

GOVANHILL DIRECTORY

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Get help in Govanhill

Telephone Support

Lines are open 10am - 4pm, Monday to Friday, except public holidays. You can also leave a voicemail and someone will get back to you.

English - ☎ 0141 309 9136



Romanian - ☎ 0141 309 9122



Slovak/Czech - ☎ 0141 309 9126

اردو پੰجاہی Urdu/Punjabi - ☎ 0141 309 9128

Emergency Help

If you have a medical, or other type of emergency, please phone 999. For non-emergency police matters please phone 101. For NHS COVID support phone 111. If you are struggling with your mental health, please phone the Samaritans on 116 123.



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Al-Farooq Education and Community Centre

✉ office@afecc.co.uk

☎ 0141 433 2686

Mosque and community centre providing Foodbank and personal support



Al-Khair Foundation

✉ glasgow@alkhair.org

☎ 0141 423 5747

Charity providing a foodbank, soup kitchen and support for those who are ill, elderly or vulnerable



Big Noise Govanhill

✉ michelle.opit@systemascotland.org.uk

☎ 0141 328 4113

Orchestral music tuition for local young people and adults



Children 1st

✉ glasgowproject@children1st.org.uk

☎ 0141 418 5690

Mental health, wellbeing & benefits advice - families



Community Renewal Trust

✉ ann.hyde@communityrenewal.org.uk

☎ 0141 423 7111

Food, health, learning & employability advice/support for the Roma community



Crossroads Youth and Community Association

✉ fionab@cyca.org.uk

☎ 0141 429 3254

Mental /physical health, wellbeing, household & benefits advice/support - women & families



Food Train Glasgow

✉ glasgow@thefoodtrain.co.uk

☎ 0141 423 1722

Grocery shopping & delivery for over 65s across Glasgow



Glasgow Life

✉ info@glasgowlife.org.uk

Cultural & leisure services for Glasgow



Glasgow SE Foodbank

✉ admin@glasgowse.

foodbank.org.uk

☎ 07456 868628

Foodbank also providing activity packs for families



Govanhill Baths Community Trust

✉ info@govanhillbaths.com

☎ 0141 433 2999

Health/wellbeing classes, foodbank, cultural activities



Govanhill Community Development Trust

✉ checkin@govanhillha.org

☎ 0141 636 3665

Community development trust providing family learning, ESOL, support for families and individuals, employability support and commercial property.



Govanhill Housing Association

✉ checkin@govanhillha.org

☎ 0141 636 3636

Social landlord - affordable tenancies, welfare rights & financial advice



Govanhill Law Centre

✉ m@govanlc.com

☎ 0141 433 2665

Free legal advice - employment, housing, money, debt, welfare rights, legal problems



Jeely Piece Club

✉ headoffice@jeely.org.uk

☎ 0141 634 7305

Play/learning activities - families & children - also food delivery



Merry-Go-Round

✉ shop@

merrygoroundglasgow.org.uk

☎ 0141 423 2299

Affordable baby and childrens items plus breastfeeding and parenting support



Playlist for Life

✉ info@playlistforlife.org.uk

☎ 0141 404 0683

Dementia support through music



Positive Action in Housing

✉ home@positiveactionh.org

☎ 0141 353 2220

Advice/support - refugees, migrants, ethnic minorities



Queen's Park Govanhill Parish Church Foodbank

✉ qpgfoodbank170@gmail.com

☎ 0141 423 3654

Fortnightly foodbank



REACH Community Health Project

✉ admin@reachhealth.org.uk

☎ 0141 423 709

Health & wellbeing support - ethnic minorities



South Seeds

✉ lucy@southseeds.org

☎ 0141 636 3959

Energy support and advice plus community gardening activities



Southside Housing Association

✉ enquiries@southside-ha.co.uk

☎ 0141 422 1112

Social landlord providing social/mid market rent tenancies and related services



The Dixon Community

✉ dixon.carers@dixoncommunity.org.uk

☎ 0141 423 0728

Daycare and welfare support for older people and carers



The Sikh Food Bank

✉ admin@sikhsinscotland.com

☎ 07340 727219

Foodbank, general welfare support



The Space

✉ fiona@spaceglasgow.org.uk

☎ 0141 423 2148

Health & wellbeing, literacy, financial, parenting advice/support services



The Well Multi-Cultural Resource Centre

✉ info@thewell.org.uk

☎ 0141 424 4523

General welfare support - rights, wellbeing, immigration, personal, English/IT classes



