



# Help to breathe new life into local spaces

Join the Caithness Challenge - taking a place-based approach to help people to live well locally

Be part of a team testing out new ways of working to help people to live well locally, and breathe new life into local spaces.

Over September–November 2023, help to breathe new life into our local spaces, by joining the Caithness Challenge.

The Caithness Challenge will build on what we heard from communities about how local spaces can be used to help people to live well locally.

There will be an initial focus on **Castletown Drill Hall** and **UHI Thurso Campus**. The challenge will involve bringing young people, community members and partner organisations back together, to help test out different ideas to use these spaces.

In the Challenge, we will be supporting change to happen, as well as asking questions like:

What can we learn about...

- Working together as partners in a community to develop a local space?
- Sustainably managing local spaces?
- How partners can work together in new ways and efficiently share resources and spaces?

→ You are invited to join us at both the upcoming launch events:

6 September 5.30–8pm UHI Thurso

7 September 5.30–8pm Castletown Drill Hall

We encourage you to join **both sessions as each will cover important discussions**. Please let us know if you have any access requirements.

**What will happen at the Launch event and during the Challenge?**

The Challenge starts with two evening Launch events on 6th and 7th September. You will learn how the Challenge will work, meet each other, hear from local leaders and make plans for the ideas you want to test.

Throughout the Challenge, teams will come together on Day 50 and Day 100, as well as meeting regularly online to work on your ideas.

**How do I confirm I can take part?**

To join us at the Caithness Challenge and launch events, please **register here**:

[bit.ly/Caithnesschallenge](https://bit.ly/Caithnesschallenge)

Or scan the QR code

