

FROM 56p PER WEEK



argyllshire
advertiser
Incorporating Campbeltown Courier

**Now delivering news
7 DAYS A WEEK online**
www.argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk

INCLUDES FULL website access and a DIGITAL EDITION of the newspaper

'No impact' on Argyll as recycling firm fails

Welcome to Nannie's bake sale

Young Feorlin Renton held a coffee morning in Inveraray's Nicol Hall for a good cause.

The Inveraray Primary School pupil ran and hosted the event which raised more than £750 for Macmillan Cancer Support.

Full story on page 23.



Colin Cameron
editor@argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk

Argyll and Bute Council has played down the implications for recycling services after one of its main contractors called in the administrators.

Greenlight Environmental issued redundancy notices to 109 employees after efforts to find a buyer failed.

The company, based in Alexandria, West Dunbartonshire, carried out a number of services under contract to Argyll and Bute Council. These included glass collection from commercial premises in Argyll and Bute, domestic glass collection and collection of co-mingled recycled material from council depots in Helensburgh and Lomond.

Paul Dounis and Steven Ross of RSM Restructuring Advisory LLP were appointed joint administrators of Greenlight Environmental Limited on August 31.

'We can confirm we already have alternative plans in place'

The appointment followed efforts to find a buyer to safeguard the employment of staff and allow for the on-going fulfilment of contracts.

Several interested parties came forward, with advanced negotiations taking place with one potential buyer.

The offer was, however, later withdrawn and the company placed into administration, resulting in the closure of the business and redundancy of all employees.

Paul Dounis, joint administrator, said: 'It is with profound regret that a purchaser was unable to be found which resulted in Greenlight Environmental Limited entering administration and the immediate redundancy of all staff.'

'We are working with local and national organisations including West Dunbartonshire Council, Partnership Action for Continuing Employment, the Job Centre and the Redundancy Payments Service to support the affected employees at this difficult time.'

An Argyll and Bute Council spokesperson said: 'In light of the news about Greenlight, we can confirm we already have alternative plans in place and we do not anticipate there will be any impact on our refuse collection service anywhere in Argyll and Bute.'

The Argyllshire Advertiser approached several licensed premises in Lochgilphead and Tarbert to assess the impact of the collapse on glass recycling services.

None of the businesses were aware of Greenlight's demise and one licensee said: 'We get a glass uplift once a fortnight and it's due shortly. We'll see what happens.'

**NEWGROVE
FURNITURE**

**38/46 LONGROW
CAMPBELTOWN**
Tel: 01586 554498
newgrovefurniture.co.uk



UNBEATABLE PRICES

Over **5,000** carpet and vinyl samples
to chose from **BUY NOW** pay nothing until
Autumn 2019

12 MONTHS FREE CREDIT

DELIVERING THROUGHOUT ARGYLL AND BEYOND

Lochgilphead fine dodger pays up after cash seized

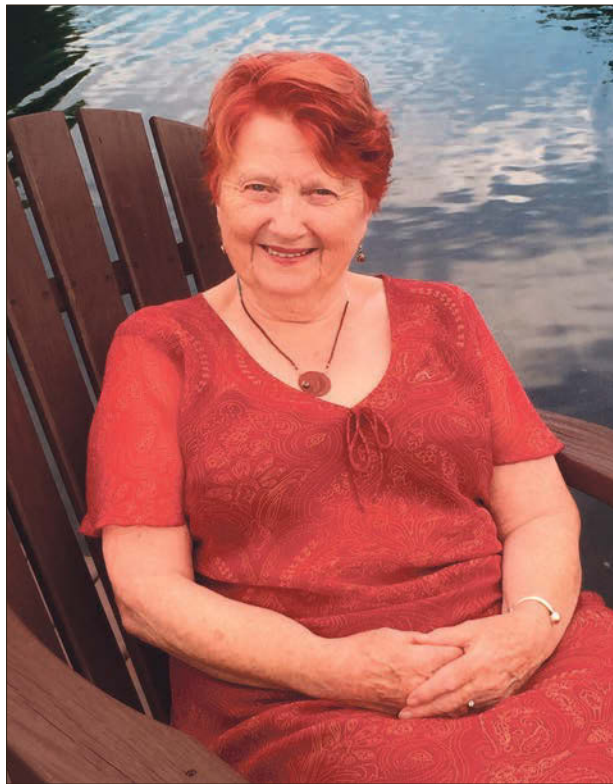
Fine dodgers have been warned to pay up or find their cash seized after an Argyll driver had his wages frozen when he failed to pay.

The Lochgilphead man owed £150 for a road traffic offence and after he ignored warning letters, fines enforcement officers secured an earnings arrestment order and the outstanding amount was taken from his wages.

He was among a number of fine dodgers who settled their balances after receiving a nasty surprise when their bank accounts or earnings were seized.

Freezing bank accounts or arresting wages are among a number of measures available to the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service for recovering unpaid fines. Other enforcement measures include clamping vehicles, taking money directly from benefits and even arresting non-payers travelling through ports and airports.

Health and Care Forum seeks vice chairperson



Barabel McKay.

Mid Argyll Health and Care Forum (HCF) is looking for a vice-chairperson after the previous incumbent Barabel McKay was elected into the chair.

At the HCF meeting on Tuesday August 14, members agreed to start the formal election process to fill this important position.

Members of the forum contribute to and influence the work of Argyll and Bute Health and Social Care Partnership (HSCP), particularly in representing the views of the general public and the people who use health and social care services.

As vice chairperson, the successful candidate will have an important role to play in shaping the future of services in the local area.

To be eligible for election you must be a member of the Argyll and Bute HCF living in or having a substantial interest in the Mid Argyll locality.

You are invited to register an interest or self-nominate by Monday September 17.

Anyone who is not a member but interested in either position may join the HCF at the same time as self nominating.

Members who are employed by either NHS Highland, Argyll and Bute Council or the third sector are not eligible due to potential conflict of interest.

Appointment will be either two or three years and candidates can be re-elected up to a maximum of six years.

Ballot papers will be sent to members on Monday October 1 and this will close at noon on Monday October 29.

The results, overseen by an independent person, will be published on the Health and Social Care Partnership's web page on Tuesday October 30.

For further information, contact Jay Wilkinson by email at jay.wilkinson@nhs.net.

POLICE FILES Careless driving

A black BMW X6 car was driven at excessive speed at noon on Thursday August 30 on the A83 near Lochgilphead Joint Campus. The car was stopped by police and the 46-year-old male driver charged with careless driving. A report will be submitted to the procurator fiscal.

