



**DALMELLINGTON
COMMUNITY CENTRE**

38 Ayr Road, Dalmellington, KA6 7SJ



Charity No SCD46026

PROJECT : REFURBISHMENT OF THE MEETING ROOM

- PLACE BASE FUNDING APPLICATION SUBMITTED ON **27TH APRIL 2023**
- ACKNOWLEDGEMENT RECEIVED ON **2ND MAY 2023**
- RECOMMENDED FOR EAC CABINET MEETING ON **14TH JUNE 2023**
- AWARD LETTER AND APPENDICES RECEIVED ON **26TH JUNE 2023**
- TOTAL AWARDED - £32,500

My Comments re the Application:-

On the whole this application was user friendly however trying to attach more than one quote wasn't possible (Question 39 refers) therefore I had to email both quotes. Also regarding Question 40, the breakdown of costs is included in the quotes.



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WHO USES THE MEETING ROOM:-

- Local Groups – there are over 30 local Groups in Dalmellington Parish
- Social Services – e.g., estranged families, literacy classes
- NHS – the Meeting Room is a dedicated eye screening suite every Wednesday
- AGMs
- Training Courses – e.g., First Aid, Personal Licences, Health & Safety
- Recording Interviews
- Job Interviews
- Police Clinics

This list is not exhaustive, these are some examples.

We anticipate demand for this room increasing following this extensive refurbishment



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Once the start date for the works was confirmed as Thursday 11th January 2024 I started taking photographs for our records.

We do this for all our refurbishment projects and it is normally a condition for the funders.

While we had the builders here we decided to refurbish the side entrance hall, the cost of which will be met from the Association Funds.



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The following slides are going to show the before and during pictures of the room. You might think the room wasn't too bad however if you look closely you start to realise how tired it was and also things like the industrial looking trunking etc.

The ceiling was in a particularly poor condition, this will be replaced by an insulated acoustic ceiling. The lighting was poor and expensive to run with 24 individual fluorescent light tubes contained within 6 light fittings. This will be replaced by LED panel lighting.

The heating system was 4 large cast iron radiators and this will be replaced with 2 easily regulated modern radiators.

All of these improvements will ensure that we are lowering our carbon footprint.



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PHOTOGRAPHS OF BEFORE:-





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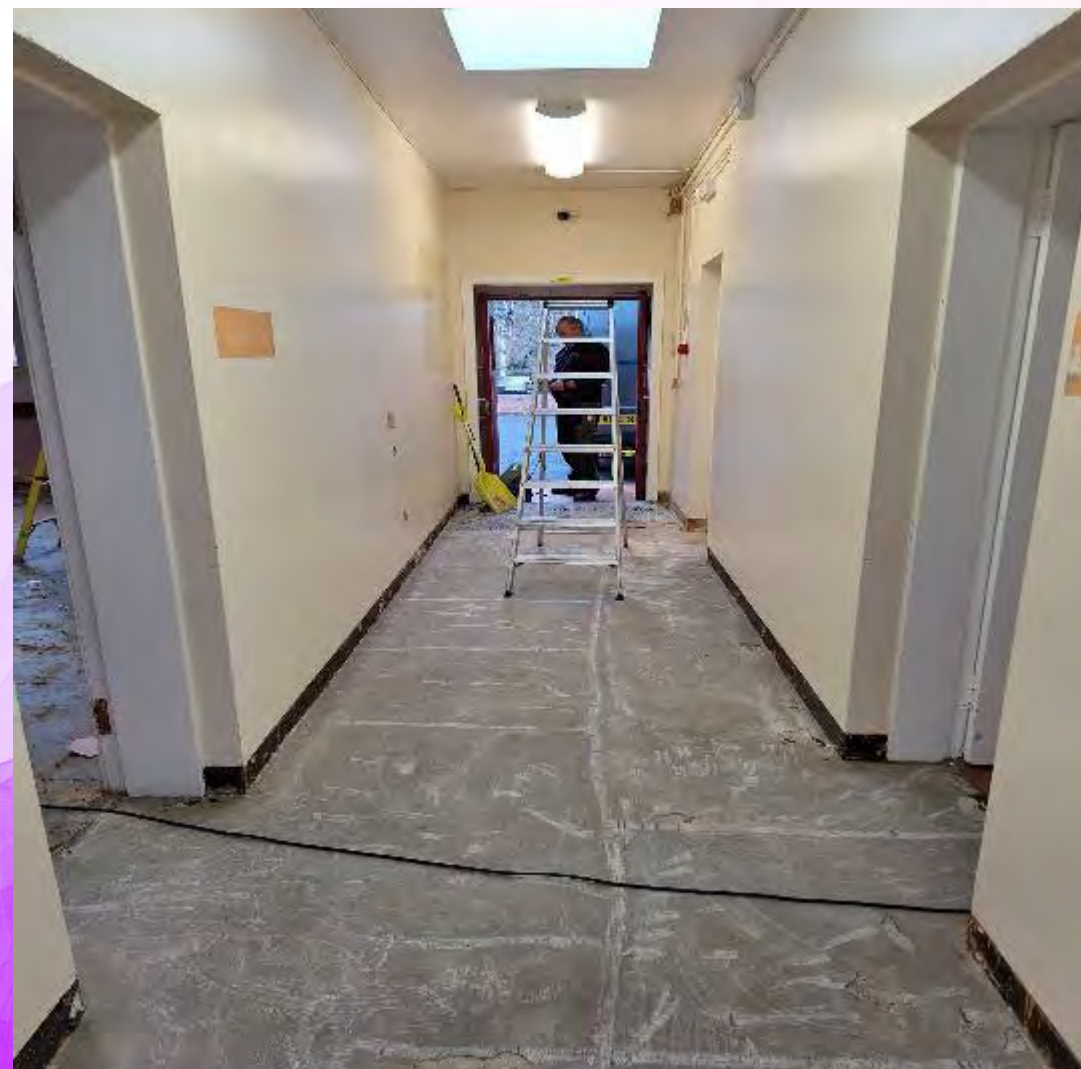


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This has really been a boost for the Association to receive the Place Base Funding and has greatly helped our Refurbishment programme.

Thank you for your attention.

Sharon Smith
Secretary/Trustee - DCA