcode, town, or village you would like information on. Now click Search.



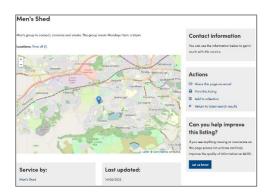
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You will be taken to a page where you can look at and get more information on results by clicking on the name of a group.



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Click on the name to get more information.



## **SPOTLIGHT - The Sheds**

"We at The Sheds have been meeting at Foxbar Youth Centre for over five years. We supply tea, coffee and biscuits and a light lunch. Our aim is to get people out and about and meeting others for a chat, games (pool, board games) or just to enjoy a cuppa and relax. We also have an allotment plot in Paisley on Underwood Road where we are currently growing various vegetables. We welcome all to enjoy the friendly atmosphere."

You meet new people and socialise

It helps my self-confidence and self-esteem

It gets you out of the house