Drunk driver

A 33-year-old woman was charged with drink driving and dangerous driving after a collision between a grey BMW and two parked cars at 3am on Sunday September 2 on Harbour Street, Tarbert. A blood sample was taken from the woman for analysis and a report will be submitted to the procurator fiscal.

Mobile phone

At 11am on Wednesday August 29 on Chalmers Street, Ardrishaig, police stopped a van as the driver, a 32-year-old man, was driving while using his mobile phone. He was charged and a report will be submitted to the procurator fiscal.

Vehicle damaged

Police are investigating after the driver's door window of a red Suzuki Jimney car was smashed sometime between 10am and noon on Tuesday August 28, in the car park of Kilmory Castle, Lochgilphead.

Gnomes stolen

Three garden gnomes were stolen from the garden of a house on the outskirts of Inveraray on the A819 Dalmally road sometime between 8am on Monday August 27 and 8am on Tuesday August 28. Police are investigating.

Damaged vehicle

Sometime between 11am and 11.30am on Sunday September 2, the driver's door window of a silver Honda CRV car was smashed in School Road, Tarbert. Police are investigating.

Wall vandalised

Between 8.30pm on Saturday September 1 and 8am on Sunday September 2 a gable end wall in MacBrayne's Lane, Lochgilphead was vandalised with tags etched into the wet cement. Police are investigating.

Anyone with information in relation to the above, or to any incident, they can contact their local police office on telephone number 101, or anonymously through Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111.



Festival of the Sea

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE DURING
SCOTLANDS FOOD & DRINK FORTNIGHT

Saturday 15 September 2018, 11.30am to 6pm
The Briggait, 141 Bridgegate, Glasgow G1 5HZ
Free Entry to All

CEDARBANK EXHIBITION

Magnificent "Behold Malin" Exhibition by Fine Artist Bonita Ellmore, Clyde Fishermen's Trust Artist in Residence www.cedarbank.co.uk

ALL DAY ACTIVITIES!

Live Music featuring Emma Whyte and other artists, fresh seafood, live cooking demos by real fishermen, story telling, craft stalls, facepainting, whisky stalls, heritage exhibitions, Seafood Scotland tasters and licenced bar.

www.clydefish.com

Facebook: @clydefishermen | @clydefishermenstrust | @CFAScot | @cft Scot

Email: contact@clydefish.com

Tel: 07985674246

Supported by Seafood Scotland - Connect Local



WHISKY TOURS & TASTINGS	
TOUR	FROM £7PP
SEE	Every step of the whisky making process. Springbank & Glengyle Tours
TASTE IT	FROM £15PP
TRY	Our whisky in the relaxed atmosphere of our Tasting Room.
CADENHEAD'S WAREHOUSE TASTING	FROM £30PP
SAMPLE	A selection of hand-drawn Cadenhead whiskies in one of our traditional warehouses.
SPRINGBANK DISTILLERY SHOP	WHISKY SHOP
To book a tour call or email - Tel: 01586 555468 Email: tours@springbank.scot www.springbank.scot	To book a tasting call or email - Tel: 01586 551710 Email: shop@cadenhead.scot www.cadenhead.scot

Find us on
Facebook
www.facebook.com/argyllshireadvertiser



Nick and wife Rachel celebrate with family. 08_a36NickWalker08



The VIC32 puffs her way across Loch Crinan. a29puffer03

Puffer champion Nick receives BEM for services to tourism



Nick Walker was presented with the British Empire Medal by Lord Lieutenant Patrick Stewart. 08_a36NickWalker02

The skipper of the VIC32 puffer has been recognised in the Queen's birthday honours list with the British Empire Medal.

Nick Walker was awarded with his BEM on Wednesday August 29, when it was presented to him by Lord Lieutenant of Argyll and Bute Patrick Stewart.

The director of the Puffer Preservation Trust received the honour for services to tourism, marine heritage and charity.

At an occasion with the whole family and a few friends, Nick, from Lochgilphead, dedicated his medal to his wife, Rachel, saying: 'She was my girlfriend when I first saw the VIC32

and we've restored it together. We've made a pact to share the medal. Rachel will get to wear it on Christmas Day this year and I will get to wear it on Boxing Day.'

POP UP SHOP

Baptist Church
Lochgilphead

Saturday 8th September
9am to 4pm

New and nearly new clothing, accessories and homeware, etc

Brands include Next, Monsoon, Coast, Boden, Debenhams, etc

Cash and Card Payments Taken

MILLER'S ONLINE MARKET



In a more familiar environment in the VIC32 puffer wheelhouse. a29puffer02

CAMPBELTOWN PICTURE HOUSE

Friday 7th September – Thursday 13th September

BlackKlansman (15) Friday, Saturday & Thursday 7.30pm Sunday 7.15pm Monday & Wednesday 7.45pm Tuesday 8.00pm	Puzzle (15) Daily (Except Sunday & Wednesday) 5.00pm Sunday & Wednesday 8.00pm
The Children Act (12A) Friday 2.45pm Saturday & Sunday 5.30pm Monday 2.00pm Tuesday 7.45pm Wednesday 5.15pm Thursday 8.00pm	Christopher Robin (PG) Friday 5.30pm Saturday 11.45am Sunday 2.45pm Monday 4.45pm Wednesday 5.00pm Thursday 5.15pm
The Bookshop (PG) Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 2.30pm	The Meg (12A) Friday 8.15pm Saturday 2.15pm Sunday 4.30pm Tuesday 5.15pm
Mamma Mia 2 (PG) Daily (Except Saturday & Sunday) 2.15pm	Luis & The Aliens (U) Sunday 2.15pm
Hotel Transylvania 3 (U) Saturday 12.00pm Sunday 11.45 am	Incredibles 2 (PG) Saturday 2.30pm Sunday 12.00pm
The Rocky Horror Picture Show (15) Saturday 8.00pm	
Whitney (15) Monday 7.30pm	

Come for a free guided tour of our beautiful Grade A listed building, no need to book, just turn up! Tuesday 10.30am

ARDSHIEL HOTEL
Restaurant & Whisky Bar

premier event hire space for
CAMPBELTOWN

business
gatherings
weddings

If you are looking for a venue with character, in a beautiful setting, look no further.

CALL TO BOOK
01586 552133
VISIT US ardshiel.co.uk

Banks, broadband, Brexit an

Colin Cameron
editor@argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk

The Secretary of State for Scotland was in Lochgilphead for talks with

Argyll and Bute Council over proposals for a Rural Growth Deal - as reported in last week's edition.

While David Mundell MP was at the council's Kilmory

headquarters on August 28, the Argyllshire Advertiser took the opportunity to quiz him on a number of local matters.

