

Statements from members standing for election to the SNPCND committee

Steve Davies

I know what I bring to this job. I can articulate with the best as is well known, put the case forward and work on the streets of Scotland for, and with John our lost hero. I cannot say more than that .

Ron Dickinson

Like many others, I joined the SNP having campaigned for Yes up to the devastating referendum defeat. I subsequently joined SCND.

I am convinced Scottish independence is the only way to secure long-term economic prosperity and removal of nuclear weapons from our land and sea. I have worked for over 35 years in high technology manufacturing companies, the last 30 years in management positions. I held executive staff / vice president roles in the US, Singapore, Germany and Scotland.

I retire at the end of 2016 and am committed to the cause of driving Scotland to nuclear-free independence.

Mark English

There are few threats around the world today to equal the destructive power of modern nuclear warheads. Simply put; It's our duty to ensure that future generations of Scots will no longer be a target for mass destruction by removing these weapons from our country.

As a former Deputy Leader of Clackmannanshire Council and with a background in

Local News I will use my experience to broaden the understanding amongst the full spectrum of Scottish society that with a combined and loud enough voice, we can, and will, have these weapons removed from our shores.

Enable me to play my part by voting me onto the SNP CND Executive Committee.

Drew Kyle

Hi, my name is Drew Kyle. I have been in SNP for 10 years, I have been a CA organiser and I am assistant accountant in my branch. I have been in CND and SNP/CND for 3years. In that time I have campaigned in Manchester, London and many festivals for CND. I work well as part of a team or by myself. I like coming up with new ideas and that's why I feel I should be on committee. It is time for Scotland to stop these nuclear weapons being renewed and show the world that countries can get rid of them.

Craig Lundie

Peter McGillion

I hope to be re-elected to the executive committee

I joined the party in 2014 (shortly after I joined SCND) as a direct result of the Independence Referendum but in my relatively short time I have become heavily involved in our grass-roots approach. I established a local Yes Group in my

community as there was little or no activity in this area with the intension of using this network to further the goals of SNPCND.

I have greatly enjoyed my time in SNPCND and looking forward to continuing the hard work of the origination and hoping to be more involved in all the activities.

Gavin McGillvary

The high levels of activism in Scotland from party conferences to Street stalls and in projects targeted at schools by SCND have played a major part in almost all of Scotland's MP's being anti Trident.

I have been involved in a number of these areas and as anyone who knows me will tell you I am passionate about both Independence for Scotland and removing the abomination of Trident and in both cases I am an activist, and that is what I will bring to the Executive if selected, activity, as I believe it is vital in order to keep pressure on the establishment and to bring even more of the wider public on side.

Ellen Renton

I'm Ellen Renton and I've recently been involved in restarting Helensburgh CND, happily we had fourteen people sign up at our first two meetings and we have been able to re-affiliate our group to the Scottish CND. I was co-opted onto the SNP CND Committee in September, and have attended three meetings to date. I also shared the morning shift on the SNP CND stall on each of the three days at the SNP Conference, hopefully you might have met me there! It was a really enjoyable experience to be able to chat with so many supporters. Please vote for me so that I can continue to do a good job on the Committee, working wholeheartedly for peace and against the renewal of Trident.

Gwen Sinclair

I am dedicated to ridding Scotland of nuclear weapons and I see that Scottish Independence is the most likely way of achieving this, as well as giving Scotland a true democractic voice for the first time in over 300 years. I am chair of Ayrshire CND, part of SCND executive and I am willing to be an active participant. I would really like to join the executive team of SNPCND who are dedicated to scrapping Trident and Scottish Independence and together we can further these aims.

Lawrence Stewart

I have been on the SNPCND Executive Committee for the last year in the role of Social Media Officer. I have increased the group's social media coverage in that time, including at the Party Conferences and would like to continue that work. In addition to that, I am also the National Secretary of SNP Students and have been involved with SNP Youth and previously