



Newsletter 3, 28 January 2016

Dear member,

Reminder newsletter of what RCT is and what we are trying to do.

First, our object as stated in our Memorandum, which could serve as our mission statement, says

‘to conserve and regenerate the community of Rhynie for the benefit of its members and the wider public.’

After all the ups and downs of our recent endeavours to attain a community hub for the village of Rhynie we are reminded in our researches that maybe not everyone knows what RCT stands for and is all about. And we have to admit that the board has been preoccupied with this rather large and all consuming project.

But, the core of RCT is to encourage and support individuals or groups within the village and environs to set up and maintain their particular interest that has a social interest. So, if you need financial help to pay rent on a venue for your group or club or if you need to cover material costs, expert fees, or would like to move forward on a social project, we can help. If you have an idea (like Car Aid) that needs charitable status, RCT can bring you under its wing as an established charity to help you explore your idea’s benefits in the community, fundraising avenues and help with form filling etc.

We are always looking for people to engage with the community in any way and endeavour not to overburden individuals. Making things happen can be an exhausting experience and can feel like a mountain is being climbed. The board of RCT understand this all too well. To that end we wish to support and encourage anyone with a social conscience, a great idea and a little energy to make Rhynie and its community the place we know it is and deserves to remain.

We hope you have the same vision. We would welcome any member with an idea for a project to come and talk to us to see how we can help and move forward. Or perhaps you would like to work with us on the Board to help others, volunteers are always welcome. Please feel free to contact any director. Contact details are on the website at www.rhyniecharitabletrust.co.uk or you can telephone the Secretary on 01464 861636.

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