

THE GALLOWAY GLENS SCHEME – AN OVERVIEW

THE SCHEME HAS UNDERTAKEN ACTIVITY
WORTH MORE THAN
£6 MILLION

4 YEARS

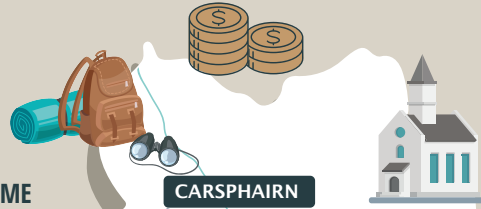
OF THE NATIONALLY ACCLAIMED
'CAN YOU DIG IT' COMMUNITY
ARCHAEOLOGY PROJECT

The **Galloway Glens Scheme** is an initiative of Dumfries & Galloway Council's Environment Team, running between 2018 and 2023 in the Ken/Dee valley in Galloway. The Scheme worked with a brilliant range of partners to 'connect people to their heritage', boost the local economy and support sustainable communities.

Funded by The National Lottery Heritage Fund and a variety of other sources, more than 75% of scheme expenditure stayed in the region, being spent with Dumfries & Galloway Businesses.

£100,000

SPENT ON **27 PROJECTS**
THROUGH THE SMALL GRANTS SCHEME



>21,000
ATTENDEES
AT PUBLIC EVENTS

10
NEW OR REFURBISHED
BUILDINGS

LAUNCHED THE
SOUTH OF SCOTLAND TREE
PLANTING
GRANT SCHEME
IN D&G

690 VOLUNTEERS
GAVE THEIR TIME, WORTH MORE THAN
£300,000

23 MILES
OF FOOTPATH INSTALLED
OR IMPROVED

OVER **190**
D&G BUSINESSES
RECEIVED WORK

120 ATTENDEES
ON 'GO WILD CAMPS'

>2,000
ENTRIES ON THE GALLOWAY
GLENS PLACE NAME DATABASE

OVERSEEN BY A PARTNERSHIP BOARD CONSISTING OF:

#BiosphereInAction

206 HECTARES
OF LAND BROUGHT INTO
CONSERVATION MANAGEMENT

SUPPORTED THE
LOCH KEN TRUST
NOW RUNNING ONE OF THE
FIRST COMMUNITY-LED
RANGER SERVICES IN
SCOTLAND

>35,000 MILES
TRAVELLED BY THE TAGGED GREENLAND
WHITE FRONTED GEES

95% OF PEOPLE
RATE THE GALLOWAY GLENS SCHEME AS
'GOOD OR VERY GOOD' (OF 420 SURVEYED)

MORE THAN **90%**
OF VOLUNTEERS
SAID THEY HAD LEARNED
MORE ABOUT HERITAGE

35 HEADLINE PROJECTS
SUPPORTED UP AND
DOWN THE VALLEY

PRIMARY
FUNDER:



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