

Your Community Needs You Jeffreyston Community Council has a Vacancy

Councillors give up their free time to serve the community. They have different skills, experiences and interests and contribute to the work of the council by:

Suggesting ideas and engaging in constructive debate
Interacting with the community and representing their electors
Voting – enabling the council to make decisions and behaving in an ethical way

Candidates must meet certain criteria to be councillors, you must meet **at least one** of the following

You must be British, 18 years or over and registered as a local government elector for the area or Occupied as owner or tenant, land or other premises in the community in the last 12 months or Your principal or only place of work during the last 12 months has been in the community or You have during the whole of the last 12 months resided in the community or within 4.8 kilometres of it

Certain people are disqualified from standing, they include paid officers of the community council, anyone subject to bankruptcy restriction orders and those subject to recent sentences of imprisonment.

Help keep Jeffreyston a vibrant, good place to live in

Be at the ‘grass roots’ of local government and be involved in making things happen or getting things sorted

Get local views about local issues brought to the attention of the ‘powers that be’

You only need to attend meetings, first Monday of each month and help out with projects where you are able to

In return you will receive the satisfaction of knowing that you are helping your community

A Community Council is the strongest means of becoming involved with your local area. It will give you a good understand of the workings of local government and what is going on locally and nationally.

Further information is available from the Council Clerk, Collinsford Cottage, Jeffreyston, Kilgetty SA68 0RX. Tel: 01646 650266 who would be more than happy to get together for an informal chat.