Here are his answers.

AA: According to the Argyll and Bute Economic Forum, one of the factors inhibiting economic growth in the region is connectivity - both broadband and mobile. What are your views on improving these?

DM: 'Obviously these are vitally important for rural areas. What Argyll and Bute Council wants to do as part of the Rural Growth Deal is to have the highest possible broadband speeds.

'You are not going to get people to live in or visit rural areas if they don't get the level of connectivity they are accustomed to. It is right at the centre of the consideration in this deal and I am very supportive of it.'

AA: Another potential obstacle to economic development in Argyll and Bute is transport links, given the region's unique geography. Would you support the development of fixed links such as tunnels and bridges for this area?

DM: 'These are much more a matter for the Scottish



RBS Inveraray - threatened with closure, but 'government can't intervene'. 06_a50RBSInveraray01

Government, as roads and transport are devolved, but it's self-evident that to get products such as seafood to market quickly you need to have those transport links.

'I'm sure the council will be pitching to the Scottish Government to have those transport links improved. I also think it is worth looking at how other island commu-



Would the UK government fund tunnels and bridges to better connect Argyll and Bute?

06_a36Rest01

Take a few days break in beautiful Tayvallich



(We'll even do the cooking)

Boatmans Cottage
Autumn short breaks from mid September - end November.

Three nights' accommodation in a two bedroom holiday cottage, dinner at the Tayvallich Inn and a self service continental breakfast.

Availability Friday to Monday or Tuesday to Friday.

Three course lunch or dinner on three days. Full Autumn/Winter menu available (supplements will apply to main courses over £22).

Prices from just £45.50 per person per night

2 people for 3 nights £63 pp/pn (£378 total)

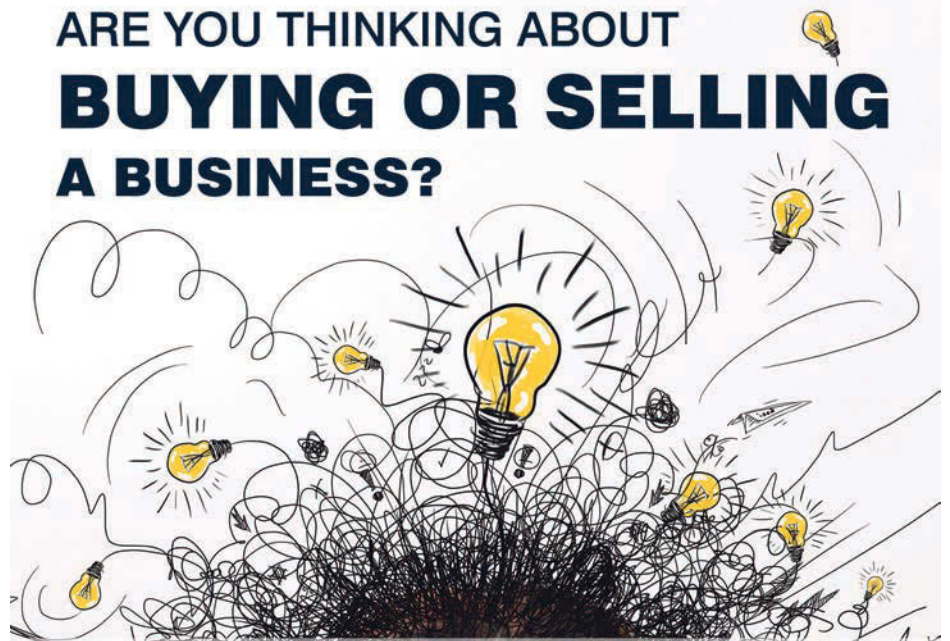
4 people for 3 nights £45.50 pp /pn (£546 total)

including breakfast & lunch or dinner



Call or email to reserve your stay
Tel: 01546 870687 Email: bookings@tayvallichinnholidays.com

ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT
BUYING OR SELLING
A BUSINESS?



Talk to our corporate finance department.

Call us **01 880 820 277**
williamduncan.co.uk

iain.webster@wdargyll.co.uk

susan.mcfadyen@wdargyll.co.uk



And bridges - the Mundell view



DM: 'Up until the point we've formally left the EU, all funding arrangements are guaranteed. Beyond that we will be looking to put in place the 'Shared Prosperity Fund', which will be the equivalent of EU structural and other funding.'

'We will shortly be consulting on the form the Shared Prosperity Fund should take.'

AA: RBS has threatened to close its Inveraray branch, having already closed branches in dozens of other towns including Campbeltown and Rothesay since the turn of the year. What are your thoughts on this, from a UK government perspective?

DM: 'The first thing to say is that it isn't possible, contrary to what some people have suggested, for the government to tell RBS what to do. While the government is a shareholder, it is not running RBS.'

'My own view is that the approach of RBS over these branch closures demonstrates that they do not place any importance on serving rural Scotland. I have encouraged

people to play a full part in the consultations over threatened branches.'

'I do think we have to be very alive to the wider issues about people being able to get access to cash in rural areas. That's something the government is very cognisant of.'

'RBS have demonstrated no commitment to rural areas and that is very disappointing.'

AA: Is Scotland ready for Brexit?

DM: 'I hope so. What we're trying to do in relation to Brexit is get the best possible deal, and I still believe it's possible to get a deal.'

'I want to see everyone rallying around the prime minister and her proposal, which meets the needs of Scotland by continuing to have close trading links with the EU whilst ensuring that we do, in fact, leave in accordance with people's wishes.'

'It will ensure that we leave the Common Fisheries Policy and Common Agricultural Policy - but have that trading relationship with the EU.'



David Mundell MP. 06_a35DavidMundell03

nities deal with these sort of problems.'

AA: Would Westminster support such projects financially after Brexit?

FRESH LOCAL SEAFOOD
THE SEABED RESTAURANT at The Anchor Hotel

The Anchor Hotel LIVE MUSIC
from 9pm til late

TWO BOB ROCKET

THE TARBERT MUSIC FESTIVAL
14th to the 15th September
Friday & Saturday Night
at The Anchor Hotel

THE SEABED RESTAURANT
Offering food all day (12pm-9pm)
Harbour St Tarbert PA29 6UB

Raspberry Pink

YOUR LOCAL LINGERIE SHOP
HOME FITTING SERVICE

OPEN 6 DAYS A WEEK

NEVER UNDERESTIMATE THE POWER OF UNDERWEAR!

