

## Dates for your diary

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2017  
7:00 for 7:30

Eckford Village Hall

*Well Road Productions Proudly Presents*

### The Borders Horse

Local Story, Local Performers, Great Night

Three course Horseman's Dinner prepared by the Caddy Mann

Fully stocked bar by the Ancrum Cross Keys

Tickets £25 available from Norman Fraser 01835 850213,  
Charlie Robertson 01835 850203 or Bruce Kinnoch 01835 850324

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2017 [10:45 am]

### MEMORIAL SERVICE

**Eckford Parish Churchyard at the War Memorial**

to commemorate local men who gave their lives while serving their country

Followed by refreshments at Eckford Village Hall.

All Welcome – parking will be available in the field adjacent to the churchyard.

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2017 [7:00 pm]

Lothian Hall, Crailing

### Community Council Meeting

Members of the public are welcome to attend. If you have any topics that you wish to have discussed at the meeting then please email [cencomms@hotmail.com](mailto:cencomms@hotmail.com)

or contact any Community Councillor their details are available on our website at

<http://www.crailingeckfordnisbet.co.uk/community-resources?section=community-council>

## Community News

### WEAK BRIDGE **WARNING** – KALEMOUTH SUSPENSION BRIDGE

Residents are requested to **COMPLY WITH THE 3 TON WEIGHT RESTRICTION** which applies to Kalemouth Suspension Bridge. It has been reported that vehicles which exceed this limit are using the bridge. A brief inspection was undertaken and some deterioration has been observed which is most likely to be due to vibration caused by overweight vehicles. A full bridge inspection will now need to be undertaken. If the weight restriction is ignored it may be necessary to reduce the weight limit further which will result in a great deal of inconvenience for those motorists who need to use this access route and are already complying with the weight restrictions.

**OBSERVING THE WEIGHT LIMIT WILL HELP TO ENSURE THAT THIS ROUTE REMAINS ACCESSIBLE**

### SUPERFAST BROADBAND

The roll out of fibre broadband continues, with over 800,000 homes and businesses now able to connect to faster broadband. Find out if you can get superfast broadband at your home or business by entering your postcode or landline telephone number in the digital broadband checker at

[www.scotlandsuperfast.com](http://www.scotlandsuperfast.com)

### YOU HAVE THE IDEA - FUNDING IS AVAILABLE

The Localities Bid Fund is designed to support community projects and initiatives across the Borders that address local priorities and benefit your community. £35,000 is available to the Cheviot Area. The fund opened for applications on 15 October 2017 and closes at 3pm on Friday 1 December 2017.

For further details see

[https://www.scotborders.gov.uk/info/20076/community\\_grants\\_and\\_funding/819/cheviot\\_localities\\_bid\\_fund](https://www.scotborders.gov.uk/info/20076/community_grants_and_funding/819/cheviot_localities_bid_fund)

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