



It's important to restore the old fishing boats as there won't be many around like this in the future, and really important for people to see their history and learn about the importance of the fishing industry."

Steve Barrow (Boat Builder)

Young people restore fishing boats for new educational project

This exciting new project gives young people aged 18-24 years the opportunity to learn from professional boat builders and fishermen, Learning skills in carpentry, boat-building and conservation, the project enhances volunteers' and trainees' motivation and confidence whilst helping to improve their chances for employability.

"Working on restoring a boat is rewarding as you are working to restore your towns proud heritage for future generations."
Gary Leech (Volunteer)

"It's great to have trainees on site learning a new set of skills and for them to have the opportunity to learn about boat restoration."

"It is a unique area to be working on within carpentry and I feel proud of what I have achieved. It is great to have an experienced boat builder to teach me the skills and give me the confidence to start an apprenticeship".
Adam Fulton (Volunteer)



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