
Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by TLJ - 2007/09/21 23:22

.....for ScotsWiki, the next development of Scotsgait !

Any one interested in helping ?

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Bigman - 2007/09/21 23:29

Whats it all about then?

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by TLJ - 2007/09/21 23:43

Bigman wrote:

Whats it all about then?

A little wikipedia type section focusing in on Scotland.

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by mwl2 - 2007/09/22 06:08

What do you want us to do?

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by TLJ - 2007/09/22 08:51

A wiki is a community reference point. Contributors add information (fact, not political opinion) to it and it's edited, corrected and expanded by the contributors as time goes on.

It will become clearer once I put the skeleton wiki on-line.

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Brenna1508 - 2007/09/22 09:04

That sounds good TLJ. I'll certainly read it - what sort of articles would be wanted?

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Bruce - 2007/09/22 10:23

I'll be happy to contribute, but... wouldn't this just be a case of copying what's already on wiki about Scotland? Or are you looking for something different?

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by TLJ - 2007/09/22 10:46

Bruce wrote:

I'll be happy to contribute, but... wouldn't this just be a case of copying what's already on wiki about Scotland?

Of course, folk can use wikipedia or any other sources. However, it fits with my original idea of Scotsgait being an information portal and I've had a couple of folk recently asking me develop some element of reference resource.

Bruce wrote:

Or are you looking for something different?

It would be a community resource and how it would finally develop wouldn't just be up to me. My only comment would be that it has to be factual and objective and not politically biased (bias can be shown in The Gaithering !).

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by mwl2 - 2007/09/22 11:52

I dont mind helping you LJ, but whether I would be the right one to help you I dont know:)

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by TLJ - 2007/09/22 12:41

mwl2 wrote:

I dont mind helping you LJ, but whether I would be the right one to help you I dont know:)

Thanks, mlw. I'm sure everyone will be able to help out one way or another.

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by dws - 2007/09/22 15:55

If I can provide anything useful I will. Count me in TLJ.

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by woodysdad - 2007/09/23 15:27

I'll through in my tuppenceworth when I can!

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by DoricMan - 2007/09/24 13:20

A good idea TLJ, but I'll have to boneup on the subject first.

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Lilybean - 2007/09/26 04:27

I'd be willing to help, too, TLJ. How do you want to organize this Scotsgait wiki?

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Kinghob - 2007/10/08 11:40

I have tried to correct some mistakes in Wikipedia without success, giving references on several contentious issues of British history, and would welcome something that could be challenged more readily if proven.

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Xcotty - 2007/10/16 05:46

I could maybe help from telling you about my wee part of Scotland.
If there is anything about my part of Scotland that you don't already know?
I think everyone knows about Ben Nevis, the Great Glen, neptunes staircase.
But there are few other aspects to Lochaber, that may not be widely known?

Is this the kind of thing you are looking for TLJ?

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Farrah - 2007/11/15 22:37

I could tell you about Leith but you may not want to know. :whistle:

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by dws - 2008/03/07 18:36

Any further forward with this one, Jambo?

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Farrah - 2008/03/07 21:52

I think my comment on Leith scared him off! :blush:

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by TLJ - 2008/03/07 22:01

dws wrote:
Any further forward with this one, Jambo?

Unfortunately not. I've got distracted with other things.....

Farrah wrote:
I think my comment on Leith scared him off! :blush:

Leith ? Does it still exist ? I thought it had been taken over by Edinburgh centuries ago :laugh:

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Farrah - 2008/03/07 22:22

:ohmy: How very dare you!

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by Clare - 2008/03/08 00:01

Sounds interesting T. Will look out for it.

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by scunnert - 2008/03/08 02:53

Put it up TLJ and lets try it out.

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Re:Contributors Wanted Soon

Posted by TLJ - 2008/03/09 13:06

scunnert wrote:

Put it up TLJ and lets try it out.

I'll see what I can do to get it in a basic form and we can take it from there.

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