

Girvan Bandstand, Stair Park, Henrietta Street, Girvan

Common Good Consultation Feedback

Feedback and response on Statutory Consultation with the Local Community under Section 104 of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015, for the sale of Girvan Bandstand, Stair Park, Henrietta Street, Girvan to Adventure Centre for Education (ACE), a registered Scottish Charity SC041556.

The Common Good Consultation for Girvan Bandstand, Stair Park, Henrietta Street, Girvan was open between 9am on Monday 11th September 2023 and 5:00pm on Monday 6th November 2023. A notice regarding the consultation was erected at the site in Stair Park, another was displayed in Girvan Library and it was hosted on the South Ayrshire Council website at <https://www.south-ayrshire.gov.uk/article/60398/Common-Good-Consultation-Girvan-Bandstand-Stair-Park-Henrietta-Street-Girvan>. Details of the consultation were circulated to Girvan Community Council and to other known community organisations with a possible interest in the property. Elected members for the Girvan and South Carrick ward were also notified.

As detailed in the table below, 200 completed representations were received – 198 from individuals and 2 on behalf of organisations. All representations were For (supportive of) the proposal or Neutral. No representations were Against the proposal.

Taking these representations into account, the Cabinet of South Ayrshire Council at its meeting on 28th November, re-confirmed its decision to proceed with the disposal. The next stage in the process is for a petition to be submitted to the Sheriff Court, by South Ayrshire Council, to request authorisation for the proposed sale of Common Good property. That work is underway now.

Respondent	Representation	Category: For, Against or Neutral.	Council's Response (where applicable)
Chris Saunders	I wholeheartedly support transferring Girvan's Bandstand to a local social enterprise. This long-overdue project will transform the derelict bandstand into a cafe/event space with watersports access, benefiting the town economically, culturally, and socially. It's a visionary initiative that will revitalize Girvan's heart and create a vibrant community hub.	For	NA
Siobhon Clark	I feel this would be a positive step for the bandstand and for the people of girvan and surroundings!	For	NA
Clare Kennedy	This is an excellent solution to an ongoing eyesore. Every one wins. The community, young people in particular, the common good fund and the economic development of Girvan.	For	NA
Rhona Anderson	I approve this transfer of Girvan Bandstand (Pavilion) to Adventure Carrick.	For	NA

	<p>Appropriate development on the footprint of the Bandstand, is an opportunity for the Girvan community. When people begin to play an active part in improving their own space, civic pride should grow.</p> <p>Success breeds success, so further projects will be supported by inward investment. Local people will make Girvan an even better place.</p> <p>I look forward to supporting this development in whatever way I can.</p>		
Tricia Watts	<p>This project has been badly needed for years. Sadly the building is now in such a bad condition. IT will be wonderful to have it renovated and again can be enjoyed, loved by the community.</p> <p>Most people adore the building, its unique full of history, and memories</p>	For	NA
Stacy Gilchrist	<p>The proposed project and use for the old band stand by local Adventure Centre for Education sounds a fantastic idea for both local people and visitors. It would be great to see this memorable building and landmark of the town be put to such good modern use, helping boost tourism for the town in such a prime location and creating a valuable asset to the local area.</p>	For	NA
Diane Irvine	<p>This is a fabulous idea , the lack of upkeep by SAC has been criminal and I therefore support this project 100% . This will make this neglected and dangerous area appealing and give it the purpose that it really deserves. I would be happy to support this project in any way I can.</p>	For	NA
Alistair Jardine	<p>Great to use the band stand again, I I remember the local bands playing there.</p> <p>Being involved with The Royal Lifesaving Society UK, water safety and education within this planed water Sport and cafe and comunity hub would be a great asset to the town of Girvan and the local Area.</p> <p>I would support this venture 100%</p>	For	NA
Donna Ball	<p>I'm sure ACE have the support of the full town to repair and open the bandstand. My Mum used to dance there, circa 70 years ago.</p> <p>Would be lovely to walk out my front door, look to the left and see a nice repaired building being fully utilised by ACE, the community and beyond. Good luck.</p>	For	NA
Julia Whitaker	<p>Very good idea</p> <p>There has been community interest in developing the bandstand for years and this would provide a great community and visitor facility within Girvan</p>	For	NA
Karen Brown	<p>In support of this as I trust that the building will be loved & cared for by an already established enterprise run by local residents and used as a social & recreational hub for the community.</p>	For	NA
mary campbell	<p>Glad to see this historic building going to be restored put to good use. It will attract more visitors to the town and bring custom for local</p>	For	NA

