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We are a limited company set up in April 2011 as a charity called Shopper – Aide.

Our aim is to support older people (over 60 years) to live independently at home by providing a service:

Our Services



Using Volunteers we will do your shopping and deliver to your door.



Extra help e.g. change your bed, tidy a cupboard or a little weeding as well as a lift to an appointment, bank or hairdresser.



Getting out and about we have Elderberries on a Tuesday and Thursday (12 noon to 4pm in the Free Church Hall George Street Campbeltown).

For Gentlemen we have Clachan Old Pals on a Friday afternoon and Southend coming soon.

Here we are



23 Longrow,
Campbeltown,
PA28 6ER
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We are open
Monday to Friday
from 9am - 4pm
each day

We sell Bellochantuy
eggs.



and Second
hand books.



Please call in to meet us.

Silver Thursday

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An afternoon of entertainment from the U3A Choir and Clachan Dunskeig Singers with a buffet from Argyll Bakeries was held on 6th October in the Free Church Hall for Shopper-Aide clients, Elderberries and Garry's Gang.



People's Project

Shopper-Aide has been invited to apply to the second round of this project which if we are through this round will mean being filmed next February – will keep you updated. From this we are hoping to get an accessible vehicle to enable us to take people who are in a wheelchair without having to transfer to a car.

Garry's Gang

We are now able to take out 6 men for a run on a Thursday and they have visited various places in South Kintyre dropping into The Glen, Argyll Bellochantuy, Muneroys and even Elderberries for a refreshment.

Elderberries

Where do I start – they now do so much at Elderberries it is difficult to keep track. There has been visits from Sandra from Audiology, Lorraine from Zero Waste, Caroline from Oral Hygiene and several of the group went to the 'What is Happening in Health and Care Event' in the Town Hall.

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In arts and crafts they have been busy making jewellery, jewellery boxes, Christmas Cards, Fridge Magnets, hanging baskets and painting glass holders.



Making hanging baskets



Race Day

This is along with out for walks (when the weather is good and NOT to be confused with the walking group which meets weekly on a Thursday at midday), ball games, chair basketball, pampering, bingo, quizzes, jigsaws and board games.

Flo Edwards is on her way back from Tarbert on her sponsored pedal and making good progress – wonder where she will go next?

The latest venture started is the 'Swap Shop' run by Florrie and Catherine where everything is £1.00. You bring in an item you do not need and it can be sold for £1.00. They are doing this to raise funds for the club.

Future activities will include a visit from Dalintober Primary singing Christmas Carols with 6th year students from the Grammar School to help people write their Christmas cards and on 1st December for St Andrews Day music and other entertainment.

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Christmas Party for Elderberries is on Thursday 22nd December in the Argyll Hotel.

Helping us to help others

With Christmas approaching you can support Shopper-Aide in a number of ways.



Why not let your friends and family know you are thinking of them by putting a Christmas message in our window for a donation to Shopper-Aide.

Sponsor one of our vehicles for £10 per day.

Become a friend of Shopper-Aide for £5.00 per year

Buy a bag for £5.00 – lovely Christmas present.



From all of us at Shopper-Aide