

Newsletter

August 2021

We Are Back! - Centre Re-opening

We are all so happy to be welcoming old and new customers back to Knightswood Community Centre. Most groups and organisations will be returning from the **1st September 2021**. As some groups maybe starting later or earlier, please check our website for up-to-date information or alternatively call the Centre on 0141 959 9419.

As you may be aware during lockdown the Centre has gone through extensive upgrading and improvements. The Alderman Hall has new triple glazed windows with obscured glass that will provide a greater degree of privacy for participants. The outside curtain wall of the Hall has also been replaced, the heating system has been upgraded and we now have hot running water throughout the building. The staff and Knightswood SCIO Board members have been focusing on helping customers feel safe and secure as they come back to the venue. Please follow any risk assessment and health and safety guidance that the Centre has in place when your group returns.

Please note the Centre café is now closed. It is hoped to find a new café operator once the groups and organisations have settled back into the Centre.



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Summer Gathering goes with a Swing

Knightswood Connects held a small summer gathering for residents over the age of 50. The afternoon event took place in an outside space at Knightswood Community Centre on Thursday 29th July. The weather was surprising dry and the marquees ensured that no one got sunburned. The forty seniors that attended enjoyed an afternoon of cold drinks, food and cool jazz from the very talented Mic Clark and Olivia Ennemosser from the group Acoustic Butterfly. The music was the perfect tonic, without the gin, and created a wonderful, relaxed atmosphere for people to enjoy.



Ann Harvey (Community Engagement Coordinator) who organised the event “thanked Knightswood Community Centre for providing an outdoor space, tables, chairs and their staff for assisting with the set-up.”



Everyone that attended the summer gathering were happy to be out and about socialising in a safe environment. After the rigors of the Covid19 lockdown, it was great to hear and see people enjoying themselves again.