



SSAMIS

Social Support and
Migration in Scotland

Community Engagement Activities

Living and Working Together in Scotland

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- Includes practical initiatives to improve migrants' lives at both local and national levels.
- SSAMIS working in partnership with local people and relevant stakeholders to develop community initiatives
- Key themes include:
 - difficulties in accessing support for language learning
 - loneliness and isolation
 - lack of community spaces especially in smaller and more rural settings.

Make It Happen Peterhead!



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THE MAKE IT HAPPEN CAFÉ
UZSIJEMIMU KAVINE
KAFEJKA 'ZRÓBMY TO!'
VALODAS UN JAUNRADES KAFEJNĪCA
СОБИРАЙСЯ, ПИТЕРХЕД!
25TH-30TH JULY - OLD HAPPY SHOP, DRUMMERS CORNER, PETERHEAD

ANIMATION CAFÉ
ANIMACIJOS KAVINE
KAFEJKA ANIMACYJNA
ANIMACIJAS KAFEJNĪCA
10AM-3PM MONDAY 25TH JULY
10AM-3PM THURSDAY 28TH JULY

LANGUAGE CAFÉ WITH ADDED CARDBOARD!
KALBU KAVINE, SU KARDONU!
KAFEJKA JZYKOWA Z ZAJACAMI DLA DZIECI
VALODAS KAFEJNĪCA UN KARTONA ROKUDARĒM!
10AM-12NOON WED 27TH JULY

ART CAFÉ
MENO KAVINE
KAFEJKA KREATYWNA
MAKSLAS KAFEJNĪCA
1-3PM WEDNESDAY 27TH JULY
9AM-3PM THURSDAY 28TH JULY

LANGUAGE CAFÉ
KALBOS KAVINE
KAFEJKA JEZYKOWA
VALODAS KEFEJNĪCA
7-9PM THURSDAY 28TH JULY

GREEN CAFÉ
ZALIOJI KAVINE
ZIELONA KAFEJKA
ZAJA KAFEJNĪCA
2-4PM FRIDAY 29TH JULY

ARBUHNOT MUSEUM
ARBUHNOT MUZIEJUS
ARBUHNOT MUZEUM
ARBUHNOT MUZEJS
10.30-11.30AM FRIDAY 29TH JULY

CURRENT AFFAIRS CAFÉ
POLITIKU KAVINE
KAFEJKA NY WYDARZEN BIERACZYCH
POLITIKAS KAFEJNĪCA
11-12.30AM SATURDAY 30TH JULY

TOURIST CAFÉ
TURISTU KAVINE
KAFEJKA TURYSTYCZNA
TURISMA KAFEJNĪCA
2-3PM SATURDAY 30TH JULY

GALLERY CAFÉ
GALERIJOS KAVINE
KAFEJKA - GALERIA
GALERIJAS KAFEJNĪCA
10AM-4PM SATURDAY 30TH JULY

ALL ACTIVITIES ARE FREE AND OPEN TO ALL
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What is Working Well?



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- Building capacity within the migrant community
- Seeking additional funding and support
- Having time to build relationships with participants and other agencies.
- Crossing Local Authority boundaries
- Knowledge exchange and sharing of good practice at regional and national levels.

Make It Happen Arbroath!



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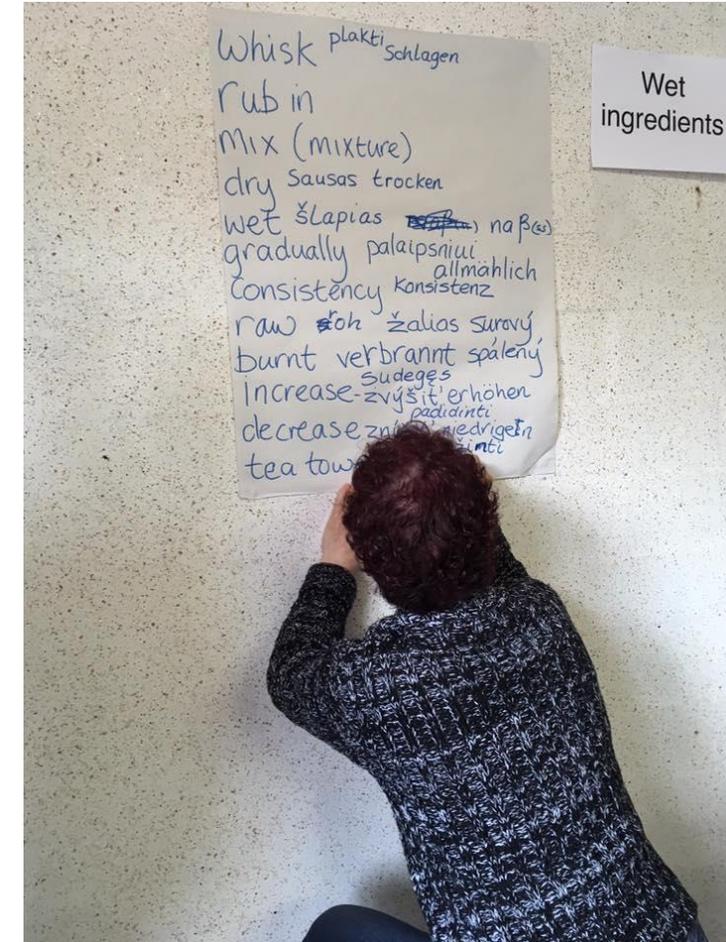
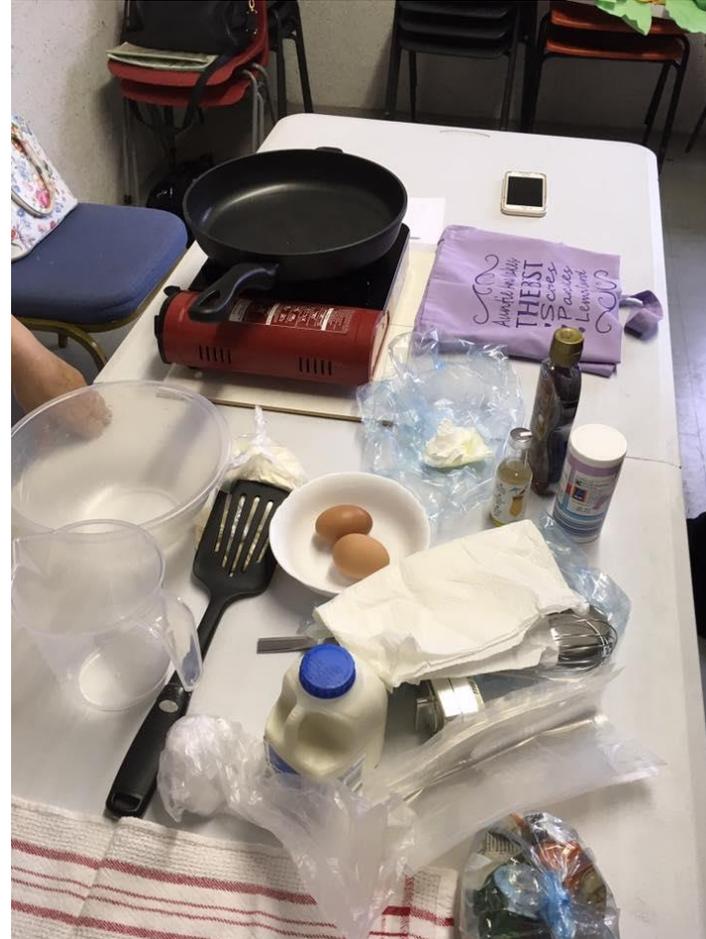