REQUEST A FREE FITTING TODAY
01586 550438

A2B COURIER SERVICE

REQUEST A QUOTE TODAY
01631 569675
07976 745131

DAILY DELIVERIES TO CENTRAL SCOTLAND. STORE UPLIFTS

CENTRAL SCOTLAND - ARGYLL - HIGHLANDS

LETTERS

Write to us: send your letters to editor@argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk
or The Editor, 44 Argyll Street, Lochgilphead PA31 8NB

Greenlight sadness

It is sad more than 100 much-needed jobs have been lost at Greenlight Environmental. The recycling business seems to be precarious, yet an important one all the same.

Argyll and Bute Council tells us it has the bases covered for recycling, so service users shouldn't see a difference. Nagging doubts persist, though, if the cover is to be provided by existing already-stretched staff and vehicles.

Festival fever

We look forward to another spectacular Best of the West festival at Inveraray Castle, and here's hoping the weather plays ball.

One of the festival's advantages is the fact it is held on hard ground, so no matter how wet it gets (within reason), you shouldn't need waders.

As the name suggests, the festival provides a showcase for some great quality west coast produce and performers.

Athletics coverage

Turn to page 42 this week for full athletics coverage. Well done to Bill MacCallum for organising this and many other events over decades as an athletics coach and supporter.

Jobs, bribes and renewable energy

Sir,
Mr Hamilton's and S White's letters in the August 31 edition of the Argyllshire Advertiser cannot go unremarked upon.

What we have never lacked in Argyll is an endless supply of armchair experts, often blowing in from the urban south, seldom requiring a local job to support a growing family, and quick to criticise others over matters they generally know very little about.

The businesses which have long battled to provide local economic opportunity to young families in our most fragile rural communities have grown used to these slings and arrows. Kelp has been sustainably harvested for generations in Argyll and talk of fish farms despoiling the sea is rank nonsense.

Today around 600 people in Argyll depend on aquaculture for their livelihood. To criticise our council for rightly having a keen interest in local employment is baffling, particularly in a rural county where our working-age population continues to decline sharply through lack of job opportunity.

S White's rant on renewable energy is both ill-informed and silent on any constructive alternative route to reduce the carbon emissions that are likely driving climate change. As we contemplated the wisdom of S White's views last Friday morning, around £1.5m of locally manufactured wind towers were being loaded aboard in Campbeltown Harbour, destined for

the Netherlands. Argyll's and much of greater Glasgow's kettles were certainly being boiled by the wind and hydro power being generated in Argyll, and hundreds of local people were going to work and earning their living derived from the renewable energy businesses of Argyll.

For local people who have supported renewable energy developments that have brought real economic benefits far beyond the obvious community funds, the suggestion that they have been 'bribed' is patronising and absurd.

It is self-evident that we are economically dependent on what we can produce from the limited options available to us in remote rural areas. Argyll's natural resources favour aquaculture and renewable energy, for which global demand continues to grow. For our part, we hope our councillors and business enterprises will continue their laudable efforts to grow these industries, and the associated economic activity that helps provide the secure employment and opportunity for our local community and also funds a big slice of Argyll's non-domestic rates.

James F Lithgow
of Ormsary

A great night out

Sir,
Through the pages of your newspaper could I say a big thank you to Christine and her team for hosting a great night of entertainment at the Cairnbaan Hotel.

Ablly accompanied by Christine's brother

Gordon, 'Just John' played and sang everything from songs dating to the 1960s to others out last week.

They had everyone from the teenagers to people in their 80s in the palm of their hands.

Don't let anyone say we have nowhere to go for a great night out.

Look out for the return of Just John - and just go out and see him.

Linda and Charles,
Ardrishaig

Unionists in desperation

Sir,
What Councillor Redman is telling the easily led is that a UK, with a massive national debt (which has been doubled by this Tory Government to the unprecedented figure of £185,000,000,000), is hanging on to Scotland to throw money at it.

Aye, right.
Or perhaps instead he is confirming UK economic mismanagement of the Scottish economy.

Or that a country of clever and able people with more natural resources per capita than any other nation in the world has been reduced to a beggar state by a 310-year UK union.

What he is claiming, as the Republic of Ireland moves into sixth place in the world table of well off societies, is that the Scots are the stupidest nation in the world unable like the 195 others - more than half of them smaller than Scotland - to rule themselves. We need handouts from England.

Press policy



At The Argyllshire Advertiser, we endeavour to ensure all our reports are fair and accurate and comply with the Editors' Code of Practice set by the Independent Press Standards Organisation (IPSO). We realise, however, that mistakes happen from time to time. If you think we have made a significant mistake and you wish to discuss this with us, please let us know as soon as possible by any of the three methods: emailing editor@cargyllshireadvertiser.co.uk; telephoning the chief reporter on 01586 554646 or write to the Group Editor at Wyvex Media, Crannog Lane, Lochavullin estate, Oban, PA34 4HB. We will try to resolve your issue in a timeous, reasonable and amicable manner. However, if you are unsatisfied with our response, you can contact IPSO, which will investigate the matter. You can call IPSO on 0300 123 2220 or email inquiries@ipso.co.uk. IPSO is an independent body that deals with complaints from the public about the editorial content of newspapers. We will abide by its decision.

WIN WIN WIN

For your chance to win a fantastic meal for 2 please visit: **DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS!**

The Mulhollands
At The Westloch
facebook page.

West LOCH
HOTEL
TARBERT, LOCH FYNE



McKINVEN & COLVILLE Ltd

BUILDING CONTRACTORS



All aspects of joinery
for home & business
undertaken



For a FREE no obligation quote contact our office Tel: 01586 552724

www.mckinvenandcolville.com



Unit 2, Snipefield Ind Est,
Campbeltown PA28 6SY

Well, hooray for that. Let's just carry on, cap in hand.

The fantasy deficit from the GERS he instances is Scotland's UK deficit. It bears no relationship whatsoever to a deficit an independent Scotland would manage. All countries, except Norway, have deficits. So he relies on the uninformed believing a deficit is a debt while it is in fact upfront spending to provide future revenues.

I find the running down of Scotland and our people by the unionists increasingly shameful but I take comfort in understanding that they are in desperation now.

It is useful to know that included in 'Scotland's deficit' is more than £4 billion we are charged against interest on the UK's national debt, £3.5 billion for defence - mostly Trident but including our share of invading and bombing the Middle East and building aircraft carriers without planes - and our nine per cent share of other items of 'national expenditure' like House of Lords, high speed rail links from London, our share of maintenance of the London underground network and the London sewerage system (yes, I kid you not) and lots of other stuff which has nothing to do with us and which an independent Scotland wouldn't have to pay for.

And I used to think the Scots Tories were for 'sturdy self reliance'. I wonder what happened to that.

