

## Gift Aid:

Donations of £250 and above qualify for Gift Aid and there is just one simple form to complete.

e.g. With a donation of £250 the Trust can reclaim a further 33% back from the Inland Revenue (£83) to add to your gift, at no extra cost to yourself. Also, if you pay tax at 40%, you can claim tax relief yourself of £50 so it will only cost you £200 to give the Trust £333.

### ★ AND THE LARGER THE PLEDGE, THE LARGER THE BENEFITS ★

Please tick the relevant box if this applies to you, so we know to include this extra money towards our target, and can send you the appropriate form.

Yes — I am a taxpayer (25%)

Yes — I am a high rate taxpayer (40%)

**PLEASE HELP US  
SAFEGUARD THE  
FUTURE OF  
PORTMOAK MOSS  
FOR ALL TIME.**



Reg. Charity No. 294344

**Would you let the chance  
to protect "The Moss"  
slip through your fingers  
. . . no?**



Then join us in a project to benefit you and your children

**Portmoak  
Moss**

Scotlandwell.

**HELP SAVE YOUR LOCAL WOOD  
FOREVER**

For further information about this appeal please ring:

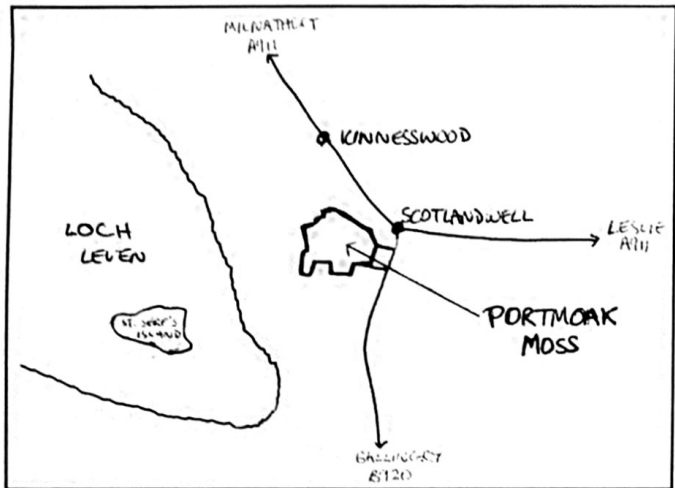
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# Free Access to a Wonderful Wood



“The Moss” is a beautiful 104 acre wood next to Scotlandwell. Its proximity to the village, and its situation on low, level land has made it one of the most valued and popular places to walk for miles around.

## Uncertain future

A question mark now hangs over the long term future of Portmoak Moss, as well as

the continuation of free public access. The Woodland Trust, on behalf of the local community, have negotiated with the owner (Forestry Enterprise) to purchase this wood under a private sale.

## The Woodland Trust — The Answer

**FACT** ● The Woodland Trust is Britain’s largest charity concerned with the protection of our native woodland, and its associated plants and wildlife. We have been operating for 23 years caring for more than 700 woods (61 in Scotland).

**FACT** ● All our woods are safe from future threats in perpetuity — as we cannot and will not sell our woodland. Our woods are managed to enhance their conservation and wildlife value, as well as their place on the landscape. Public access is welcomed, and community involvement in the practical care and enjoyment of a local wood encouraged.

**IF, BY WORKING TOGETHER, WE CAN RAISE ENOUGH MONEY TO BUY PORTMOAK MOSS, IT CAN BE PROTECTED FOR ALL TIME AND REMAIN FREELY OPEN FOR ALL TO ENJOY.**

***E20,000 IS NEEDED BY THE END OF AUGUST***

# How YOU can help

Right now we need your pledge (a promise that you will make a donation if the appeal succeeds).

Please fill in the form below and send it to:-

KAREN MCDONNELL  
CLUNES, LESLIE ROAD  
SCOTLANDWELL KY13 7JE

## Other ways to help:

- 1) Encourage your friends and neighbours to support this appeal.
- 2) Put a form on the noticeboard where you work, or encourage your boss to make a company donation.

We can send you more pledge forms — please indicate in this box how many you would like us to send you or call one of the phone numbers on the front of this leaflet.



## PORTMOAK MOSS APPEAL

I would like to support the Woodland Trust purchase of Portmoak Moss with my pledge of £ \_\_\_\_\_ (figures),  
\_\_\_\_\_ (amount in words)

I understand that this pledge will be collected by the Woodland Trust if they are successful in raising the target sum and negotiating the purchase of this wood.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Any surplus funds raised through this appeal will be used for the initial management and care of “The Moss”, and for the work of the Woodland Trust in Scotland.

**IMPORTANT — GIFT AID . . . Can you get the Inland Revenue to help us?**  
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