

Dunbar Trades Association

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Dunbar Trades' Association wholeheartedly supports Dunbar Community Bakery Limited in its efforts to re-establish a bakery on Dunbar High Street. This will make use of a currently empty shop, create local employment and assist in increased footfall to our historic town centre.

A bakery which bakes fresh, quality bread is a crucial asset to any high street. Dunbar High Street has suffered since the closure of the Smiths' bakery two years ago and the reopening of a bakery will, we are sure, help to attract more people to the Town centre, to the benefit of other shops.

A number of our members together with cafes and hotels in Dunbar and district have shown significant interest in sourcing bakery products from the new bakery once it is up and running. This will also help to keep money circulating locally, to the benefit of the local economy and local people.

As a community owned business, Dunbar Community will be re-investing future profits for the benefit of the community, particularly in providing education and training in bakery skills. This can only be good for the future of our town.

We look forward to the Bakery opening as soon as possible.

Yours Faithfully

Robin McEwan

Chair