

# Kirkandrews on Esk Parish Council



Welcome to news and information from the parish council

The parish council have a Facebook page & are developing a website at

<https://sites.google.com/site/kirkandrewsoneskparishcouncil/home>

## Superfast Broadband

There is to be a Superfast cabinet situated at Gaitle.

The area around Kirkandrews Moat is being evaluated for a Superfast cabinet by Openreach & Connecting Cumbria

The parish council are considering Community build schemes in the rest of the parish.

The Parish Council needs to know who in the parish would be interested.

It is likely that this will have to be done in stages.

The areas in which there is most interest will probably be the first areas completed.

**If you are interested please contact :-**

William Bundred, e mail [william.bundred@gmail.com](mailto:william.bundred@gmail.com) tel 01228791258

**As soon as possible** with your contact details landline number email address

## Parish Councillor Recruitment

The parish can have up to 12 members on the parish council.

At present the parish council have 9 members. So there are 3 vacancies.

Would you like become a member & help to improve & maintain facilities in our parish?

Meetings are 6 times a year at Kirkandrews Moat Hall .7.30pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sep, Nov.

Please contact the Clerk or the Chairman if you would like to consider becoming a parish councillor.

**We would like to hear your views on what you would like in the parish**

Contact details

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## **Wind Turbines**

9 wind turbines are being built on the Solway Moss.

As soon as these become operational a Community Fund will be available.

### **Community Fund Grant**

**Total Fund Value:** £5,000 per MW, totalling £155,250 per year payable from the start date of wind farm commercial operation

(Which will be uplifted yearly in line with CPI).

**Fund Duration:** 20 years or until the wind farm ceases to operate. This equates to a community fund of over £3.1 million over the lifetime of the wind farm.

**Area of Benefit:** The priority area of benefit for the fund is within a 5 kilometre radius of the site.

There is also a wider 10 kilometre area who are able to apply however these applications must demonstrate that they benefit the people within the 5k area.

The fund will be administered by the Cumbria Community Foundation

EDF ER are keen to support Education and Training in Renewables and the wider energy industry. At each of our new wind farm sites we are ring-fencing a proportion of the Community Fund to spend on Education and Training in the area of benefit. Therefore there is the requirement for part of the Beck Burn fund to be used to support the theme of Education and Training in Renewables, or linked themes such as environment, construction or health and safety.

EDF ER require 20% of the fund totalling £31,050 per year to be ring fenced for this priority.

The eight parish/community councils in the 5 kilometre will each administer £5000 per annum for small grants under £1000