

DUNKELD AND BIRNAM COMMUNITY GROWING SCIO

INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS.

This exciting project known as @ the field, has been set up to grow food organically with and for the local community of Dunkeld and Birnam. We are now entering our ninth growing season in our field at the top of Brae Street, Dunkeld.

Another successful harvest last year included some new crops such as Florence Fennel and favourites such as broad beans, peas, swede, parsnip as well as potatoes, courgettes, onions, leeks, lettuce, spinach, carrots, French beans, beetroot and many varieties of herb. Our hand tied bouquets of marigold; nigella, cornflowers, sunflowers, sweet peas and dill are very popular. There will be some new varieties of flowers, vegetables and herbs this season, so look out for them at our twice weekly stalls starting in July.

We grow the food for the wider community and ourselves. We welcome folk to become members whether they can work @ the field or not. Your membership fee helps to pay our rent and other ongoing costs. You will reap all sorts of benefits such as having a 20% discount on our produce. You also have free or low cost access to any workshops we run. In addition you can work @ the field or selling or distribute produce as often or seldom as you can manage. We will let you know of opportunities to volunteer some help. You can contribute your own expertise in many other ways. We also have a wonderful AGM and harvest supper at the beginning of November each year.

As a member you can have a say in how the group is run; you can vote at members' meetings; do what you can to ensure our project fulfills its objectives; vote for the volunteer trustees who form the board and take on the organization of the project.

You can email us: dblandtrust@btinternet.com 

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/pages/-The-Field- Dunkeld.../357191637668930](https://www.facebook.com/pages/-The-Field-Dunkeld.../357191637668930)

Check our website: www.dunkeldfield.co.uk

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We are a Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisation (SCIO) and our charitable objects are:

1. To advance citizenship and community development by encouraging cooperation and mutual support to produce food organically for local consumption in a changing economic and physical environment;
2. To achieve this by managing a sustainable and environmentally responsible growing project for the benefit of all;
3. To promote education within the community in organic food growing, care, harvest and distribution and ensure a better understanding of the connections between what we eat and how it is produced, delivered, and prepared.

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