	businesses too. Well done ACE for saving this historic building.		
Gillian Pringle	Great idea from ace which will not only bring tourism to the community it will Encourage the youth of today to be more proactive with their health and well-being !	For	NA
Kerrie Harvey	So pleased that the opportunity for something to finally happen to the old band stand is here! The plan sounds wonderful especially the sea activities as I think that will be such a wonderful addition to the town and being in lots of new tourists which in turn will help other local businesses in the town!	For	NA
Stacey Ross	Would love to see this brought back to life. Hopefully with the addition of an extension to the building with glass to maximise the view of Ailsa Craig Arran and our famous sunsets, this building could attract visitors from the town and beyond. A cafe/restaurant would be a must and a liquor licence would ensure visitors could enjoy a drink and admire the views town has to offer. Paddle board/ kayak, similar to the biosphere bikes - see Glencoe visitor centre for instance.	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Lynn Milligan	Excellent. So happy to see the band stand put to good use for the benefit of Girvan.	For	NA
Avril Taylor	Fantastic idea. Will be so nice to see this in use and can't wait.	For	NA
Lesley Bell	The proposal for a cafe and watersports hub is a fantastic idea. Will just be great to see it back in use. Keep the look of the building its iconic of ours time and place in the town.	For	NA
CLAIRE MACKINTOSH	I 100% agree with the proposals of developing the old bandstand into a cafe/activities hub. There should be more water sports in our community it would generate revenue and health and well being. A place to sit and enjoy the view with food or drink would also be greatly utilised. I hope this passes quickly and we see it up and running sooner rather than later.	For	NA
Shirley Walker	Glad to see that someone is going to take on this structure and return it to its former glory Hope it is accessible for everyone and open at regular times Cafe and function space sound good	For	NA
Lynne Sykes	A much needed and well overdue plan to upgrade and utilise the bandstand area. ACE are a well thought of and reputable agency within the town and their ideas can only improve what Girvan had to offer. Well done to all involved.	For	NA
Jacqui Dorman	Think this is a great idea. Turning a nearly derelict building into a community asset. I will definitely use the cafe and other services on offer. Good luck	For	NA
Richard Brown	Great idea, it's too impressive to lose and done sympathetically a cafe/hub is a great idea.	For	NA

Gemma Hunter	I think this is an amazing idea. Girvan really needs something down the front for visitors. This will transform the prom and make the bandstand look fabulous. I honestly can't wait for this venture to start. What a boost for the local economy. Thank you and well done	For	NA
Ann Robertson	I think it is an excellent project.to breathe new life into the band stand on Stair Park and I fully support it.	For	NA
Lorraine Clark	Renovation of any old derelict building can only be a positive, I am excited to see what u have planned for this old building so glad it's been given a new lease of life. Well done Ace.	For	NA
Jan Stroud	I think this is a great proposal for the economy and aesthetics of the town. While agreeing that paddle boarding, kayaking, sea swimming and maybe surfing would be great I fear that if the operator were to bring jet skis into the mix it would be a major invasion of other people's enjoyment of the sea front. They are noisy, disruptive and generally anti social. Please consider this and make it a condition of the licence.	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Nancy Rae	Can't believe it's took this long.	For	NA
Kenny McDonald	I think this is a brilliant idea and well over due. I give it my full support	For	NA
Margaret Morrison	It would good to see music events also since it is a bandstand for example music on the prom.	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Aileen Young	Great idea for Girvan	For	NA
Stuart Wilson	This building needs restored and put to good use.	For	NA
Joanna Gemmell	I think this is a great idea and I hope that toilet facilities will be included. I would love to see the building done up and made use of, rather than being a home for pigeons. This can't happen fast enough.	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Adam Oellermann	This is a positive move. It is a shame that the bandstand has been so badly neglected and maintenance not kept up, but it will provide a good and useful facility to the Girvan community once restored. I look forward to the redevelopment of the bandstand!	For	NA
Debbie McGill	I think this will be great for the town. There's no food places close to the beach until you get to David's snack bar. And the use of the space for equipment for beach activities will be a tremendous asset. It's such a beautiful big beach that needs more to bring tourists in. The beach alone does a great job but even having things that everyone can enjoy on the beach is something the towns been needing for years.	For	NA

Shona Hamilton	Something badly needs done with the Girvan Bandstand before it falls down. This looks like a fantastic idea.	For	NA
Karen King	Delighted to see this eyesore in Girvan being restored. I think watersports, particularly paddle boarding has become very popular and Girvan has a great beach perfect for boarding. Good wishes for every success	For	NA
Celia Mitchell	Fully support the sale of Girvan band stand for the purpose outlined in the consultation documentation, it will be an asset to the town.	For	NA
Susan Crawford	Great idea! There is so much the space could offer and be the platform for including; Cafe Multi use hub Sports and sea activities Public toilets (free) Shelter from rain Musical performances - all types of musics Bring back gig on the green Open air workout classes Tourist info	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Natalie Hibbins	This sounds like a fantastic idea and will make a huge difference to Girvan , I walk down there every day with my dog . To help regenerate Girvan and provide jobs I'm all in favour for!	For	NA
Catherine McAllister	Great idea. Would be nice to have this building in use. There are no cafe facilities at this part of the seafront so it will be a much needed lift to the area.	For	NA
Suzanne Agnew	I like and support the idea of a cafe and outdoor hub run by Ace. They are a huge asset to a seaside town like Girvan. They already provide waterfront activities in Girvan such as canoeing or kayaking. Living near the sea, requires one to respect the water and boundaries. Who better than Ace to support that. The band stand itself is a bit useless as it is. Having someone to create a cafe/hub. Would provide everyone in Girvan and those passing through with somewhere to sit.	For	NA
Malcolm Donohoe	An absolutely excellent idea to redevelop a historic feature of Girvan that's in danger of being lost and currently an eyesore. I fully support sale of the Bandstand for the proposed development	For	NA
Ruth Robertson	Will be great to see this iconic building put to use again	For	NA
Sconaid Clark	I am so in favour of ACE taking on the bandstand in Girvan The organisation do so much in and for the town and a higher profile for their activities and events can only be good. They are also based in the town and will, I'm sure, upgrade the building to its former glory.	For	NA

