

West End Community Council meeting tonight #dundeewestend



WEST END COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The Community Council meets this evening at Logie St John's (Cross) Church Hall at 7pm – all residents welcome!

Here's the agenda :

**WEST END COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY 12th NOVEMBER 2019, 7.00PM
LOGIE AND ST JOHN'S CROSS PARISH CHURCH HALL
(ENTER FROM SHAFTESBURY TERRACE – OFF BLACKNESS AVENUE)**

1. Welcome and Apologies
2. Community Council Elections- nominations, roles & responsibilities of Community Councillors, priorities
3. Planning Update
4. 8pm – Speaker- Catherine Conroy, Low Emissions Zone, Dundee City Council
5. AOCB
6. Date of Next Meeting – Tuesday 10th December 2019

Light refreshments will be provided.

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An exhibition devoted to the life and work
of Jim Stewart (1952 - 2016)

Tower Foyer Gallery, University of Dundee
Nethergate, DD1 4HN
Exhibition runs until 14 December 2019



From the Curator of Museum Services at the University of Dundee :

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An exhibition celebrating the life and work of Jim Stewart (1952-2016)
Tower Foyer Gallery, University of Dundee

Jim Stewart was an inspirational and much-admired author and teacher described by Dundee's Makar, W N Herbert, as "one of the most significant poets of the last decade".

James Clark Quinn Stewart was born in 1952 to a working-class family in a cold tap and outside toilet dwelling on the Lochee Road, Dundee, barely surviving a near-fatal bronchial illness in early infancy. He and his younger sister, Ros, were brought up by their single mother, a devout Jehovah's Witness. Often at odds with the church in later life, Jim remained devout and became a learned theologian.

Jim studied English at the University of Dundee (where he went on to teach for many years) and completed a PhD at Edinburgh, basing his research on the works of Virginia Woolf – a passion which remained with him, together with a deep reverence for nature and music, all his life.

Known as Jim to friends, colleagues and students alike, he became an inspirational and much-admired teacher. He wrote poetry from childhood and went on to become one of Scotland's finest nature poets, if one of the most modest. His keen poet's eye found beauty in everything: flies, moles, spiders and especially bees. The publishing of collections did not rate highly in his list of ambitions and he often had to supplement his income from short-contract university teaching with bouts of window-cleaning and proof-reading, as he describes in letters included in the exhibition.

Central to the exhibition is a portfolio box designed and created by Marion Archibald at her studio in The Old Printing Works, Thornton. The box contains a hand-painted book of tributes to Jim in the form of poetry and prose. Created by Marion and Jim's former student Keren Macpherson, the book folds out to five metres in length.

The exhibition also features several of Jim's poems along with paintings and etchings by Keren and fellow artists Kirstie Behrens, Merran Gunn and Derek Robertson, interpreting and illustrating Jim's poems in a unique and personal way.

The exhibition runs until 14th December – Monday to Friday 9.30am-7pm and Saturday 1pm-5pm.

[Weekly Road Report – West End Ward](#) [#dundeewestend](#)



DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL – WEEKLY ROAD REPORT

REPORT FOR WEST END WARD – SATURDAY 9 AND SUNDAY 10 NOVEMBER 2019

Tullideph Road (City Road to Ancrum Drive) – closed westbound on Sunday 10 November for BT pole renewal works.

REPORT FOR WEST END WARD – WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2019

Westfield Lane – closed for up to 4 weeks for building repair works.

Minto Place – closed for 7 days from Friday 8 November for carriageway resurfacing. Access maintained for residents.

Forthcoming Roadworks

Glamis Terrace – closed from Monday 2 December for one week for sewer connection to new house.

Temporary traffic order – Tullideph Road



From the City Council :

THE ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1)

THE DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL AS TRAFFIC AUTHORITY being satisfied that traffic on the road should be prohibited by reason of BT pole renewal works being carried out HEREBY PROHIBIT the driving of any vehicle in Tullideph Road (westbound between City Road and Ancrum Drive), Dundee.

This notice comes into effect on Sunday 10 November 2019 for one day.

Pedestrian thoroughfare will be maintained.

Alternative routes are available via City Road / Logie Street / Ancrum Road

For further information contact 433082.

Head of Roads and Transportation
Dundee City Council

Minto Place (east leg) – road resurfacing work

From the City Council :



Work is programmed to commence at the above location

on Friday 8th November 2019 and will last for approximately 3 days. The Contractor for the works is Tayside Contracts.

On-street parking will not be allowed on the section of carriageway being worked on. Vehicular access will be maintained although we ask for vehicular traffic movements to be kept to a minimum and advise delays may be experienced.

Please note that pedestrian thoroughfare will be maintained throughout the works.

If you have any queries, please contact the Roads Maintenance Partnership by telephoning 834126.