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# Our Neighbourhood Plan for Burnhill

Year one  
2020–2021

This plan sets out priorities and highlights the positive things going on for our community identified by residents between November 2019 and January 2020.



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# Introduction

A local community action group has produced this plan. Most members are local residents however we are joined by representatives from key local agencies and organisations.

To ensure progress is made this plan will be updated on a yearly basis. This is the first phase of longer term developments in our community.

You will see we have used the data gathered through the survey to set 10 priority themes for the Burnhill area. The launch event for this plan will allow the community to vote on their top priorities to be focused on in year one of the plan. More will be done to take forward all the other themes in the future.

For this plan to work it needs you, yes, you. Every resident, every worker, volunteer or elected member in the area can help to bring about change and help us make the most of our shared resources – our people and our place. You can help in many ways by telling others about what's going on, by joining the community action group or the working groups to take forward some of the actions in the plan or simply enjoy and take part in what's happening around you.

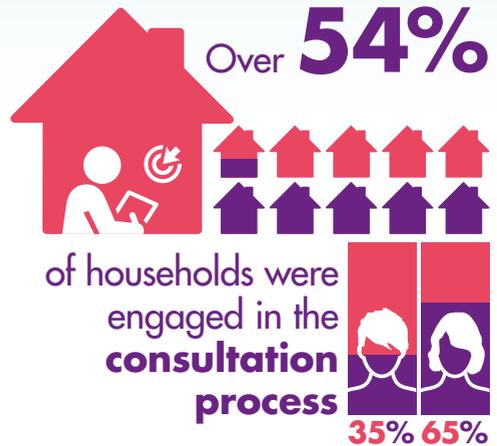


# Information

This neighbourhood plan has been informed by extensive community engagement carried out between November 2019 and January 2020 the process involved:

- > An asset map of the community was produced to highlight the great work already ongoing within the community.
- > A number of meetings with local residents and representatives from key organisations in the area to design the engagement.
- > A community survey delivered door to door which covered all households within the Burnhill area.
- > Workshops with local community groups.
- > Interviews with young people from schools.

**Thank you to everyone who took part!**



# Survey findings

What people like about Burnhill	Improvements/ new opportunities suggested
<b>1</b> More leisure and social opportunities	
Universal Connections, Family HUB, Wellbeing HUB, Local groups and Facilities	More activities for all local people, More youth focused activity, better access to a community centre/hub and access to sports facilities locally.
<b>2</b> Stronger and better communities	
There is a high level of community spirit in the area, people are nice and have good neighbours, local volunteers.	More community events e.g. fun days and clean up's, More people getting involved in leading on activities and taking part and more community spirit.
<b>3</b> Physical environment and Housing improvements	
Houses and flats are good, communal/shared spaces are good.	Housing repairs and upgrades, Local people taking ownership of gardens and less fly tipping. Maintenance and cleanliness of the footpaths. Community garden/growing space.
<b>4</b> Play Park and Sports Park improvements	
Amount of greenspace and sports pitches is good.	Improve playpark equipment and better maintenance of parks and green spaces.
<b>5</b> Easier to get about/moving around	
Good transport links and it's a central location for most places.	Repairs and maintenance of roads and foot paths, better street lighting and more traffic calming measures.

What people like about Burnhill	Improvements/ new opportunities suggested
<p><b>6 Greater Community Safety</b></p> <p>People feel it is a safe and quiet community</p>	<p><b>Improvements/ new opportunities suggested</b></p> <p>Higher police/community warden presence, less anti-social behaviour, CCTV installation in hotspot areas.</p>
<p><b>7 More variety of shops/businesses</b></p> <p>Having the main street so close is great for use of the shops.</p>	<p>More shops and variety of shops more locally and an ATM within the community.</p>
<p><b>8 Better education, training and employment opportunities</b></p> <p>Local schools and nurseries are good.</p>	<p>More training and employment opportunities for local people.</p>
<p><b>9 Better financial well being</b></p> <p>No comments</p>	<p>Investment in the local area and more money advice services.</p>
<p><b>10 Health improvements</b></p> <p>Local health centre is good.</p>	<p>Mental health services and more local groups to address health issues.</p>

# Local groups

**Whats on @ West and Wardlawhill Parish Church,  
3 Western Avenue, Glasgow G73 1JQ**

Who/organisation?	Who for/what is it?	When?
<b>Family Hub</b>	Children and families	Mondays 5.30pm – 7.30pm
<b>Health and Wellbeing HUB</b>	Adults	Thursdays 7.00pm – 9:00pm
<b>Environmental Group</b>	Open group for all	Saturdays 11.30am – 13.30pm
<b>Burnhill Action Group</b>	Community action group	Thursdays 2.00pm – 4:00pm
<b>Routes to Work South</b>	Employment/Training	Thursdays 2.00pm – 4:00pm
<b>Citizens Advice</b>	Advice service	Thursdays 1.00pm – 3:30pm
<b>Parent Café</b>	Parent/guardian and children	Thursdays 1.00pm – 3:00pm
<b>Creche</b>	Children	Sundays 11.00am
<b>Friendship Café</b>	Adults	Tuesdays 10.00am
<b>Creche</b>	Adults	Mondays 7.45pm

**To keep up to date with what's on check out**



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## Whats on @ Universal Connections, 1A Burnhill Street, Rutherglen G73 1ES

Who/organisation?	Who for/what is it?	When?
<b>The M Factor</b>	Young people with Additional Support Needs (closed group)	Mondays 6.00pm – 9.00pm
<b>Walking Group</b>	Open group for adults	Mondays 11.00am – 1.00pm (spaces limited call for more information)
<b>Knit and Crochet Group</b>	Open group for adults	Tuesdays 10.00am – 12.00pm
<b>Time Out</b>	Manage stress and anxiety	Call for more information
<b>Youth Achievement Award</b>	Award programme (closed group)	Tuesdays 5.00pm – 6.00pm
<b>The Gee Gees</b>	Girls group (Young people S1–S5)	Tuesdays 6.00pm – 9.00pm
<b>The Core</b>	Learning opportunities for adults	Wednesdays 10.00am – 2.00pm
<b>Walking Football</b>	Health and wellbeing	Mondays 11.00am – 1.30pm (spaces limited call for more information)
<b>Health Issues in the Community</b>	Learning opportunity	Call for more information
<b>Burnhill Youth Project</b> (Delivered by Regen:fx)	8–12yrs 12yrs+	5.00pm – 6.30pm 6.30pm – 8.00pm
<b>The Core</b>	Woodwork for Adults	Fridays 10.00am – 2.00pm
<b>Drop In</b>	(Young people S1–S5)	Fridays 6.00pm – 9.00pm

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The Stakeholders Group meets regularly and working groups will also be meeting to take forward some of the priority themes outlined in the middle pages. If you live or work in the area and think you might like to get involved then contact [communities@southlanarkshire.gov.uk](mailto:communities@southlanarkshire.gov.uk) or call us on **0303 123 1017**



**I am delighted to be a part of Our Place Our Plan, working in partnership to bring about real positive change in the Burnhill community. Once other residents see some changes happening I hope more people will get involved.**

**Lizzie McDonald** (Resident, Local Volunteer and member of Our Place Our Plan Stakeholders Group)



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