

## Broughty Ferry Flood Protection Scheme Newsletter

March 2021

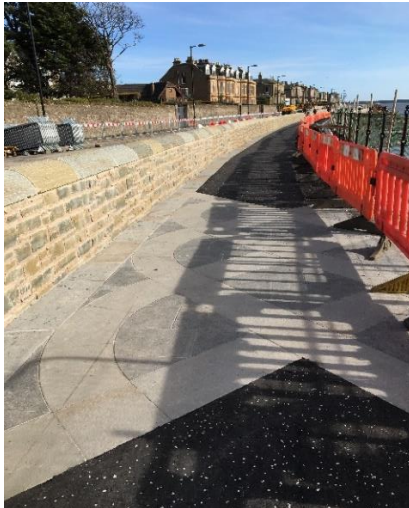
### Progress in site

We continue to make good progress on Flood Protection Scheme and remain on schedule despite the heavy snow in mid-February. Currently we remain on target for completion of the project in early 2022.

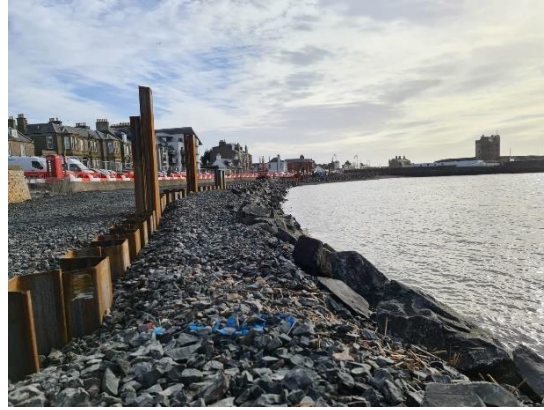
To the west end of Douglas Terrace grounds work has commenced on the carriageway and the north footpath, we intend to complete resurfacing of the carriageway in April. At this point, the road will reopen and access to properties and parking will resume. The next area of focus will be the section to the Dundee Road which we aim to complete towards the end of April before we progress east along the rest of Douglas Terrace. Please be assured before street works commence in each area we will be in touch with affected residents with further information on parking and access.

The shared footpath and walkway opened for pedestrians at the west end of Douglas Terrace and while not yet complete, this does provide a good indication of the final design. The stone for the wall is Denfind stone, quarried from Monkie just 6 miles away and therefore in keeping with that used in Broughty Ferry and a Celtic Knot design will feature at each floodgate.

We have also started work in Fisher Street. Work has commenced to the north footpath, starting outside the Ship, ensuring this will be completed in time for it reopening on 26<sup>th</sup> April. Work will continue on the north footpath in this area over the next few weeks, while on the beach work is progressing well as we start to start to install the U channels ahead of construction of the set back wall.



On Beach Crescent we have created a platform on the beach reusing stone from Douglas Terrace. In February we installed 343 sheet piles, this work took much less time than scheduled and we thank residents for their patience while this activity was underway. Preparatory works are now ongoing ahead of the installation of prefabricated concrete units which will create the stepped design onto the beach.



## Community Benefits

In February, McLaughlin & Harvey announced they would be helping fund 24 students to take part in Alexander Community Developments 'Transition to Trade' programme. This project aims to remove some of the barriers to employment young people frequently face, such as not having the required qualifications, work experience or challenging home circumstances. During a 6-week programme students build their knowledge in general workplace health and safety as well as developing practical skills in various trades. This enables the pupils to gain both a sense of achievement and provides qualifications which hopefully help them into future employment.

Having already donated scrap materials from our site to social enterprise Scrapantics, in March we were delighted to fund one of their Loose Parts Play sessions for pupils from Eastern Primary School, Broughty Ferry. These sessions have been proven to improve listening and communication skills, improve negotiation, increase bravery, self-confidence, and resilience amongst pupils. Using their imagination and creatively the children enthusiastically played together with the materials making pirate ships and cars and even an assault course.



### How to contact us:

If you are affected by our works in any way or perhaps you want to know more about what we're doing. The site letter box is located at the main Site office on Beach Crescent or you can drop us an email at: [bffps.community@mclh.co.uk](mailto:bffps.community@mclh.co.uk)

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More information on the scheme can be found online at <https://www.dundee.gov.uk/service-area/city-development/broughty-ferry-flood-protection-scheme>



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