



The Curzon Community Cinema 46 Old Church Road Clevedon North Somerset BS21 6NN

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CURZON COINS IT IN !

The Curzon has struck lucky with the change over to the Euro – earning over £2,800 for its Restoration Fund.

Earlier this year The Curzon ran a campaign asking local people to donate their unwanted currencies that have now been replaced across most of Europe by the Euro. And the response from the public has exceeded all expectations.

Curzon Fundraiser Jon Earl said, “The idea to collect foreign coins actually came to us from one of our supporters. It has been one of the most profitable fundraising initiatives this year. We didn’t even dream of getting over £2,800. A big thank you has to go to every one of our supporters who took the trouble to donate so generously.”

If you have any fundraising ideas that you think might help The Curzon or if you would like to get involved in any aspect of the fundraising effort then The Curzon would like to hear from you. You can call Jon Earl on 01275 342123 (daytime) or 01275 873427 (evenings).

NOTES TO EDITORS:

- *The Curzon Community Cinema is believed to be the oldest purpose-built, continuously operated cinema in the world, having opened its doors for the first time in 1912.*
- *The Curzon is operated as a Registered Charity, with voluntary support from the community it serves.*
- *There are plans for a £4.6m restoration of The Curzon back to its Art Deco glory, including reinstatement of the Circle (closed in 1972), new seating, new foyer, lift access to all floors and a refurbished Oak Room Café.*
- *Visit the Curzon web site at www.curzon.org.uk*

Tel: Jon Earl on 01275 342123 for further details.

The Curzon Clevedon Community Centre for the Arts is a Registered Charity No 1058389
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