

Other Local Forums

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The umbrella organisation for Local Fora,
User Panels and Local Area Co-ordination
for Adults and Older People in Fife

GENERAL INFORMATION

FIFE FORUM GLENROTHES



ACTIVE IN YOUR
COMMUNITY

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Do you want to know more about Transport; Personal Safety; Housing; Income Tax; Pensions; Welfare Rights and Health?

Do you want to have a say in how services are delivered in the Glenrothes area for people over 55 years?

Then come along to the Glenrothes Forum where you can discuss these type of issues and hear from and ask questions from the service providers such as Fife Council Social Work Services, Fife Health Board and the Government Department of Work & Pensions.

We meet on the first Thursday of the month at 1.30 p.m. in the CISWO Club, North Street, Glenrothes (light refreshments are served and you can meet the other members).

We also campaign for better services and resources for older people and are regularly asked for our views and opinions on services for older people by Fife Council and Fife Health Board.

Our purposes are:

- A. The prevention or relief of poverty
- B. The advancement of education
- C. The relief of those in need by reason of age, ill health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage



GENERAL INFORMATION

There are over 90,293 people of pensionable age residing in Fife, which is around 24% of the total population. This is a slightly higher proportion than the Scottish average.

The Glenrothes Forum is part of a Fife wide network of elderly forums, which come under the umbrella of Fife Forum, who provides the local forums with funding, advice and guidance.

User Panels have been set up and are supported by staff from Fife Forum. User Panels provide a means where older people who use services can be consulted on the quality and standard of care.

An Advocacy Service provides free information, advice and support for older people in Fife.

There are also four Local Area Coordinators who work with individual and communities to identify services and groups, which help older people maintain their independence.

You can become involved, join your local Forum and make our collective views known.



Together we can become a strong united voice that should not be ignored.

Help us campaign for better services and resources for local older people.

If you are interested please come along to our next meeting, or contact our Secretary, whose contact details are:

For further information please fill in your contact details and send to our Secretary or to the address on the back of this leaflet.

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