Claire Mills	I think this facility would be a real asset to Girvan and surrounding communities. It would also attract people from further a field. Watersports are increasing in popularity and this venue would take advantage of the wonderful coastal location . Facilities like this have been successful in other areas and it would be good if Girvan could tap into this success . It would also have the potential to provide employment and bring people to the town who would use other businesses in the town.	For	NA
Amanda Tongue	This sounds like an excellent idea. A cafe on the seafront would be a very welcome addition to the area and renovating the building to make it a viable public space instead of the eyesore it is now can only be a good thing.	For	NA
Sue Macdougall	It sounds like an excellent plan to breathe new life into the old bandstand and I back it 100%	For	NA
Rodger Hunter	I fully support the transfer and intended use. If left under the stewardship of SAC the important local landmark will be left to deteriorate further and will be destined for eventual demolition.	For	NA
Denise Wilson	I think this is a fantastic idea and would really benefit the town.	For	NA
Susanne Arbuckle	I fully support this regeneration project which will save a heritage building, create local jobs and provide a valuable service for residents and visitors, thus improving the social and economic welfare of Girvan.	For	NA
Elisa Campanaro	I support that the grandstand be converted into a cafe and local hub.	For	NA
Nikki Pitt	Pleased to see this derelict building being considered for great work which will only help our community.	For	NA
Moira Lauchlan	I wholeheartedly agree with the proposal for Girvan bandstand.	For	NA
David Young	Cant comment on any proposal without being provided withfull information as to how the prospective organisationwillprotect/maintain the building,the restrictions placed on them and how they a community organisationwould benefit the general public how they are going to fund their project in the long term and adapt their constitution to incorporate use for allmembers of the\General Public\"what ever their age	Neutral	This will be shared with the prospective buyer with the suggestion that they engage with the community to provide additional information.
Fi Leng	Really good to know the old bandstand is going to be put to good use again. Fantastic opportunities for the local community.	For	NA

Yvonne McGill	I think this would be welcomed by the local community and visitors. Would be great to see new life in the building.	For	NA
Susan Rodger	Great idea	For	NA
Rebecca Williams	In favour of a community run space, with café facilities, perhaps offering a 'changing place' facility too. Will promote the area, make increased use/visibility of the lovely green space.	For	Your suggestion will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Michelle Michelle	I am in support of this project and think it will be a great benefit to the community. Extending the great variety of opportunities ACE already offer this will give a central base making this opportunity more available to all.	For	NA
Isobel Wilson	ACE would be brilliant if they managed to get the old bandstand in stair park in girvan Thus would be a great asset to the town/ if it was revamped and open to all - as it used to be years ago I for one used to participate in the open air concerts during the summer months in the 60s Fingers crossed they get to work on it and it becomes well used and loved again	For	NA
Kevin Taylor	This is a great idea for the town of girvan and the area.	For	NA
Jamie Horne	Fully support this project and would be great to see the bandstand repaired and being used.	For	NA
Deborah Eustace	The green and. promenade are well used areas by a massive range of ages from girvan citizens to visitors A rejuvenated bandstand with possibly a coffee shop or cafe that could be rented out would be a well used addition to what is a wonderful tourist and local amenities	For	NA
Howard Wilkinson	Very good idea.. be it it will test the resources of the social enterprise group. Good luck	For	NA
Harriet Ellis	A great idea - it has looked so sad for so long, and is well worth preserving	For	NA
Jackie Gribbon	The proposal is excellent as the bandstand is an eyesore and a waste of a potentially great asset to the town. One note of caution is that I would like there to be some clause in the sale requiring the new owners to maintain and use the bandstand, otherwise ownership and responsibility would revert to SAC. This can't be a means of SAC washing it's hands of responsibility completely for a common good property.	For	Thank you for your suggestion. SAC will consider this going forward.
David Wood	Will be great to see this looking great and being used. On Remembrance Sundays at the monument the band stand is an eyesore. What must passers by think who pass along the main route of Henrietta St.	For	NA
James Stewart	It would be nice if when this facility was sold there could be a provision for public toilets to be re-instated. Then organisations like music on the	For	Your suggestions will be shared with