Turning Point Scotland

✉ info@turningpointscotland.com

☎ 0141 427 8200

Supporting individuals with autism and learning disabilities



The Outwith Agency

✉ info@theoutwithagency.co.uk

☎ 07940 422417

Social enterprise community space for co-writing and creativity with bookshop



Greater Govanhill

✉ hello@greatergovanhill.com
Social enterprise magazine and
online content promoting Govanhill



Bike For Good

✉ glasgowssouth@bikeforgood.org.uk
☎ 0141 261 1609

Supporting local people to develop
cycling skills and access bikes



Glasgow Zine Library

✉ glasgowzinelibrary@gmail.com

Community-based library also
hosting creative writing and arts
sessions



Daisy Chain Early Years Project

✉ daisychain@crossreach.org.uk
☎ 0141 423 1250

Support for families with young
people



Romano Lav

✉ info@romano-lav.org

☎ 07470 145625

Support for local Roma individuals
and families



NHS Health Improvement Team - South Locality

✉ Nicola.Fullarton2@ggc.scot.nhs.uk

✉ Allison.McKenna-Breen@
ggc.scot.nhs.uk

Health and wellbeing improvement
and promotion



Dawat E Islami

🌐 www.dawateislami.net

☎ 07564 605698

Mosque providing support for families



Larkfield Centre

✉ larkfieldcentre@btconnect.com

☎ 0141 424 1797

Wide ranging programme including
ESOL, children's activities, singing
keeps you young group, and more.



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Big Noise Govanhill

✉ michelle.opit@sistemascotland.org.uk
☎ 0141 328 4113

Orchestral music tuition for local young people.

Active Life Club

✉ activelifeclub@hotmail.com
☎ 07791 896634

Sports, arts and citizenship activities.

Youth Community Support Agency (YCSA)

✉ enquiries@ycsa.org.uk
☎ 0141 420 6600

Support with health & wellbeing, learning, holiday clubs & activities

Govanhill Roma Youth Project

✉ govanhillromayouthproject@gmail.com
☎ 07738 760607

Social and learning activities organised by and with Roma young people.

Music Broth

✉ info@musicbroth.org
☎ 07703 649777

Musical instrument library and music classes.

Rumpus Room

✉ rumpusroomteam@gmail.com
☎ 07938 661578

Creative activities with a focus on art.

Greater Govanhill 'New Voices'

✉ hello@greatergovanhill.com

Training in journalism skills for people from backgrounds typically under-represented in the media.

Govanhill Youth Club

✉ youth@govanhillbaths.com
☎ 0141 387 1525

Youth Club run by and for young people in Govanhill.

The Sound Lab

✉ thesoundlab@live.co.uk
☎ 07902 297139

Music education charity offering some free tuition.

Sandyford

🌐 <http://youngpeoples.sandyford.org/>
☎ 0141 211 8130

NHS clinic offering free contraception and a wide range of sexual health and wellbeing services.

Key local contacts:

Elected Representatives:

Councillor Alexander Belic

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Councillor Mhairi Hunter

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james.scanlon@glasgow.gov.uk / 0141 287 7034

Councillor (Baillie) Soryia Siddique

soryia.siddique@glasgow.gov.uk / 0141 287 5625 / 07881 282640

Nicola Sturgeon MSP

Nicola.Sturgeon.msp@parliament.scot / 0141 424 1174

Alison Thewliss MP

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Community Contacts:

Crosshill & Govanhill Community Council

www.crosshillandgovanhill.org.uk or contact@crosshillandgovanhill.org.uk

Marzanna Antoniak, Community Connector, Thriving Places

mantoniak@govanhillha.org / 0141 636 3636

Katie Kelly, Neighbourhood Coordinator, Glasgow City Council

katie.kelly2@glasgow.gov.uk , 0141 276 7824

Govanhill Housing Association

checkin@govanhillha.org / 0141 636 3636

The details listed are correct as at March 2021.

