



## Application for Membership

There are two types of membership of the Carluke Development Trust, each requiring a one-off membership fee as follows:

**Standard:** *Open to individuals who live or work in the area (£1)*

**Corporate:** *Open to individuals nominated by incorporated and unincorporated organisations based within the area (£5)*

If you would like to apply for membership, please complete the following information. We will not share this information with any third party.

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Post Code \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Mob: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership type applied for: Standard/Corporate (delete as appropriate)

I enclose my one-off fee of £ 1.00 or £5.00 (delete as appropriate)

Please return completed forms to William Adam Electrical, 55 High Street, Carluke.

## What is Carluke Development Trust?



Carluk Development Trust is a 'not for profit' organisation. This does not mean that it should run at a loss. In fact, it needs to generate reasonable surpluses to allow it to expand or cover unforeseen costs. These surpluses are emphatically not for private benefit. They can only be used to fund charitable work or build up reserves.

Like most organisations of this kind, Carluk Development Trust is a company limited by guarantee. Members (shareholders) get no financial benefit. If the company fails, their only liability is to contribute a maximum of £1 towards its debts. This limited liability is an important safeguard for people giving of their time voluntarily. The company's constitution is its Memorandum and Articles of Association (M&A).

The Trust is currently comprised of various interested people and organisations such as the Community Council and South Lanarkshire Councillors. The Trust has a Board of Directors, elected annually at the AGM, together with appointed Directors from key partner organisations.

The key objectives of the group were outlined in our first publication in 2000 and are as follows:

- the management and development of the town with a focus on the precinct at the heart of our community;
- the marketing of our town to both the people who live here and those who may wish to invest in or visit Carluk
- improving our environment through specific projects and campaigns to raise awareness
- promote town events which add to the promotion, health and life of our community
- develop town facilities which will improve the employment prospects, leisure opportunities and commercial potential of our town.

**Carluk Development Trust is a Company Limited by Guarantee with charitable status.  
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