David McEwan Hill,
Dalinlongart,
Sandbank, Dunoon

YOUR PICTURES



The photograph this week was taken by Colin Cameron of the Argyllshire Advertiser. It was captured on a Huawei P9 mobile phone, and Colin said: 'I just spotted the bee while out on the hill walking the dogs. It didn't seem to mind the proximity of the phone or the dogs panting nearby, but I was quite lucky to get the photo.'

CONTACTUS

The Argyllshire Advertiser 44
Argyll Street, Lochgilphead
PA31 8NB
Phone: 01546 602345

Chief Reporter
Colin Cameron
editor@argyllshireadvertiser.
co.uk

Reporter
Laura Maxwell
editor@argyllshireadvertiser.
co.uk

Head office
Wyvex Media,
Lochavullin
Industrial Estate,
Oban, PA34 4 HB

The Editor welcomes letters and emails for publication, however we reserves the right to shorten, amend or refuse to print them. Names and addresses MUST be supplied to indicate good faith, although details can be withheld from publication. Phone numbers, if available, should be included. Anonymous letters will not be considered. Please write to: Letters, The Argyllshire Advertiser 44 Argyll Street, Lochgilphead PA31 8NB. Email editor@argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk

MID ARGYLL SPORTS CENTRE

FREE FITNESS WEEKEND!

COME AND TRY OUT OUR FITNESS CLASSES FOR FREE
--- SATURDAY 15TH AND SUNDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER ---

BOOK NOW - 01546 603 228

STRONG BY ZUMBA | ABSOLUTE CORE | CIRCUIT TRAINING
STOMP FX | PUMP FX | HATTON BOXING AND MORE...*

NO JOINING
FEE!
*FULL CLASS
DETAILS ON
OUR
WEBSITE

MEMBERSHIP
FROM JUST
£26.50
PER
MONTH!

NEW
TIMETABLE
FROM 17TH
SEP



No matter your age or fitness level,
we have something for you!

Enjoy our classes and/or a gym
session and improve your
health and fitness.



FOR FITNESS CLASS & GYM OPENING TIMES CHECK OUT OUR [WEBSITE](http://WWW.LIVEARGYLL.CO.UK) AT WWW.LIVEARGYLL.CO.UK

 live
Argyll

PosterMyWall.com

01546 603228
MID ARGYLL SPORTS CENTRE
LOCHGILPHEAD JOINT CAMPUS, PA31 8AA

Hospice benefits from heavy metal roadshow

Cowal Vintage Transport Club held its charity road run on Saturday September 1, with guests from as far afield as Kintyre, Dunblane and the Borders joining in.

A colourful procession of vintage tractors, cars and motorcycles and an

old MacBrayne's bus left Sandbank on the Holy Loch, winding its way across the Cowal peninsula to Otter Ferry, before hugging the Loch Fyne shore northwards to Strathlachlan. At Strathlachlan Community Centre the vintage enthusi-

asts enjoyed a hearty lunch, with the opportunity to view the gleaming machinery.

The sun poked through the clouds and an enjoyable day was made all the better in the knowledge that money raised on the day would be donated to Cowal Hospice in Dunoon.



A smart three litre Mk III Austin Healey belonging to Tom Paton. 06_a36VintageMachineryRun08
Inset: Liz Orr from Kilmun in her 1991 metallic pink Nissan Figaro. 06_a36VintageMachineryRun05



Above: This group of visiting enthusiasts had a great time. From left: Tam MacDonald of Blyth Bridge and District Tractor Club, Amie Rich from Bute Vintage Club, Joe Johnstone of Rothesay, Robert Rich from Rothesay, Alex Pettie from Blyth Bridge and Michael McLaren, Blyth Bridge. 06_a36VintageMachineryRun02



The gleaming collection of heavy metal came from near and far to Argyll. 06_a36VintageMachineryRun06

**BORE HOLE DRILLING
PRIVATE WATER SUPPLIES
PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL
WATER TREATMENT**

F D S Ltd

M: 07885 742146

EXPERTS IN THE FIELD

MBC
MARTIN BOYLE CONTRACTING LTD

Scottish Water approved contractor.

**SEPTIC TANK EMPTYING
AND CLEANING**

SEPTIC TANK INSTALLATION

**HIGH PRESSURE JETTING
& CLEANING**

Callum Simpson
07917 358285
(Argyll and the Islands)

Martin Boyle
07782 313517
(Jura, Islay & Colonsay)

martinboylecontracting@gmail.com

Established 2005 • Isle of Jura

'Serving Argyll and the Islands'

Selling your Whisky Cask?

If you own a cask of Scotch Whisky and are interested in selling it, we would love to hear from you.

We are always searching for individuals who wish make a return on their casks, making the process simple and easy whilst offering the best market price.

We will also give 3 bottles of any cask back to you free of charge to enjoy.

Please send details to cask@atombrands.com

BOWfest line-up announced

Friday 6.30pm to 10.30pm:

Tide Lines, Seven Nations, Beinn Lee, The Coaltown Daisies, Acoustic Butterfly.

Saturday 11.30am to 9pm:

Donnie Munro Band, Heron Valley, Dr Hip and The Blues Operation, The Bhangra Beatles, The Camans, Rhuvaal, Project Smok, Gness, Katie and Abi, Bar None Community Choir.

Sunday 11.30am to 7.45pm

Skipinnish, Bwani Junction, The Hur, The 101, Ri Cheile, The Big Shoogie, The Coaltown Daisies, Hannah Rarity Band, Snuff Box, Holly Tiegan.

Food

Loch Fyne Oysters, Real Mackay Stovies, Homeground Coffee, Inveraray Castle Tea Room, Aye Love Real Food, Nomad Wood Fired Pizza, Winston Churchill Venison, Wee Isle Dairy, Sheffield Farm, The Isle of Skye Baking Company, Coast, Duntarrin Foods, J.R. Fine Foods.

Crafts

Alison McIntosh Prentice, Cardross Crab Art, Slate Island Seaweed, Janice Bracey, Daisy Rocks Design, Keltic Fairie, Scottish Landscape Photography by John Ellis, Susan Berry Studio and Gallery, Mansefield Studios, Barrhead Leather, Ancient Win and Bev Co., Divine Hag, Campbell Bike Workshop, Thistle Fairy Designs, Urban Pirate, Truly Trossachs, Bluebell Jewels, Highland Homewares, Love Dove Cottage, Bamboo Make-up Brushes, Kintyre Preserves,



Heron Valley at last year's Best of the West Festival.

Stirling Gin, Barefoot on the Croft, KMR Candles, Art by the Loch, Shop All Sortz.