	prom could be encouraged to make use of this wonderful building.		the prospective buyer.
Millie Cathcart	We fully support renovating and saving the Girvan Bandstand. It is a wonderful multi use space that can open the door to activities, concerts etc that will bring business back to Girvan and make it thrive.	For	NA
Janet Laurie	Girvan Band Stand. I think the proposal for the Girvan band stand sounds great for Girvan and it would cover all age groups for activities and having a cafe for meeting up, to socialise and also great way to attract people to Girvan to visit . I don't stay in Girvan but my Mum does and I am impressed with how the Community here work so well together .	For	NA
Wendy Gillon	Think this would be a great idea. Put an old building to good use for the community. Create jobs and a place for young and old alike to go.	For	NA
Donald Neil	Great to see this local building being saved , I hope SAC planning adopt a common sense approach to assist with its transformation into a useful and valued community asset	For	NA
Lynne McLaughlin	I fully support the community asset transfer of Girvan Bandstand. The development of this historic building will be a welcome addition in attracting tourism and providing new facilities for the local community.	For	NA
Mark Sloan	Glad someone is looking to develop this local landmark. It would be great for refreshments/cafe usage! I feel this would encourage use of Stair Park in good weather and would also be used by people on the beach as there are no facilities this far up and everything is congregated around the harbour. Security would of course be a concern as it is fairly isolated!	For	NA
Annette Cron	A coffee/cocktail bar to watch the fantastic West Coast sunsets from. With music events held for local musicians.	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Hayley Mccrindle	I think this is a great idea. Making it into something useful would be very beneficial to the people of Girvan.	For	NA
Cheryl Agnew	Fully support ACE purchasing the old band stand. It would be wonderful to see some life back in the old building	For	NA
Judie McCourt	It would be wonderful if the bandstand could be brought back into use as part of the ongoing regeneration of Girvan	For	NA
Jennifer McClung	I agree with the proposals in the consultation regarding the sale of Girvan Bandstand. Although it holds Common Good status it has lay derelict for years now and I think the proposals put forward would benefit the community increasing visitor footfall and bringing more revenue to the town.	For	NA

Suzanne Bogle	I have a caravan at queensland barrhill and would love to see this beautiful historic band stand taken over to enable it to be used again to bring regeneration to girvan and local community	For	NA
David Wilson	Very happy to support ACE with there proposed development.	For	NA
Kieron Stuart	A huge benefit to the people of Girvan	For	NA
Robert Muir	I totally endorse this plan to rejuvenate the Girvan Bandstand. It will become a great asset to the Town and Community of Girvan.	For	NA
Lisa Knox	Great idea for the bandstand	For	NA
Amanda Reid	About time! This is a great idea and will make such a difference to Stair Park.	For	NA
Sandra Gibbons	This is a positive idea to use the bandstand.Long overdue. Girvan needs this regenerative hub. Well done.	For	NA
Enrica Clark	This is a great opportunity for Girvan. I hope Ace get approval for all they require	For	NA
Rachel Everest	This is a fantastic idea for Girvan and the surrounding communities to have somewhere to gather, socialise, listen to music and speakers on so many diverse subjects, and to bring tourism to the area	For	NA
Margaret McNeill	The proposal for the bandstand sounds good. It would be great to see it being used again.	For	NA
Lynn Clachan	The bandstand should be sold and turned into a venue that will look good and, once again benefit the local community.	For	NA
Martin Walker	It would be good for this to be restored to it's former glory and be another asset for the town	For	NA
Ian Irvine	This is a fabulous project in an area that is iconic well done to a fabulous group that are all for improving the facilities in the town as well as the well-being of the community	For	NA
Aileen Fairbairn	Think great idea and would be a huge benefit to the town. Bandstand has a lot of potential and ideal location for cafe and beach activities which are hugely popular now.	For	NA
Gordon Higgs	ACE taking over the bandstand is a good idea. As the council has had a duty to maintain the building for many years I'd expect the Council to fix any structural issues and bring the building up to at least the standard it was when they first acquired it, at their expense, before handing it over.	For	The Bandstand was marketed for sale in its current condition. The Council undertook a Best Value Assessment which found that a sale to the local social enterprise, at less than best consideration, was reasonable.
Heather Fraser	I am in favour of the bandstand at Stair Park in Girvan being sold to the local enterprise group, it	For	NA

	would be a valuable asset to the Girvan community, creating employment and opportunities and also making good use of the building and adding to the facilities that Girvan has to offer		
Sarah Henderson	I think this is a great idea both for this building and the town. The cafe and water sports hub will be a brilliant asset for Girvan. And ACE is the perfect organisation to realise this.	For	NA
Frances donnelly	It will be worthwhile to see the bandstand being used for the good of the community and outlaying villages. It's a shame to see it going to ruin.	For	NA
Rachael Warner	I support this project and it would be a great use of building in much need of work. It would also bring more people Girvan and increase tourism.	For	NA
Fiona De Faye	This is a great idea - and an opportunity to make community use of a long abandoned but historic site , which could benefit the local community	For	NA
Carly Roythorne	I support this plan and think it would benefit the community. Ace is a fabulous company which I trust to do a great job	For	NA
Phillip Hamilton	It would be great to see the Bandstand developed. The idea of a cafe and additional uses sounds fantastic. I'm all for it!	For	NA
Kath Drummond	What a fantastic proposal! I think this would be an absolute asset to Girvan and would certainly be very popular. The weather can't be guaranteed and to have somewhere undercover to go would be a huge advantage. Great location - and added advantage of being close to biosphere bikes. Fingers very definitely crossed that this goes ahead and is completely as quickly as possible.	For	NA
Donna Beckett	I support this proposal to sell bandstand	For	NA
Margaret Davidson	Surely the sale would be better than leaving Bandstand to fall in to total disrepair and eventual demolition. A tourist attraction for Girvan can only be a good thing.	For	NA
Senga Scobie	Fantastic, positive step in the right direction to restore and utilise this lovely old building for the good of the community and visitors alike.	For	NA
Sharon Hughes	Such a good idea, would be a pity to lose it altogether. It's in a dreadful state.	For	NA
Brian Duffie	A great idea to bring a derelict and highly visible building back into use for the good of the general community	For	NA
Susan Jones	Complety in support as currently the bandstand is a sorry site and deteriorating. To create something that can benefit the community of Girvan would be fantastic .	For	NA
John Powles	I would like the bandstand to become a space an animal cafe, or a place where you could hire canoes/boats/surfboards/jetskies which i think would also promote safety in the ocean as i have seen young kids swim out into the ocean on inflatable mattresses!	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.

