Cornhill Community Action Status report - 11th January 2023

All details of the charity's affairs can be found at 'About us' on the Cornhill on Tweed Centre website https://www.cornhillontweedcentre.org.uk

We have received a grant of £10.000 from the Bernard Sunley Foundation. Assuming the outstanding grant applications are successful, then the funding to finish the project is in place. Two of the tenants have their keys and will be starting on their decorating soon. We are expecting another skip so we can have another tidy-up session. We have three definite bookings, one nearly definite and one possible. Lynda and Julie at the village shop cannot take on the kitchen unit. For the time being, the trustees have decided to leave it.

Signs for the Centre and for the main road are being investigated by Maggie Read who is developing a new logo for use on the signs, social media and on the website.

Fire extinguishers and first aid kit are being investigated by David. We are also registering the postal address and organising refuse collection.

All works to finish are now in hand, electricity metering, toilets plumbing, heating and decorating. It is expected that some tenants will start their businesses in March and so begin paying rent. We are planning a grand opening ceremony in the Easter school holidays in April.

We had a trustees' meeting last Monday, the minutes of which will be available to PC members on the CT Centre website.

Martin Devon