

Edinburgh LETS

Spring 2010 Newsletter



A very warm welcome to all LETS members - existing and new.

Edinburgh LETS is at the start of a very exciting new phase - the [newish] website is where members will find information easily and will be able to trade - at a level that suits them. Remember to look through the website to check if someone on LETS can help you with shelf-building, cat sitting, life laundry ... - the list of skills which members offer is wide-ranging

We are keen for members who do not wish to use the website to have a buddy to inform them by phone of events and help them with their 'offers' and 'wants' - if you would like a buddy please contact admin@edinburghlets.org.uk

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

IN 2010 we are planning to hold four Trade Fairs at MacDonald Road Library. The 22 bus stops very close by just past the MacDonald Road junction. We are keen to hold Fairs in different areas of the city to suit all members. - if any member knows of a venue which is free and on a bus route we would love to hear from you!

SATURDAY 29TH May 12 - 3pm

SATURDAY 10TH July timings to be confirmed

SATURDAY 18TH September timings to be confirmed

SATURDAY 20TH November 10 am to 4 pm [this will have a Christmas theme]

Please come along to meet, trade and chat over a cup of tea or coffee. Trade Fairs are great ways to see LETS in action meet other members and find out just how it works so well. It is the ultimate of recycling and community participation. If you wish to trade and need a table or part of one, please phone Audrey (0131 332 2175) or Ruth (0131 553 4441). Also if you wish to offer a therapy or treatment please phone - it may not be possible to provide a completely private area, it is more likely to be a quiet corner.

Volunteers are always needed to help set up the room, make tea/coffee, meet and greet all comers, recruit new members, general organisation and clearing up at the end. Please phone to leave your name, skills and time you are available on the day - it need only be part of the time.

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If you have anything you feel should be in the next newsletter - Summer 2010 please contact me at mhughson@ukonline.co.uk by 30th June 2010.