

## **Aberdeen Greenspace Trust Limited**

I am pleased to announce that as from 1<sup>st</sup> July 2008 Aberdeen Countryside Project will be renamed as Aberdeen Greenspace Trust Limited. On a day to day basis Aberdeen Greenspace will be used as a trading name of Aberdeen Greenspace Trust Limited. The charity and company details will remain the same and the assets will be transferred.

Our new details are: Aberdeen Greenspace, Doig Scott Building, Craibstone Estate, Bucksburn, Aberdeen AB21 9YA. Telephone: 01224 711129, Fax: 01224 710119, E-mail: [info.ag@btconnect.com](mailto:info.ag@btconnect.com), Website: [www.aberdeengreenspace.org.uk](http://www.aberdeengreenspace.org.uk).

### **Why have we changed our name?**

Aberdeen Countryside Project was established in 1997 and the name has served us well over the years. However the term countryside in our title implied that we only worked in the outskirts of the city and not within the built up areas. New terminology has developed over the years with greenspace becoming the accepted term for open space within urban areas. We believe that the new name better describes the work that we do and will allow us to promote the work that we do in a more clear and coherent fashion. The term greenspace is used widely and is understood by our partners, statutory bodies and the public.

Overall we hope it will enable us to raise our profile and help us to promote Aberdeen Greenspace and the work that we carry out.

Recent projects have included work at:

Deer Road Park, Woodside – working in partnership with Aberdeen City Council and the Auld Woodside Action Group to deliver improved landscaping through native tree planting and fencing and better access through the funding of a tarmac path.

Dyce Central Park – where we worked with Aberdeen City Council and Dyce Neighbourhood Network to deliver improved landscaping through native tree and hedge planting and funding of a tarmac path.

WIAT – in partnership with Aberdeen City Council and Forestry Commission Scotland work will be carried out at thirteen woods within the city to improve access and woodland management.

Aberdeen Countryside Project has carried out work to improve access at Auchmill Road, Hilton Woods and Seaton Park using our Volunteer Group.

If you have any projects that you feel we could assist with please let us know.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries about the change of name.

Yours sincerely,

Alister J. Clunas  
Chief Officer