Loch Fyne Whisky tent

More than 100 whiskies behind the bar including: Arran, Auchentoshan, Bowmore, Bruichladdich, Bunnahabhain, Caol Ila, Glen Scotia, Jura, Kilchoman, Lagavulin, Laphroaig, The Loch Fyne, Loch Lomond, Oban, Springbank, Talisker, plus more. Drams from £2.50

Children's entertainment

Funky chicken, circus tricks, face painting, magician, bungee trampoline, climbing wall, tea cups, fly fishing. Free and included in ticket.

Festival kitchen

Calum Hall, Jordan Clark, Graeme Cheevers, Andrew MacLugash, Eddie Scott, Gary MacLean (Masterchef).



2018
MACHTOBERFEST

LIVE MUSIC • BEER SPECIALS • INCREDIBLE GOLF • LUXURIOUS ACCOMMODATION



**2-NIGHT STAY FOR TWO
IN THE LUXURIOUS
UGADALE HOTEL & COTTAGES**
FROM JUST **£159 PP***

- Daily cooked breakfasts
- £40† food & drink voucher for any of our pubs or restaurants! (£80† voucher in Cottages)
- Unlimited Golf at Machrihanish Dunes
- Discounted Golf at Machrihanish GC

TO BOOK YOUR STAY, CALL 01586 810019.

*Hotel and golf rounds subject to availability. Includes VAT and £3 nightly resort fee. Price shown is per person for four people in a Ugadale Cottage, rates will be slightly higher for stays in The Ugadale and Royal Hotel. Rates vary based on room type and are valid 1 October - 31 October, 2018. †Vouchers are non-transferable, have no cash value, and must be used during your stay.



From a faulty socket to new heating systems.



MACLEOD
PLUMBING & ELECTRICAL

We do it all.

Kilmory Industrial Estate
Lochgilthead, Argyll, PA31 8RR
Tel 01546 602989 Fax 01546 603789

sales@mkmacleod.co.uk www.mkmacleod.co.uk

Friendship and fun at the Special Olympics

After a wonderful five days the Boccia teams from Scotland West have returned from the 40th Anniversary Special Olympics GB in Stirling.

The event lived up to everyone's expectations, full of



Flora celebrates winning a bronze medal.

friendship and fun, meeting friends from past games and new friends for the first time, including teams from Belgium, Germany and Macau.

There were so many exciting events, beginning with the grand opening ceremony which had a wide range of enjoyable singers and musicians. The highlight of that evening for most were the Red Hot Chilli Pipers and a special visit from King Robert the Bruce and his knights. The games mascot, Wallace, made his first appearance and was present at all the fun events to add that extra encouragement to all the athletes.

A ceilidh on Saturday night, a closing ceremony on Sunday night and a range of events in the athletes' village all made for a very enjoyable time for everyone, with some time to

relax between a very heavy games schedule. This time the participants did not have any free days but were involved in competition every day.

Everyone rose to the occasion and played Boccia to their usual high standards in so many highly competitive games.

Every player rose to the inspirational Olympic oath, being brave in the attempt to do their best.

The Boccia squad were delighted for each other, winning silver, bronze and fourth place in the team events. The singles events, spread over two days, were even more competitive and the squad's efforts were rewarded by individual gold, silver, two bronze, two fourth and two fifth place medals.

The team from

Lochgilthead came back with fourth place medals, and in the singles events Flora Currie won bronze, Iain MacDougall won fourth and Campbell Ferguson won fifth.

Special Olympics Scotland West and Lochgilthead branch would like to thank everyone who supported them in making this possible with fundraising and donations. Grant MacDougall organised the ceilidh with so many wonderful singers and musicians who gave freely of their time and expertise.

Thanks also to Jolomo and the Tai Chi Club for their generous donations.

Finally a special thanks to head coach John Gillies, assistant coaches Mary Gillies and Scott McColl for all their hard work and time preparing everyone for this event.



Team Lochgilthead - from left, Campbell Ferguson, Iain MacDougall and Flora Currie.



A fantastic occasion for the whole team.

www.mellowmelfort.com

Special Offer: Anytime during September or October...

4 nights for the price of 3
total stay from just £345 (Sleeps 2)

The ultimate in comfortable self-catering.

A recipe for relaxation we have it - sea, sunsets, sand, sauna, smiles, silence, sailing, service, scrabble, spa bath, sanctuary, swimming, snuggling, satisfaction.



Kilmelford by Oban. PA34 4XD

Call now: 01852 200333

Email: melharbour@aol.com



We've saved a place for you

@ Portree, Broadford, Auchtertyre, Mallaig, Fort William Kilchoan, Kinlochleven, Gairloch, Strontian & Ullapool

Its not too late to apply for one of our many courses. Call us anytime to get friendly advice.

Your local college centre can offer part time and flexible study options - drop in or give us a call, we're here to help #thinkwestisbest

01397 874000

whc.uhi.ac.uk

West Highland College UHI is a company limited by guarantee (SC153921) with charitable status (SC024193).



University of the Highlands and Islands West Highland College Ollthigh na Gàidhealtachd agus nan Eilean Colais na Gàidhealtachd an Iar

Stoddarts

FULL RANGE OF HONDA ATV's and LOGIC EQUIPMENT IN STOCK

FINANCE AND DELIVERY ARRANGED

TEL: 01631 564176 / 07799 692072

john.stoddarts@btconnect.com

www.stoddartsofoban.co.uk



Scottish Sea Life Sanctuary set to close

The Scottish Sealife Sanctuary in Barcaldine, near Oban, will close its doors on October 31 unless a buyer is found.

The much-loved Oban-based attraction, which opened in 1979, will be open to the public until Wednesday October 31 to care for creatures and welcome guests.

Work is starting to transfer the creatures in the care of the sanctuary to other centres in the UK with the help of vets, marine biologists and logistics experts to ensure the well-being of all the animals.

On its Facebook page The Scottish Sea Life Sanctuary posted: 'After comprehensively reviewing every possible option, there isn't a viable way to sustain the significant investment that is required to keep the sanctuary open.'

'This was an enormously tough decision which has been reached with a heavy heart and with the utmost consideration.'

'We'd like to say a huge thank you to all our staff who have been incredibly understanding and have shown amazing commitment and team work over the years. We also want to thank all our wonderful guests for their support.'

Newsdesk
01546
602345



Stuart Liddell with the Argyllshire Gathering Glenfiddich Single Malt Scotch Whisky Senior Piobaireachd Trophy and the Kilberry Cup, presented by the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders. Photograph: Kevin McGlynn.

