

## BROADBAND SCHEME ROLLOUT

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Stratherrick + Foyers



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### What's just happened?

A new broadband station has been set up at Wester Drummond. Now a superfast broadband signal can be accessed by many houses in a line of sight around Whitebridge and further down the Strath. The wireless signal reaches Wester Drummond by two hops, which link with the two new BT lines we have installed at the Stratherrick Hall.

### How can I get unlimited high speed broadband from the Community Trust scheme?

The houses that are in line of site will be receiving a flyer on how to sign up. Once we can be sure you have a good signal you can join-up. The cost of this service is £30 per month for unlimited broadband with speeds of around 50Mbps. There is a cost of £300 for the equipment which is needed at each house but there is a Government grant scheme that will cover £260 of this making the cost to the householder £40.

### What If my house is not visible from the first station?

More aerial / receiver stations will go in during the Summer to grow the wireless network across the Stratherrick and Foyers area. We will then be able to get more homes signing-up if they wish.

### What if you want to find out more?

If you are not sure if you want to receive this service, want to find out more about it or let us know that you will want to sign up when it reaches you & tell us where you are, please come along to our Broadband Open Day on **Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July, 3pm - 8pm in the Stratherrick Hall, Gorthleck** where you will be able to meet the team from Stratherrick and Foyers Community Trust and Cromarty Firth Wireless Networks plus try out the broadband service, as part of the new network includes a service at the Stratherrick Hall for community use.

If you wish to discuss anything about the Community Broadband project with Stratherrick and Foyers Community Trust please contact Sharon Ferguson on 01456 486771 or visit our website and Broadband Page at [www.stratherrickcommunity.org.uk/community-broadband-scheme-info](http://www.stratherrickcommunity.org.uk/community-broadband-scheme-info)

