

VANCOUVER TRIP – MEETING 13.5.08

FUNDRAISING

In order to try to spread the work involved in fundraising for Vancouver the idea is to have various people take responsibility for organising different events/activities.

Many of the activities will be for whole group fund-raising. Some fund-raising will be done on an individual basis and used for the individuals involved's own fund-raising. There will be deadlines for the various payments due towards costs – the first of these is the £50 per person deposit due by 22nd June. Some people said they would prefer to only be fund-raising for whole group as a community project and this is fine – people can choose for themselves if they want any funds raised at “individual events” to go into group funds or not.

Karen/Sheila can help with posters and put activities on the website. Choosing dates for various activities needs to be co-ordinated and to this end Karen will produce a diary of fiddles/events likely to impact on the selected dates.

Listed below are the various activities suggested, with names of ‘lead’ for them and any other points raised.

WHOLE GROUP EVENTS (funds going towards whole group fund-raising)

- There are lots of performances coming up, most of which we are being paid for. **Sheila**
- There will be another couple of ceilidhs. **Sheila**
- Quiz Night – **Lorna Paterson** had offered to organise this
- Big Raffle – **Louise Butler** had offered to organise this.
- Bag Packing at Asda/Tesco – **Sarah Williams** offered to organise this.
- Ladies Lunch – **Viv Geogehan & Viv Gray** offered to organise this.
- Stall/music at Scott's Selkirk – **co-ordinator required** to organise stall. Suggested cake & candy and our cards.
- General cards sale – Helen Tabor will donate 3 designs for cards. These were very successful for Cape Breton trip. **Co-ordinator required for this.**
- £1 sheet – can be very successful – suggested around January 2009 – **co-ordinator needed.**
- Busking at Tesco's – **needs a co-ordinator** to organise
- Busking at Hawick's Teribuskers day – **Sheila/Karen**

- Christmas concert at Lilliesleaf Church – suggested that teas could be served – **needs to be discussed/co-ordinated** with church
- Ian Oliver offered to donate a framed print for use in fund-raising

INDIVIDUAL ACTIVITIES (funds going towards own or group fund-raising as preferred)

- Juniors busking – to be co-ordinated by **Kim Hendry** with guidance from Sheila/Karen – various venues to be tried such as Baxters, farmers markets, Gala High Street during the summer....
- Midlem Ceilidh Bands playing – **needs a co-ordinator**
- Games Night at Midlem Hall – suggested for a winter evening – **needs a co-ordinator**
- Karaoke evening at The Plough Inn – organised by **Karen Hendry** for Friday, 20th June
- Cake/Candy – Bake Sale – **Susan Blair** to co-ordinate
- Car Wash – suggested for Common Haugh, Hawick – **needs a co-ordinator**
- Quiz Sheet – to be sold around Lilliesleaf/Midlem (and possibly by others at work etc.?) – to be drawn up by **Jamie Williams** with help on sales etc from **Stuart Hendry**
- Body Shop party – **Pauline Williams** will investigate the possibilities re this.

Any other ideas are very welcome, but we hope everyone will muck in and share around the various co-ordinating needed for this.