Senior piobaireachd success for Stuart at Northern Meeting

Inveraray piper Stuart Liddell followed up victory at the recent Argyllshire Gathering with success at last week's Northern Meeting.

Stuart, pipe major of Inveraray and District Pipe Band, took first place in the prestigious senior piobaireachd competition at the Argyllshire Gathering in Oban, winning The Glenfiddich Single Malt Scotch Whisky Trophy and the Kilberry Cup.

A week later at the Northern Meeting in Inverness, which concluded on Friday August 31, he won the hornpipe and jig.

The Northern Meeting clasp competition for piobaireachd was won for the third time – at the age of just 29 – by Callum Beaumont, a former member of Inveraray and District Pipe Band. In second place was Angus MacColl of Benderloch with Stuart Liddell in fourth position. Angus MacColl was the Overall Champion Piper at this year's Northern Meeting.

Young Campbeltown piper Ross Connor performed brilliantly to win the under 18 march, Strathspey and reel at the Northern Meeting.

Freeview re-tune alert

Freeview viewers in parts of Argyll may need to re-tune their TV equipment on Wednesday September 19 to continue watching some programmes.

Some Freeview channels are moving to new airwaves to allow for the development of new mobile broadband services.

Transmitters affected include a number in the central belt as well as Millport and

Tighnabruach. Further changes will take place at transmitters in parts of Scotland on Wednesday October 3. On-screen messages will advise people of the re-tune date for their transmitter.

Re-tuning should be straightforward and some TV equipment will re-tune automatically. Some older aerials may need to be replaced to continue receiving all chan-

nels. Viewers may be eligible for free in-home support, including aerial work if needed.

Anyone who needs advice, or who finds they are still missing services after retuning, can visit the Freeview website at www.freeview.co.uk/tvchanges or contact the Freeview Advice Line free on 0808 100 0288.

Further information is available online at www.freeview.co.uk/tvchanges

Lucky winner spreads biscuit cheer

Followers of the Argyllshire Advertiser Facebook page will be familiar with our regular bit of Friday nonsense – our popular 'Win a Biscuit' competition.

All you have to do is guess which biscuit we'll be munching while we enjoy our hot-off-the-press Argyllshire Advertiser. The first correct answer on our Facebook page wins a packet of those very biscuits.

Last week's winner – who correctly guessed we would be demolishing Breakaways – was Tini MacInnes Stewart. She very kindly asked if we would donate the biccies to staff at Mary's Meals charity shop in Lochgilphead for their cuppa, which we duly did.

Mary's Meals shop manager Marina Campbell said: 'This is a lovely thought and thanks very much to the lady who won the biscuits for thinking



Mary's Meals manager Marina Campbell, left, and volunteer Lorraine Dale get ready to enjoy their biscuits, courtesy of our lucky winner. 06_a36MarysMealsBiscuit01

of us.' If you want to have a go at winning some biscuits, keep an eye on the Argyllshire

Advertiser Facebook page on Fridays and have a guess. It's just a bit of fun!

DON'T BE STUCK IN THE DARK!

FOR ALL YOU'RE POWER, HEATING AND LIGHTING NEEDS FOR SITE AND DOMESTIC USE.



1 Mill Lane, Lochavullin Industrial Estate,
Oban Argyll PA34 4HA

Tel: 01631 566306

www.hireandsupplies.com



ANDREW SMITH & SON HAZELBURN BUSINESS PARK OFFICE LETS

A unique office space with room to grow your business.

Quality Offices to Let. Available periodically.

A professional and comfortable place to work giving access to complete facilities.



ANDREW SMITH & SON

T: 01586 553 173 W: andrewsmithandson.co.uk
E: enquiries.asmithandson@btconnect.com
Snipefield Industrial Estate,
Drumore, Campbeltown, Argyll, PA28 6SY



Readers respond to family appeal

The search for information on the Mid Argyll Dargie family has yielded a wealth of information.

As reported in the August 31 edition of the Argyllshire Advertiser, a family from New Zealand has been looking to re-connect with long-lost family in Scotland.

Thomas Hamilton Dargie, a farm worker at Barsloisnach on Poltalloch Estate, emigrated to New Zealand in the 1920s or '30s. After he moved to the Land of the Long White Cloud he never reconnected with any of his family.

His son Grant, leading the search, said: 'In 1977, I did a similar search but lost contact

with the family over time. We wanted to try to connect with any possible relatives who may still reside in that area.

'We are keen to know of any possible kin who may still be interested in connecting in with New Zealand or Australian family. I am hoping the Argyllshire Advertiser may help us connect with anyone who may know.'

Grant's youngest brother, another Thomas Hamilton Dargie, was in Adrishalg a few weeks back searching for any family connections.

Last week's appeal prompted a number of readers to get in touch.

One lady contacted the

paper to say she is the current resident at Barsloisnach. She said: 'The worker mentioned was employed by the Malcolms of Duntrune Castle and the cottage was tied. About three years ago I came across relatives of this person, purely by chance, and we talked about the links to where I live. He was a consultant cardiologist, Professor Henry Dargie.'

A reader from Lochgilhead, Helen Shaw, called to say she is a niece of Thomas Dargie, or 'Uncle Tam'. She recalled that two Dargie sisters married two Paterson brothers, with her own mother being Helen Dargie.



Information on the back of this sawmill photograph tells us that it was taken in the 1920s at Balliemore Wood, Kilmichael. On the top row are, from left: J Adams, J Dargie and J Higgins. Middle: J MacVean, J Rettie, J Robertson, J Taylor, D Campbell and A MacDonald. Front: F Ewan, A Stewart, Bob Gauld, ? MacPherson and W Breck. 06_a36DargiePic_Sawmill01

Alasdair McVean from Kilmartin called in with our featured photo which includes Jimmy Dargie, a son of Thomas Dargie. He remembered that Thomas

from Barsloisnach was farm manager for the Malcolm family, and also an auctioneer in Lochgilhead with Thomas Corson. Jimmy, said Alasdair, was a manager at transport

firm BRS on Bishopton Road in Lochgilhead. These snippets will be passed on to Grant Dargie and we trust they prove helpful in his search for long-lost family.

Islay Book Festival

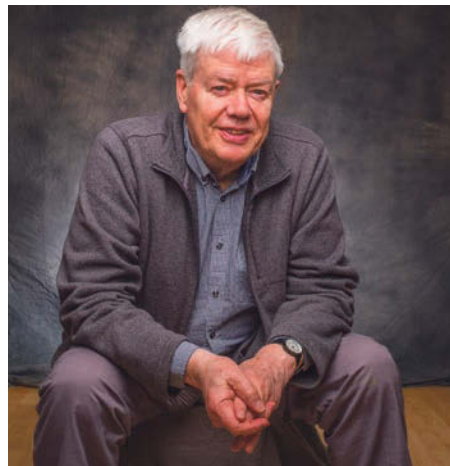
Islay Book Festival celebrates its 11th festival on September 27-30 in its most ambitious festival to date.

