Bus timetables concern – an update #dundeewestend

Last year, I highlighted that residents have pointed out that, although real time bus information is working at bus shelters, paper timetables have been out of date since the bus companies altered bus services temporarily at the start of the COVID-19 the health emergency.

Whilst appreciating there needed to be the return to normal services and stability in timetables before new and correct timetables could be placed at every bus stop, I got assurances that erroneous, out of date information would be removed meantime.

With the Xplore Dundee recent bus services review having taken place at the start of 2021, I asked the Sustainable Transport team at the council for an update and have been advised by a Transport Officer as follows :

"Xplore Dundee is amending its service provision again from 12th April. Therefore 'at stop' timetables will not be erected at this stage until we are sure that the service provision is stable.

I have been in contact with the bus operators and are in the process of providing an at stop notice which will be erected at bus stops directing passengers to websites and phone numbers for any information regarding bus services.   These, I am hopeful will be designed, printed and erected within the next few weeks."

[Getting things done — Clovis Duveau Drive #dundeewestend](#)

I recently received residents' concerns about the faded white road lining in Clovis Duveau Drive.

I raised this with the City Council's Road Maintenance Partnership and have now been assured as follows :

"An order for refreshing the road markings has been raised."

I also asked that the road is swept given the loose gravel and grit on it that residents also reported.

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

DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL – WEEKLY ROAD REPORT

REPORT FOR WEST END WARD – WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY 29 MARCH 2021

West Marketgait (northbound from Nethergate to West Port roundabout), West Port roundabout (south side of outer lane), Hawkhill (westbound from West Port roundabout to Brown Street) – closed for 2 weeks for Bus Priority Improvement Works.

Forthcoming Road Works

Riverside Avenue (at Wright Avenue) – off peak temporary traffic lights on Thursday 8 April for Scottish Water work.

[Blether Tay-Gither – Storytelling in Dundee](#)

Blether Tay-Gither is the Dundee Storytelling Group.

From Sheila Kinninmonth, Blether Tay-Gither's secretary :

Hope you can join us for our March Blether on Zoom

Tuesday 30th March — 7pm to 9pm

This month's theme is Rivers.

And, it's our birthday!

Rivers, the flowing life giving water of the land. Rich with stories and activity.   We are drawn to rivers for the wonders that lay along their banks, for the beauty they hold, and for the history written on their waters.

This month we are exploring rivers through story and you are welcome to come along.   Bring a story and share a cuppa over the internet, or just come to listen and have a blether.

Also, it's our 14th birthday! Can you believe it!   We have been together continuously as a storytelling club since 2007, and even through a world crisis we have managed to keep going. Maybe you want to bring a piece of cake and a candle to this month's storytelling club and help us celebrate?

Zoom Meeting
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84629089197
Meeting ID: 846 2908 9197

Hope to see you there!

Read more about Blether Tay-Gither here.

Getting things done — Newhall Gardens

A number of Newhall Gardens residents have contacted me about the need for a dog bin in the large grass strip along the centre of the street.   The nearest such bin at present is in Riverside Drive, south of the entrance to the street, so some distance away.

I took this up with the City Council's environment team and have now been advised as follows :

"I have visited location and will arrange to have a bin sited on grass area.

We have no bins in stock at present, but will erect at site as soon as new stock arrives."