



NEWS BULLETIN

There is more exciting news to report as our project is about to take another important step forward.

We now have some provisional dates for the commencement of the shop refurbishment, and our decant of the shop into the Yetholm Youth Hall for the duration of the interior work.

A contract for the works has been awarded to James Swinton & Co., following a rigorous tender process. Initial preparatory work on the rear extension is set to begin on May 16th, and the shop will remain open as usual during this activity.

We are planning to decant the shop to the Youth Hall likely over the weekend of May 28th, and will remain there during the construction work which is estimated to last for eighteen weeks. It is hoped that we will be able to maintain a Post Office service during this period.

These dates are subject to finalisation, and we will be providing further updates in due course.

We will be looking for some additional volunteers to help with the decant; watch out for more on volunteering in the next bulletin.

We need to express our sincere thanks to the trustees of the Youth Hall who have been both extremely patient and accommodating as the plans for the shop works have crystallised. Being located in the Youth Hall for the duration should allow the shop to operate as normally as possible.

The Management Committee

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