



PRESS RELEASE

JOIN US, SAY SPIRIT OF TENTERDEN ORGANISERS!

Join us!

That's the message from the organisers of the Spirit of Tenterden community festival, which is being staged at the Recreation Ground from Friday, 21-Sunday, 23 August.

The event – launched last year to wide community acclaim - is designed exclusively for the people of Tenterden and St Michael's, and brings together the best in local craft ales, wines, gins, exciting street food, live music, antiques and collectables, and even a dog show.

To make the event as relevant and appealing as possible to local people, the organisers have formed the Spirit of Tenterden Community Interest Company.

Explains Spirit of Tenterden chairman Justin Nelson: "This is a way of helping to build an event for the whole community, now and for the future, by forming a legal body in charge of organisation and funding.

"It will also help ensure that local people have a real say in how the event develops in years to come."

Becoming a member costs just £1, only payable if at some time in the future if it is decided to wind the company up. "It's a small gesture, but an important one in showing local people's support for the event and the town," says Justin.

"Even if you don't want to become a member, your help as a volunteer at the event would be hugely appreciated."

People interested in getting involved with Spirit, and who would like to become a member of the Tenterden Community Interest Company or as an event volunteer, should email admin@spiritoftenterden.co.uk

Further information about the event can be found online at www.spiritoftenterden.co.uk

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