

Application for Full and Associate Membership (Individual)

Applicant's details

Full name

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Home address

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Post code

Contact tel

E-Mail address

Thank you for being interested in BVT

Please indicate whether you are applying for FULL or ASSOCIATE membership, and sign.

I live, work, or volunteer in Balerno and wish to apply for **Full Membership** of Balerno Village Trust.

OR

I would like to apply for **Associate Membership** of Balerno Village Trust

I agree to adhere to the Trust's Rules of Membership. (Please see below for rules of membership)

Should the Trust close down, I agree to pay a sum of not more than £1 to its assets for payment of its debts and liabilities contracted while I am a Member.

I agree to the Trust entering the personal details I have provided in the Trust's Register of Members. I agree to my details being used for communication purposes by the Trust only. Balerno Village Trust will never pass or sell your personal details to any third parties.

Signed

Date

If you would like to be involved in any specific BVT projects or activities please tick in the appropriate boxes below;

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| <p>Farmers Market <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Playground Improvement Project <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Apple / Tattie Day <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Communications <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Finance <input type="checkbox"/></p> | <p>Bee-keeping <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Friends of Main Street <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Malleny House and Garden <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Marketing <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Administration <input type="checkbox"/></p> |
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How did you hear about the Trust? (please tick from list below)

Friend/colleague; Farmers Market; Social Media; DTAS; Harlaw Hydro; local business; search engine.....; other (please specify)



ABOUT MEMBERSHIP OF BALERNO VILLAGE TRUST

Members are vital to the success of BVT. The greater the community involvement, the more effective the Trust will be. Thank you for your support!

About the Trust - BVT (formerly Balerno Village Conservation and Development Forum) was founded in 2003 by Balerno Community Council. BVT's aims are:

- Sustainability
- Community development
- Education & health
- To fund other local people to do the same

BVT's projects aim to complement and support the work of the [Balerno Community Council](#).

BVT is a company limited by guarantee with charitable status. As a Development Trust, we are members of [DTA Scotland](#), and are well constituted to start and run community enterprises.

We are an open organisation – open to local people who would like to add to the quality of our community life.

Membership of the Trust - There are three classes of membership of the Company;

Full Membership, Associate Membership and Organisational Membership.

Full Membership is open to any individual person who lives, works or volunteers in Balerno and who wishes to further the purposes of the Trust.

Associate Membership is open to any individual person who wishes to further the purposes of the Trust but does not meet the criteria for Full Membership.

Organisational Membership is for groups – please let us know if your group might like to join.

Register of Members – The Trust is required shall keep a Register of Members which must include details of the full name and address of each member, the date on which the member was admitted to membership; the date on which the member ceased to be a member (where applicable); the class of membership to which the member has been admitted. The Directors may at any time, by notice in writing, request any member to provide the Company with the above details which are necessary and reasonable for the purpose of making up the Register. The Register of Members is kept at the Trust's office at Balerno High School.

Termination of Membership - Membership of the Company is not transferable. A member may resign from membership. Membership will also cease in the event of the removal of a member by resolution of the Company under Article 46.

Annual subscription – The Trust may, by ordinary resolution in general meeting, introduce an annual subscription for membership, determine the amount and vary that amount from time to time.

Currently there is no annual subscription.

Voting – Every Full Member (and every Organisational Member) and every Director is entitled to vote at general meetings of the Trust, and to appoint a proxy. Associate Members are not entitled to vote but may attend general meetings.

Further information – You can find a copy of the Articles of Association of Balerno Village Trust on the website www.balernovt.org.uk

Please return this application form when completed to a BVT volunteer at a Farmers Market, or email it to

membership@balernovt.org.uk

or send to:

The Secretary, Balerno Village Trust, c/o Balerno Parish Church, 2 Main Street, Balerno EH14 7EH.

Thank you for your support!

Balerno Village Trust Scottish Charity Number is SC043318

BVT Registered office is at Balerno Parish Church Office, 2 Main Street, Balerno EH14 7EH