

Artists' Dornoch garden open day brings in £700

AROUND 120 gardening enthusiasts braved Saturday's unseasonal windy weather to attend an open afternoon at the garden of Dornoch artists Peter and Sally Wild at Upper Meadows, Eaglesfield Road.

The couple's well-established garden boasts a rockery with alpine plants and a small trough garden, as well as a bog garden and plantings of roses and geraniums.

Peter has taken up stone lettering in recent years and his work can be seen throughout the garden. He has also hand-made a slate sun dial with the motto "Now is Drink Time" inscribed on it in Latin.

Visitors enjoyed afternoon tea and scones and more than £700 was donated to Cornish charity Shelter Box, an international disaster relief organisation that delivers emergency shelter and vital aid to people affected by disasters worldwide. The charity is a project partner of Rotary International.



Keen gardeners Peter and Sally Wild in their Dornoch plot.