For up-to-date information about local services, visit **www.govanhill.info** or **Thriving Places Govanhill** on Facebook.

If you would like your organisation to be featured in future versions of this directory, contact Marzanna Antoniak at **mantoniak@govanhillha.org** or on **0141 636 3636**.

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Have your say in the latest Locality Plan survey!

Our current online survey covers the Community Engagement and Information Strategy that underpins the whole Locality Plan. It explores how people in Govanhill meet each other, make decisions, and access information.

Take the survey here: www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/MGLP1A
If you don't have access to the internet, you can take the survey by phone by calling 07975 894393.

Follow us on Facebook: **Thriving Places Govanhill**
Learn more about Thriving Places and Locality Planning:
<https://www.glasgowcpp.org.uk/thrivingplaces> and www.govanhill.info

What is Next for the Locality Plan?

We will publish surveys about the different strands of the Locality Plan throughout 2021 and 2022. The Plan will be released when all strands have been consulted on with residents.

Ways to join in with Locality Plan focus groups:

Sign up: www.tinyurl.com/Govanhill-Get-Involved

Write to: Community Connector, Thriving Places Govanhill,
Samaritan House, 79 Coplaw St, Glasgow G42 7JG

A few Projects from Thriving Places Govanhill

Govanhill Open Museum

In this project residents will share ideas to shape a street-based representation of Govanhill's identity that reflects our people, heritage, and geography. During the first stage of the project, funded by the Glasgow City Heritage Trust, we will work with a local artist to create a collaboratively designed mural. To get involved go to www.govanhill.info or the Thriving Places Govanhill Facebook page.

Languages of Govanhill – Community Survey

Last year we learned that Govanhill speaks at least 88 languages and counting! Add yours here: www.tinyurl.com/languages-of-Govanhill

Govanhill Polyglot Sessions

These language sessions provide an opportunity for Govanhill residents to share their mother tongues and get a taste of their neighbours' languages. For more information and to sign up go to: www.tinyurl.com/Govanhill-Polyglot-Sessions

Glasgow Language Festival in Govanhill

In February, the 2021 Bhasha Glasgow Language Festival was hosted in Govanhill under the Thriving Places initiative. With 20 online events, multilingual stencils and posters in the streets, and hundreds of attendees this year's festival was the perfect way to celebrate our neighbourhood's incredible linguistic and cultural diversity.

Volunteer Translators

Sign up to volunteer as a translator to help make information accessible to Govanhill residents who speak languages other than English. www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/VolunteerTranslators

Govanhill Community Zine

This little book is a collaboration between Thriving Places Govanhill and Glasgow Zine Library featuring contributions from Govanhill residents. It is a celebration of the many languages and cultures that make Govanhill a thriving place. You can collect it from local businesses and organisations.



A Collective Vision for a Future Govanhill

What is Thriving Places?

Govanhill is one of 10 Glasgow neighbourhoods designated a 'Thriving Place' by Glasgow City Council. Thriving Places is a programme aimed at bringing together residents and organisations to collaborate for the good of their neighbourhood.

What is Locality Planning?

As part of the programme a Govanhill Locality Plan is being developed, which communities, organisations, services, and businesses will be able to use to guide their work towards positive change. A locality plan must be informed by local people so that it can address the real needs of Govanhill residents. By providing measurable goals, the plan will become a practical tool for people who are trying to make a difference.

Community consultations allow us to learn from local people, and there will be ongoing opportunities to get involved. Keep an eye out at www.govanhill.info or the Thriving Places Govanhill page on Facebook for updates and ways to have your say!



THRIVING PLACES GOVANHILL: A VISION FOR THE FUTURE

