

# Latest news from Friends of Wighton

From Sheena Wellington :

**Bruce Davies at the Wighton! – Cappuccino Concert  
Wighton Heritage Centre, Central Library  
Saturday 23rd February – 11am (doors open at 10.30am)**



Bruce Davies, the Fife based singer songwriter will be appearing at Wighton Heritage Centre, Dundee on Saturday 23rd February from 11am to noon.

With 35 years as a professional entertainer behind him, Bruce is a musician whose easy on the ear singing and storytelling have gained him many friends on four continents. Crisp acoustic guitar playing is one of his trademarks and, as BBC Celtic Roots said, “a voice in a million”.

His recent album “Blowin’ In The Wind – The Other Great American Songbook” has been universally acclaimed and his Edinburgh Festival Fringe show featuring material for the album played to full houses. He spends his summers hosting and singing in “The Spirit of Scotland Show”.

Throughout his career he has travelled widely, performing in prestigious venues throughout the UK and USA to a huge variety of audiences. He has recorded extensively as a musician and producer for folk legends The McCalmans, and Harvey Andrews. In a recent list of “The Hundred Greatest Cultural Fifers...Ever!”, Bruce featured alongside Ian Rankin, Dougray Scott, Val McDermid, Jack Vettriano and other Fife luminaries.

He has received many plaudits but his most treasured are, from Kenny Rogers “You do great work!” and when his songwriting hero Tom Paxton introduced him as “ one of Scotland’s best singers”.

Tickets are £5 and tea/coffee is also available for small donation.

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## **Lochee Park playpark improvements – an update #dundeewestend**

The City Council has updated me about the proposed commencement of the playpark improvement works at Lochee Park's playpark as follows :

**“Works are due to commence at the end of February and we will have signage in place in advance to give notice of the closure of the park.**

**A laminated plan will also be put onto the noticeboard.”**

The new playpark proposals look great and will be a huge improvement :

# Lochee Park

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## Getting things done – Rockfield Crescent #dundeewestend



Residents recently contacted me concerned about the poor state of the road in Rockfield Crescent.

I raised this with the council's Roads Maintenance Partnership and have received the following positive response :

**"The Road Maintenance Partnership inspector raised an order on 12-2-19 for pothole repairs to be carried out with a timescale for repair of approximately thirty days."**

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## Weekly Road Report – West End Ward #dundeewestend



**DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL – WEEKLY ROAD REPORT**

**REPORT FOR WEST END WARD – WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY 18 FEBRUARY 2019**

Bellfield Street – off-peak (9.30am – 3.30pm) stop/go traffic control on Monday 18 February for 2 days at new housing development for road and footway reinstatement works.

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## Event at the Botanic Garden today #dundeewestend



The next Friends of the University of Dundee Botanic Garden talk is today in the garden's Education Centre at 2pm.

The speaker will be Sally McConville, Environmental Assistant at Dundee City Council.

Sally will talk about Bonnie Dundee and Beautiful Scotland.

Bonnie Dundee works in partnership with Dundee City Council to support Dundee's entry into the Large City category of the Beautiful Scotland campaign.

Volunteers are involved in a wide range of projects, from litter picks and tree planting to tending community gardens and the colourful planters you see around the city streets.

Hope to see you there – bring a friend!