

Appointment of The Halliday Foundation

Dear Reidvale Housing Association tenants,

I am writing to share some exciting and positive news about the future of the Reidvale Neighbourhood Centre, a place that is at the heart of our community.

Following a careful and considered process, I'm delighted to let you know that <u>The Halliday</u> <u>Foundation</u> has been selected as the new lead organisation to operate and manage the centre.

The Halliday Foundation is a well-respected Glasgow-based charity with a strong history of working in communities to reduce poverty, homelessness, and social isolation.

They deliver a wide range of services, from food support and wellbeing programmes to employability initiatives and volunteering opportunities.

Chris Halliday, Director of Operations at The Halliday Foundation, has done a stellar job in creating a community-first approach which aligns perfectly with the values and needs of the community and Reidvale Housing Association.

What this means for you is continued access to a welcoming and inclusive space, and the introduction of even more services designed to support individuals and families of all ages.

There truly are some fantastic services on offer, these include: youth support and clubs, wellbeing and mental health groups, family, baby and toddler sessions, affordable meals and food support, health and fitness activities, skills development and employability support, digital inclusion help, community meals, movie nights, and more.

We believe this is a positive step forward. It secures the long-term future of a vital community space that you all love and enjoy, while also opening new opportunities to grow the support available in the East End.

As always, we will continue to keep you updated throughout the process, and The Halliday Foundation team looks forward to hearing what matters most to you.

If you have any questions in the meantime, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Best wishes, Julie Smillie Interim Director Reidvale Housing Association