yvonne farrel	As a dedicated member of our community I have made my way door to door to gather feedback regarding the future of the bandstand from our residents. I'd like to report that our community has overwhelmingly shown support for the transformation of the bandstand into a jetski rental site. This initiative will enhance the area by creating a new and enjoyable recreational activity, ultimately contributing to the reduction of crime rates. Furthermore, it will create numerous employment opportunities.	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Brian Saunderland	Place to hire jet ski/water sport vehicles. A place to also enquire/book boat trips to ailsa craig as many tourists have expressed interest but dont know who to contact and where to go for this. Perhaps a cafe too but not a costa cofee its expensive	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
James Wood	Hello, I would like to support the Girvan Bandstand project. It's a great idea and will improve the area and Girvan's community. Thanks	For	NA
Marco Sisi	This is a fantastic idea. The Bandstand is currently an eyesore, and putting it to use via a social enterprise is an idea that I very much support!	For	NA
Charlene Sloan	Bring the bandstand upto date	For	NA
Lynne Hyslop	I think that re opening the bandstand will be a great asset to the community. A cafe as a central hub, with toilets and a place where community can get together as one. Linked with activities based in the local area, land or sea based will be a bonus and help get everyone out into the great outdoors.	For	NA
Wendy Nibloe	The bandstand would be good as a non profit making place for the people of Girvan and District to be able to access this. For various events and groups. Social meeting place. Come for picnic with events on for all ages.	For	NA
Emma Smith	I've often passed by the band stand and thought it's such a waste to be lying unused. It's a huge part of Girvans history, seen in many 'old' pictures of the town, and to see it in use again would be fantastic for the people of Girvan as well as visitors. ACE are a credit to the town and I fully support them in their venture to bring the bandstand back to life for the community.	For	NA
Sharon McGregor	Selling Girvan bandstand to a local enterprise is a fantastic idea. It will encourage more people to visit. A base for water activities is a winner (see Strathclyde waterpark, Loch Morlich in Aviemore, and Lomond Shores). It will attract people due to its visibility and it's accessibility to the shore. Locals will have more opportunity to experience outdoor activities. Events and cafe will bring vibrancy to the area and inject new life to what is currently a sad and dilapidated building.	For	NA
Kate Gillon	This a great idea such a good location perfect for water activities a cafe in the old band stand would	For	NA

	be great and bring a lot to the local area. I hope they get to go ahead with their plans		
Colin McNally	It is time to do something with the bandstand. It has sat unloved for many years. It needs an organization such as ACE to deliver a new purpose and new reason for the bandstand. You need an organisation that has shown it can deliver.	For	NA
Ellen Greenwood	It would be wonderful to see this abandoned building developed into a resource and attraction for both visitors and community. I have have visited Girvan a number of times and I think a development would enhance the area.	For	NA
ann berry	wholeheartedly support the bandstand redevelopment. It will bring economic wealth to Girvan in many ways. It will greatly enhance the tourist experience repurposing what was an iconic but now derelict building into a useable vibrant venue	For	NA
Margaret Jane Willis	I am in full agreement that ACE have ownership of the Bandstand in Stair Park Girvan. It has been neglected for too long and the Common Good transfer should go ahead.	For	NA
Catriona Cochrane	As a Girvan native who spends time in both Maidens and Pinwherry, and as a keen paddleboarder/swimmer I fully support this application. Girvan has huge potential to expand the scope of its watersheds offer and a thriving musical scene with talented local musicians. Since the decline of many of the traditional cafes it will also be a bonus to have a seaside location for use by community and tourists to gather, chat, eat and drink, bringing life and vitality to the seafront and Stair Park area.	For	NA
Gail McMaster	I fully support the use of the building for ACE as a grassroots charity they are well established and liked in the community. I'm sure they will bring the building back into use responsibly	For	NA
Corrie Coleman	I think this sounds like a wonderful proposal and exactly what Girvan needs! I am no longer personally living in Girvan but I did for over 20 years and as most of my family live here I still refer to it as 'home', visiting frequently. I really hope this goes ahead, it's such a shame to see what once was an amazing building lying in such a state & the ideas being put forward from ACE to utilise the space and create a hub for our community sound perfect.	For	NA
Iorraine Gilchrist	The band stand should be turned into a bar/ coffee shop which should be open daily, also it should be available to hire out for private events, thus helping to pay for itself	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Marie McNulty	Girvan Bandstand Common Good Consultation I fully support the plans for the transfer of the bandstand to ACE as it will bring immense benefits to Girvan. The bandstand has laid derelict and	For	NA

