## Malster, Clare

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04 June 2018 21:46 Malster, Clare Asset Transfer team application by Ettrick and Yarrow CDC

We have been told that you are the point of contact for the Asset Transfer Team, and this submission is required by today at the latest, so I hope you can ensure it goes to the right place. Can you let me know if an email is ok or do you need a paper copy, many thanks in advance.

## Dear Asset Transfer team,

On behalf of Ettrick and Yarrow Tourism Association (EYTA) I am writing to give in principle support to the asset transfer request of the Ettrick and Yarrow CDC for Ettrick School. The EYTA is supportive of bringing local community assets into community ownership and using them for the benefit of the local people. We would be happy to work together with the CDC to explore the possibilities for best use of the building, in conjunction with feedback from other businesses, organisations and people in the Ettrick and Yarrow valleys. There is a great need for new businesses, particularly tourism related businesses in the upper Ettrick and this project would hopefully help revitalise this very rural area, but one that could attract a lot of passing trade, particularly with the Hogg exhibition already in situ.

## Yours sincerely

Ettrick and Yarrow Tourism Association (EYTA) Monday 4th June, 2018

Sent from my iPad