Language Learning



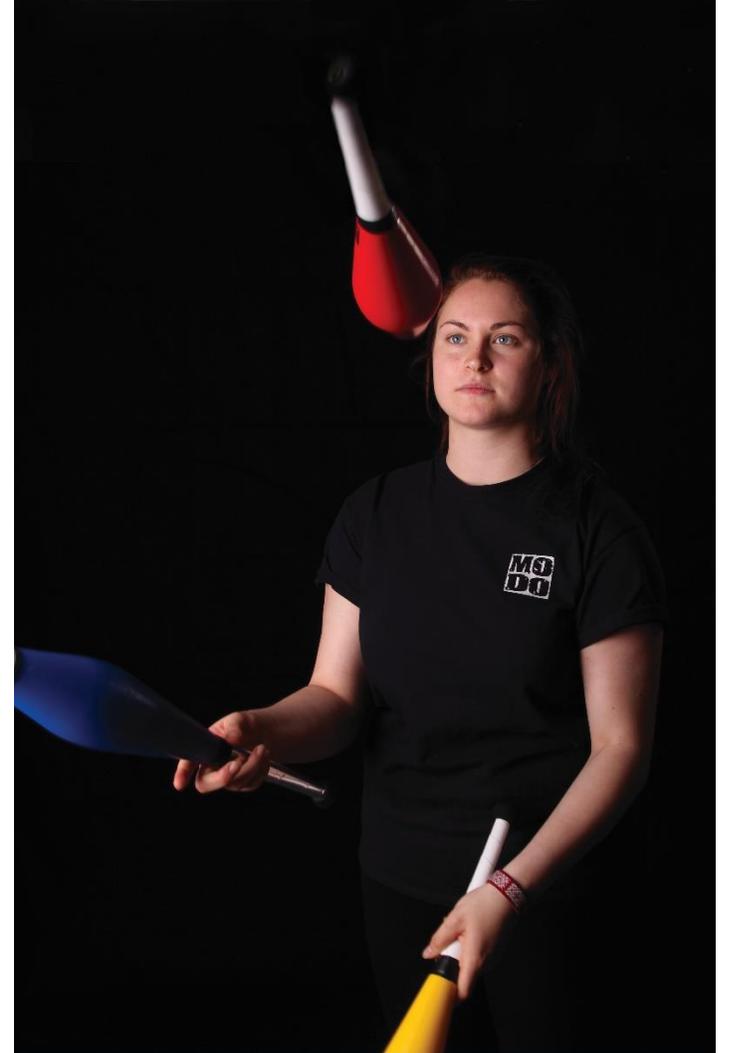
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- Peterhead Language Café
- Participant Led
- Social Practice model
- Mornings and nights
- Talks and conversation
- Not just language
- Wider cultural integration
- Community building



Making Migrants' Lives Visible

- 'Journeys' Exhibition
- Arbuthnot Museum Peterhead
- Working with Aberdeenshire Museums
- Participants tell their own stories
- Progression from Make It Happen
- Donated 'objects from home'
- Programme of community events
- Come along! Now - 10th January



My name is Evija. Juggling clubs is my favourite thing to do of all the circus skills. Two summers ago we went to Grenoble in France for a theatre festival. It was a European-wide festival with people from many different countries. I live in Peterhead but I'm also from Latvia so it feels natural for me to be interested in different cultures.

Successes and Challenges



- Make It Happen experiments generated new possibilities
- Joint funding applications with partners
- Increasing impact – #explorathon 16
- Fewer CEE migrants than expected
- ‘It’s not a competition!’ Challenges of multi-agency working



Questions for Discussion

- How can we make these initiatives more sustainable?
- Are there ways we can work in partnership with your organisation?
- How can we increase the impact of our community engagement?



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