	deteriorating for years and breathing new life into it, offering opportunities for young people, outdoor activity and something which supports the plans for tourism development in Girvan can only be a 'good' thing for all.		
Limara Wason	I think that the band stand would make a fabulous bistro/tea room. Something similar to Ropes in maidens. Sunset drinks with that view would bring a lot of business to the town! I also think that the land the old health centre was on which is owned by the health board would make excellent car park for the bandstand	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Wendy Varley	Excellent idea hopefully it works out. It's a shame to see a beautiful old building going to waste	For	NA
Victoria Boyle	How very exciting! This would be a wonderful project and well worth doing. For far too long the bandstand has been a sorry sad neglected building. It's restoration would benefit many people and encourage visitors to this beautiful area. Bring it on I say! Many congratulations to all those working on the project. Victoria Boyle	For	NA
Andrew Leng	This would be a fantastic opportunity not only for ACE, but for the local community.	For	NA
Andy Essex	Sounds a very good idea I would support this.	For	NA
Oliver Green	I fully support the plans for Girvan band stand and wanted my wishes known. It would be great for the community and it's a lovely bit of local heritage	For	NA
Claire Mccrorie	Would be great to see the building transformed into a great community hub. Ace are definitely the right group for that. Its a lovely building left rotting away. Would be brilliant for the town.	For	NA
Maria Loughnane	I think this is an excellent idea, especially for a seafront location, and, also, far better than allowing an attractive building to fall down.	For	NA
Iain McMahon	I whole heartedly support the plan to regenerate the bandstand at Stairpark. I regularly walk past this area and it would be nice to stop and have a coffee in the beautiful surroundings. 100% behind this proposal	For	NA
Matthew Conaghan	Great idea and would bring people to the town.	For	NA
Sean Hutton	Great idea just what girvan needs, activities will bring more people to the town, great for small businesses to get the town thriving again.	For	NA
James Mulholland	It would to see this lovely old building brought back into us a for both the local community caravans and general holidaymakers.	For	NA
Audrey Wilson	I think this is a fantastic idea and would be nice to see this building being used for the purposes it was built for	For	NA
Val Scholfield	Fantastic to see the bandstand have a plan to revive it at last. Well done for getting this project off the ground and into action. You have my full	For	NA

	<p>support. Council should be 100% behind revitalising this eyesore for the good of the local community and tourism market. This will help local businesses and bring much needed revenue to the town. Between the plan for the bandstand, proposed Ailsa Craig Development and Biosphere Bikes shop this is a good start for investment for Girvan.</p>		
Sharon mccann	It'll be amazing to see it refurbished and utilised.	For	NA
Doris Edwards	A cafe, local hub + outdoor activities for all sound's perfect, only wish it had this done years ago?	For	NA
Roddy MacDonald	<p>I have worked in Girvan over the last 20 years in a variety of roles. Chief Officer of the local council, community worker and volunteer. The Beach and Promenade are key community assets. The restoration of the Band Stand will further regenerate the local economy by attracting footfall and providing an additional asset to the Town. The alternative - leaving it to fall down would be a great shame. Lessons need to be learned from the Ayr Station Hotel before it is too late.</p>	For	NA
Kathryn McFarlane	<p>I am delighted that there are plans to make use of Girvan Bandstand. From old pictures it is clear that it was formerly a grand building and a focus for activities and celebrations. It is now in a sorry state, despite being in an excellent location half way along the Prom. This is an ideal spot for a cafe, and for outdoor and sea activities with its proximity to the park and the beach. This additional resource would also benefit existing events such as Parkrun and Music on the Prom.</p>	For	NA
Sue Whittaker-Hall	I think this is a brilliant plan for the old band stand.	For	NA
Janet Hutcheson	Very supportive of ACE project to develop amenities in the bandstand.	For	NA
Paul Osborne	<p>I think this would be a great asset for the town. The dilapidated building is such an eyesore and would benefit from being regenerated into something that benefits the residents but also brings in much needed passing trade and tourism. The building should be a modern take on the previous structure but should be environmentally friendly</p>	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Rhona Walker	This would be a positive move for the town, both for locals and in encouraging visitors.	For	NA
Law Morrison	<p>Glad a local company is looking to take it over. Would like to see music in the park brought back.</p>	For	NA

