

The Borders Railway Seminar

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The Borders Railway represents a once in a lifetime opportunity but how do we maximise future investment and development in the Scottish Borders?

Thursday 10th September

The very day the first commercial steam train arrives in Galashiels.

14.15 – 14.30 Coffee and biscuits

14.30 – 16.30 Presentation and discussion

16.30 Ferguson Planning Office Opening

A celebration of local beer and food and a chance to network informally.

Venue

Seminar The Interchange, Stirling Street, Galashiels, TD1 1BY

Launch Party Ferguson Planning, Shiel House, 54 Island Street, Galashiels, TD1 1NU

RSVP by 31st August

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For catering purposes can you let us know if you are attending the seminar, the launch or both, thank you.

F E R G U S O N P L A N N I N G



The re-opening of the old Waverley Line will bring fast and efficient rail travel between Edinburgh and the Scottish Borders. The desire being that it will also deliver major economic and social development opportunities for towns right across the Scottish Borders.

I operate my planning and development practice, Ferguson Planning, from the Scottish Borders and to celebrate both the opening of our new office in Galashiels and more significantly the start of a new era of train travel, I would like to invite you to a seminar with prominent local speakers who offer vast knowledge and experience of how they believe the railway can benefit the area. This will be followed by a discussion allowing you to contribute, ask questions and discuss the way forward on how we can all work together and best plan for the future.

Speakers

Tim Ferguson (Host) Ferguson Planning

Christine Grahame MSP Midlothian South, Tweeddale and Lauderdale

Councillor David Parker Leader Scottish Borders Council

Michael Gray Energise Galashiels

Trevor Jackson President of Melrose Rugby Club, St. Boswell's LLP

Raymond Kerr Founder of QubeGB

This will be followed by the launch of our new offices at **Shiel House, 54 Island Street, Galashiels** from 16.30 where local beer, refreshments and food will be served and will allow you to network in an informal way.

Finally, our new website has also just gone live **www.fergusonplanning.co.uk**. I hope you find it informative and please do get in touch should you wish to discuss any development project you are planning.

Yours sincerely

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New Website

In conjunction with the office opening we have a new website. Have a look at:

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