

## **The Bennets, the Bridgertons, and now you: Assembly Rooms Past and Present**

Regency romance has returned to our screens with the likes of Bridgerton and a flurry of Austen adaptations. This blog post looks at the history and importance of assembly rooms, the meeting place for many a Regency couple.

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## **West End Ward Community Collective – Thursday 18th November**

A West End online event is taking place later this week, organised by the council's communities team.

This will give local residents the chance to give their views on local issues and actions to help further improve the West End.

All welcome – and details below :

**ENGAGE DUNDEE**

**West End**

**Community Collective**

**Needs YOU!**

Get involved, share your voice and take action in your community.



**Community Collective is where local people and organisations can make decisions and take action to make their community better.**

Communities need more local input and more local action.

**Online Event**

**18th November 2021**

**6-8pm**

**Join on Teams using this link: [shorturl.at/jrKY4](https://shorturl.at/jrKY4)**

For more information or to book your place contact:

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## **Consultation launched on changes to Marriage Law**

The Department of Finance has launched a public consultation on changing two aspects of local Marriage Law.

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## **Communities Minister Hargey announces welfare protections extension**

Communities Minister Deirdre Hargey has confirmed that payments to protect people from the 'bedroom tax' and Tory government welfare cuts will be extended for a further three years.

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## **Expansion of Booster Programme Welcomed**

Health Minister Robin Swann has welcomed the JCVI recommendation to extend the COVID-19 vaccine booster to the 40-49-year-old age group.