Aurelio Sisi	It would be fantastic to see the iconic bandstand restored and to enjoy using it as a community facility.	For	NA
Nicola Sisi	I fully support the restoration and regeneration of this historic building. It would help install pride and promote a strong community sport.	For	NA
Reece Ramsey	It should be restored into something useful for the community its a shame to see it looking tired and abandoned, it could become a very special place in girvan and to see it back in use would add extra tourism interest and bring people together	For	NA
Eileen Mccutcheon	I'm in support of the bandstand being brought back into use. Will be good to see events and other activities taking place there	For	NA
Brian Robertson	Would be delighted to see the bandstand restored and put into use again. It's a historic feature for Girvan and with the esplanade nearby this would be a useful tourist asset and attraction for people to visit and use.	For	NA
Deirdre Coady	It would be lovely to see the band stand redeveloped - where it can add to the facilities / attractions along the sea front. Maybe it could get a special license to be able to conduct marriages, that could be a beautiful place to get married.	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Colin Mcnally	The opportunity for an asset transfer of the bandstand to ace would deliver significant community benefit. It would refurbish and repurpose a landmark on girvan seafront. The opportunity to save the bandstand from eventually falling further into disrepair and causing health and safety issues should be considered. The consideration to support community wealth building must be considered.	For	NA
Christine Marshall	It would make a great base for watersports to be utilised from with a cafe/restaurant for refreshments. What a view that would be	For	NA
Mc master Marion	To see such a beautiful building used for a modern day purpose will be fantastic. I can see it bringing visitors to the area as well as employment. I am definitely behind the project 100%.	For	NA
Chris MacNeill	Please accept this proposal - the Bandstand is of huge historical sentiment to the town and to show an example of how local enterprise can do so the img spectacular in this way would be incredible. The purposes of their proposal also supports the community. Could the road be re-tarmac alongside the graveyard wall to support this also ? Fully support this redevelopment.	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Claire Mccrindle	Great news for the town, would be great to see it back in use.	For	NA
Linda Kidd	Would be absolutely fantastic to put life back into this old building! Would be amazing for the town to have a nice wee chilled cafe there with the	For	NA

	stunning views as well as the other facilities mentioned!!		
Emly Skiba	Fantastic idea to utilise a currently dilapidated structure into an asset that will benefit our community. ACE as an organisation have always supported our young people with amazing opportunities and by using the bandstand as a hub and coffee hut, they will be able to offer more options for adults and young people as well as cater for locals and tourists who use the beach but currently have to leave it some distance for refreshments. Fully support and endorse this proposal	For	NA
Kelt Saunders	Great idea, make use of a dilapidated byild and bring it back to life any way. Even if it means knock it down and build something similar.	For	NA
Margaret Davidson	It would be lovely to have a wee t.room and with those views it would be amazing.	For	NA
Jane Lewis	The use of the bandstand in girvan would be a great attraction for the town and would be put to good use by Music on the Prom . This would be a great benefit to bring more families out especially in the summer months. Could we not do something like Glasgow have with the kelvin grove band stand	For	Your suggestions will be shared with the prospective buyer.
Robert Wilson	I would love to see the Bandstand at Stair Park in Girvan rejuvenated. I have passed it by many times since 1964 and always thought it was very special. I have even photographed it on a few occasions hoping to capture some of the distinctive feeling of the place. If it could be restored and also be useful to the community that would be a wonderful achievement. I hope it can happen. Thank you Robert Wilson	For	NA
Carol Pritchard	Giving local people the opportunity to make a good job of a space that SAC can't maintain is a sensible plan. The local people have the skills and passion to care for their local amenities. I fully support the plan.	For	NA
Iorna mccolm	Restored as a bandstand would be great .	For	NA
Maureen Morton	Refurbishment would make it look so much better and take away an air of neglect. Also maybe encourage bands to come and play. The success of music on the prom run by the Z1 youth group staff is a case in point as folk come to Girvan from outside the town. The seafront area looks pretty good.	For	NA
Peter Cannan	Long overdue, This is a fantastic community opportunity.	For	NA
Judith Brzezinka	I would love to see the bandstand in Girvan renovated and being used again.	For	NA

Fiona Wilson	This would be a great idea, at the moment its an eyesore to get it back and do what they are planning would be great for the community and also visitors to the town. And possibly attract new people to the town.	For	NA
Kathy Druce	We moved to the area about 2 years ago. We often walk along by the beach/grass area in Girvan with our dog and wonder about this old building and why it has gone to ruin. It has some beautiful features and could look amazing if restored. A great landmark for Girvan. Such a shame if it is not restored.	For	NA
Donna White	I think it would be a great idea to restore the bandstand. Too many buildings and the like fall into disrepair and end up demolished. It would be a good place for local gatherings, music etc.	For	NA
Grace Coulter	It would be lovely to have the bandstand up and running again A wee tea room to attract tourists it would be an asset to the Town instead of being an eyesore	For	NA
Stephen Rae	I would love to see the Bandstand up and running again. Sadly all through my childhood in Girvan it just stood there empty and decaying. It used to have a great reputation and hopefully will again.	For	NA
Kayleigh Allan	Great to see the proposal. Hopefully it goes through and the bandstand is brought back to its former glory	For	NA
Dorothy McNeill	The bandstand is part of the history of Girvan and should be renovated to its former glory to the benefit of the people. A cafe and community hub would be an asset to the town. Security of the site should be paramount due to its position and past history of vandalism. Hoping for a positive outcome.	For	NA
K Hou	I support the development proposed by ACE. Also any other developments to make the bandstand a resource for the people of Girvan	For	NA
Rory Boyle	As a professional musician I am writing to say how vital it is to restore the Girvan bandstand. Not only is it a building of considerable importance but it would provide endless opportunities for music-making of all types and by all ages. A functioning bandstand would provide a perfect outlet for performance and would enhance the whole area of Victory Park. I urge the council to bring this wonderful structure back to life for the benefit of the community and all future generations.	For	NA
Michael Grouver	Would love the bandstand to be a cafe it's a great area to have one and would bring tourists in my opinion	For	NA
Sharon mccann	It would be great to see Bandstand restored to its former glory and being used regularly too.	For	NA

