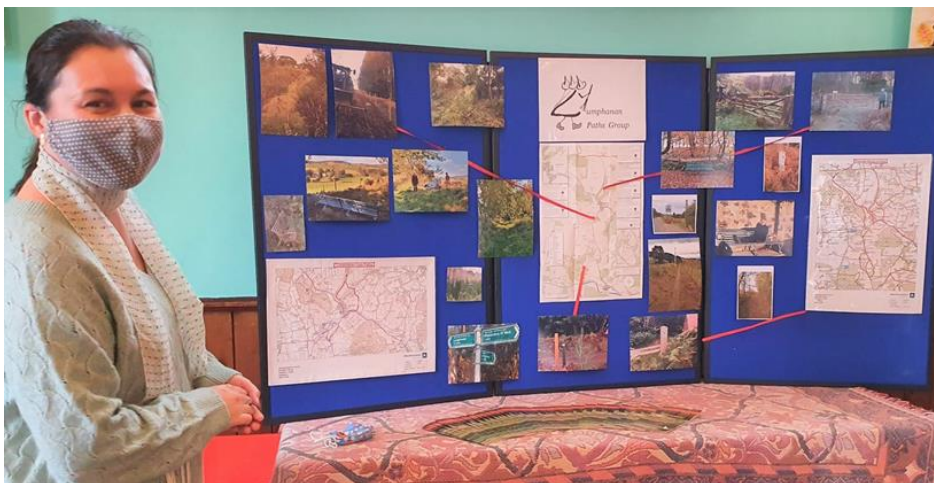


Lumphanan Paths Group – News Summary

Community Event 30th October 2021

On the 30th October 2021 Lumphanan Paths Group held a community event in Lumphanan Church Hall. Thanks to everyone who came along. The Committee was pleased to be able to share what we've achieved in the last year, as well as unveiling future plans. It is important that we give you, the community, the chance to give us feedback on these plans and share with us your own ideas.



Meeting friends we haven't seen for a long time and sharing stories over a cup of tea rekindled memories of the past and village life long ago. Many people are now helping us put together histories of our village and how life was lived when they were young. These stories are being shared more widely through the paths group website, [People and Places](#) page.



The afternoon celebration was well attended, we were delighted to welcome Aberdeenshire Council's Outdoor Access Officer, and we have gained a few more enthusiastic volunteers! Part of the Asda Foundation funds have been invested in tools and protective outdoor wear for our path clearing and maintenance. 'Many hands make light work', and we looked forward to getting activities back on track with a work party on Sunday 28th November.



It was encouraging to welcome young families and a few teenagers through the door! And congratulations to the winners of the lucky squares map competition for children !



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