



Slattadale Pre-Covid Engagement Work.

The parent council has very strong links with the whole community and has recently opened up the public conversation about Slattadale. We teamed up with a community arts project over the summer and autumn 2019 to publicise the rekindling of Slattadale. This took the form of 2 high profile events and 3 smaller events and reached over 400 people.

We produced and distributed fliers, and are collaborating with a local enterprise company in Planning for Real community consultation.

The group arranged a stand at the local Christmas fayre, and entered a Slattadale Interactive Christmas tree into the community festival to advertise our plans and spread the word, and receive ideas, and feedback. In addition, the organisational message has been spread by way of radio interviews, social media campaigns, and community consultation events:

- Grow wild Gairloch
- Gairloch Highland Gathering July 2019
- Tipi Ceilidh Awareness raising Sept 2019
- GALE christmas tree competition Dec 2019
- Fayre in the Square feedback December 2019



Feedback from the community produced some interesting ideas as to what could potentially be developed on-site over time.

- > Raised beds, flowers and produce - teaches important life skills and introducing horticulture to younger generation
- > Mental wellbeing workshops outside to support the mental wellbeing qualification delivered across S4-S
- > Shed saun
- > Tree top trail
- > Zip slide
- > Mountain bike trail
- > Outdoor theatre

> Huts in the wood

> A campsite with solar/wind powered composting toilets and a shower block. An integral education centre and water sports/paddle/wind on!

> Wood burning pizza oven. Learning to bake and providing great fun. Share with friends