Lynn Laurenson	I think this is a positive step for an iconic building in the town. It's currently unsafe and an eyesore. It has great potential to bring in people and support the prospects of the town	For	NA
Isobel Craig	We've been coming to Girvan since I was a child in the 70s and love it here. Now I'm living here bringing my own kids up. Would love to see some of it being restored to it's former glory including the bandstand. Many bands could be playing here including Girvan's own folk/music club. I am a musician and was brought up listening to many styles of music. Many of us would love to see the bandstand being renovated for this purpose. Thank you.	For	NA
David Girvan (by e-mail)	<p>Dear Estates</p> <p>Girvan Band Stand is yet another example of successive council administration failing to maintain and invest in Sports and Leisure facilities in Girvan which then results in third sector groups having to fund and maintain these premises so that Girvan & South Carrick doesn't loose these basic facilities</p> <p>I live on the same street as the band stand which is an iconic building on Girvan Promenade. The council and third sector groups are working in partnership to regenerate the promenade but no matter what investment takes place in the promenade until the bandstand is refurbished this will always detract from the improvements</p> <p>I fully support ACE in their application for a CAT of this liability from SAC and yes that what the bandstand is to the council a liability due to failure of SAC to invest. I hope SAC do what they have done with previous CAT and allocate funding to ACE as part of the transfer for what it would take to get the building wind and water tight after all SAC have not invested in this building for years. They certainly should not be asking ACE for a fee to buy the bandstand</p> <p>The reason I support ACE request is they have a track record of ruining a social enterprise and have staff with the knowledge and skills to deliver this project. I'm sure that ACE will once again deliver for the community and turn this liability of SAC into thriving destination for visitor, residents and in return saving this iconic building for generations to come</p>	For	The proposal is for a disposal (sale) at less than best consideration and not a Community Asset Transfer (CAT) through Part 5 of the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015.
Rhona Anderson (by e-mail)	I wholeheartedly approve of the transfer of Girvan Bandstand (Pavilion) on Stair Park to be used as planned by Adventure Carrick. Girvan people deserve to see regeneration in their town. With sensitive and appropriate development on the footprint of the Bandstand, this is an opportunity for the whole Girvan community to support Adventure Carrick. When people begin to	For	NA

	<p>play an active part in improving their own space, then civic pride should grow.</p> <p>Success breeds success, so perhaps when funding bodies see some progress in Girvan regeneration, further projects will be supported by inward investment.</p> <p>Nowadays, it is up to local people to create a town which attracts visitors, and make Girvan an even better place to live in than ever.</p> <p>I look forward to supporting this development in whatever way I can.</p>		
Robert Sykes (by e-mail)	So in favour!!!	For	NA
Colin Jack Clark (by e-mail)	I fully support the regeneration of the bandstand as I think it will be a fantastic addition for the local community.	For	NA
Christine Robertson (by e-mail)	The proposal is a great idea. Any group willing to undertake this project should be applauded and supported by South Ayrshire Council.	For	NA
Rosemarie Speedie (by e-mail)	To whom it may concern, I am wholly supportive of the plans for the bandstand. It will take a derelict building and turn it into a fantastic, useful asset for the town. I look forward to seeing it finished, providing a great hub for tourists and locals, alike.	For	NA
Julie Campbell (by e-mail)	Would love to see this iconic Landmark potentially having a new lease of life. We need the regeneration in Girvan not just for tourists but for local people. Let's make it happen.	For	NA
Lale Bryce (by e-mail)	Thanks for connecting on this. We, as a family living in Girvan support ACE taking ownership and we would like to see Girvan band stand brought back to life. This is a positive response you will be looking for. ACE is doing a lot of positive activities for the people of Girvan. Which makes us so happy. Thanks	For	NA
Bill Russell (by e-mail)	Scotts Pods fully support this fantastic idea, what an innovative idea and something that will fit in perfectly with the sea front ideas and as Girvan becoming a hub for exploring South Ayrshire with a nod to outdoor activities. Well done ACE	For	NA
Gordon McKenzie (by e-mail)	It would be nice to restore Girvan Bandstand back to its original status so it could be used for many different options one that I would like to be there was music on the prom	For	NA
Pauline Forsyth (by e-mail)	I think the prospective proposal that's being put forward looks exciting and another area to bring people to Girvan because they want to... every visitor I have at my home always wants to return , but have said for a while now that something like this would be amazing....	For	NA
Girvan Community	I writing to you on behalf of Girvan Community Council. Following discussion at this months	For	NA

Council (by e-mail)	meeting of Girvan and District Community Council we are writing in full support of the proposed sale of Girvan Bandstand to Adventure Centre for Education (ACE). It will be a great benefit for the community to have this iconic building brought back to life after it has been left to deteriorate over many years. Feedback we have received from local residents is that this is a positive move forward.		
Andy Smith (by e-mail)	Hi, I am in favour of the proposed update to Girvan bandstand as this will provide an excellent community service and experience for visitors alike.	For	NA