

# What's on March 2020?



## **The GALE Centre**

The GALE Centre is going to

remain open for as long as we can to provide advice and support to locals about what services and shops are open locally, as things seem to be changing on a daily basis we'll try and do our best to provide you with the most up to date information. Please call if you have any questions.

GALE is a community
Development Trust working
towards building resilient
communities in the Gairloch and
Loch Ewe area. We've been
running for over 20 years and
our main objective is to make
our area a great place for people
of all abilities to live, work and
thrive.

The GALE Centre acts as a community hub which provides a useful space for dropping off and collecting things in times like these. (le. food bank, empty

bottles for hand sanitiser, book swaps etc.)

Our always open policy will serve the needs of the community through these challenging times (as government guidelines allow) which means that our phones will be manned 7 days a week, providing a useful contact point for local people to access information.

The community shop will be keeping local people supplied with the things they need, such as hand sanitiser made by



Badachro Distillery.

The community cafe will provide welcome refreshments to the volunteers and workers in our community who are helping us all get through this crisis.

The Growing Project helps build our selfreliance as a community,



providing a source of fresh local produce.

The Volunteer Programme will be co-ordinating our voluntary efforts in the community.

## Volunteering

We're looking for volunteers to help with all aspects of GALE Projects so please do get in touch if you have any spare time. We'd love to hear from you.

### **Food Bank**

Since the churches and library are now closed The GALE Centre will also be a food bank drop off point as long as we're open. At the moment Blythswood are requesting:

Small packets of rice, tins of potatoes, tins of ham, tins of corned beef and toilet roll.



#### **Contact Us**

Follow us on Facebook, send us an email or give us a call for more information and to keep up to date with the ever changing situation, we will strive to ensure our services and activities evolve to meet the needs of our community simultaneously.

GALE is a membership organisation open to all. It is a Scottish Registered Charity and works on social, economic and environmental projects that help to build strong, resilient communities in the Gairloch and Loch Ewe area. Become a member to support our work or contact us to find out more about any of our projects.