Nineteen authors will offer a range of events for adults and children of all ages in an exciting programme that includes storytelling, poetry, island fiction, a tartan cat, and much more. The Scottish Book Trust will also be filming the festival.

The star-studded line-up includes Bernard MacLaverty, who will discuss how his serious writing started - in a bungalow in Bowmore.

Crime writer Lin Anderson will showcase her latest thriller with soil forensics expert Lorna Dawson. Reflections on the 100th anniversary of the First World War, and its local impact on Islay and Jura, will be headed up by prolific author-historian Trevor Royle and award-winning filmmaker Les Wilson.

Gaelic children's author and illustrator Catriona Black will be there. Her exhibition, Forradh: Sly Cooking, is currently on display at Islay's Gaelic College.



Bernard MacLaverty. Photograph: Robert Burns

Ian Stephen, Malachy Tallack, Donald S Murray and Janis Mackay are among the other well-known authors making their way to this year's festival.



Cantilena Festival on Islay

8 - 13 JULY 2018

Sunday 8 July Columba Centre
Monday 9 July Laphroaig Distillery
Tuesday 10 July Lagavulin Distillery
Wednesday 11 July Columba Centre
Thursday 12 July Ardbeg Distillery
Friday 13 July Bruichladdich Hall

Visit CANTILENAFESTIVAL.CO.UK

for more information and details of our pre-Festival recital in Portnahaven

All concerts start at 7.30pm Tickets £12
(Senior £10, £5 with Student Card, free for schoolchildren) Season £60 (Senior £50)
available at the Celtic House, Bowmore from 1 June and at the door on the night.

Advance orders from admin@cantilenafestival.co.uk

Cantilena Festival on Islay Ltd is a Scottish Registered Charity No SC033071

MDIVE LTD

HULL CLEANING
any subsurface structure
conserve fuel expense

mdiveltd@live.co.uk

NO JOB TOO BIG

REQUEST A
QUOTE
TODAY

CALL US
01680 812913

VISIT US



HIGHLAND FASTENERS

**METABO
KGS216M**

Laser Slide 216mm
compound mitre saw

Plus 3 extra TCT Sawblades

£135 ex VAT

**ONLY
£162.00
including
VAT**



Highland Fasteners Ltd, 23-25 Stevenson Street, Oban, Argyll
01631 570584 e-mail sales@highlandfasteners.com

Close shaves for rally crews

There were only two local crews competing in the Scottish Tarmac Rally Championship (STRC) Pendragon stages at Warcop training camp in Cumbria on Sunday August 26.

They were Donald Bowness and navigator Paul Gribben in their Vauxhall Nova and Jamie Miller and Ian McCulloch in their Citroen C2R2Max. Both crews compete in the 1600 class.

This was Jamie's second outing in the car. In what was a wet and slippery day, tyre choice was difficult.

Stage two was better, after a change of tyres. There were several incidents on stages throughout the day which caused delays. Jamie and Ian stopped to help on stage three when a car rolled. This caused them to lose a lot of time but priority was to ensure the other competitors were safe.

By stage seven, the 'red mist' had set in on Jamie and he had a battle with a mk 2 Escort.

Jamie said: 'This is a good event, but the class in front have a phenomenal pace to

compete against, although I still enjoyed it.' Jamie's next event is Leuchers, Fife, in November which will be the final round of the STRC. He is also looking at doing the MSN circuit event in December at Knockhill.

Donald and Paul also had a few close calls. On stage two they went through a fence in slippery conditions costing them around 35 seconds.

Back to service, it was a change of tyres. The new tyre choice proved to be working well back on stage and they began setting impressive times. On stage seven, their car stopped within inches of a concrete block.

At the end of a long day, Jamie and Ian finished 46th overall and 14th in class, while Donald and Paul finished seventh overall with first in class and first FWD car setting a fourth fastest stage time. Donald said these were his best results so far since he started his hobby.

He is now planning a break to give the car a well-deserved rest and some TLC.



Donald Bowness and navigator Paul Gribben with their Vauxhall Nova and prizes.

ARGYLL & ISLES CHIMNEY SERVICES

07834 640989

www.argyllchimneyservices.co.uk

When Was The Last Time You Had Your Chimney Cleaned?

- AWARD WINNING POWER SWEEPING SYSTEM • OPEN FIRES
- WOOD BURNING STOVES • OIL & GAS FLUES
- AGA & RAYBURN
- BIOMASS FLUES
- CCTV INSPECTION



CHIMNEY SWEEPING THROUGHOUT ARGYLL, LORN AND THE ISLES

Scary mutants

The multi-million dollar international trade in exotic pets has long been a bugbear of mine.

Not only does it promote wild animals as (eminently unsuitable) fashion accessories, but it also allows potentially dangerous microbes to jump to, and cause epidemics in, other species including humans.

What's more, even if they don't mutate as occurred in the case outlined here, if released into the wild either by design or mistake these foreigners can cause havoc to local ecosystems.

In a letter to the scientific journal Nature in 2003, a group of German scientists began 'it has been rumoured that an unidentified crayfish...of marbled appearance and uncertain geographical origin that was introduced into the German aquarium trade in the mid 1990s, is

capable of unisexual reproduction (parthenogenesis).

The authors ended by warning that: 'This crayfish... could become a menace to European freshwater systems, as the release of even one specimen into the wild would be enough to found a popula-



Science matters

DOROTHY H CRAWFORD



tion that might out-compete native crayfish'.

Now, 23 years later, this all-female crayfish has escaped into the wild. Identified as a descendent of the fresh water slough crayfish from Florida, it is now called the marbled crayfish or Marmokrebs. So far it has invaded the waterways of at least nine European countries as well as Japan and Madagascar. Unravelling its

origin reveals that a unique macro-mutation must have occurred in a single slough crayfish egg; probably caused by heat or cold shock whilst in transit from Florida to Germany for the pet market.

The resulting female hatchling possessed three sets of chromosomes per cell (triploidy) and the ability to produce clones of itself without a mate and at very high frequency.

Because of its warm climate and abundant freshwater habitats, Madagascar has seen the most rapid colonisation with Marmokrebs. Millions of the animals have invaded the country's lakes, rice paddies and swamps and are threatening its seven endemic crayfish species.

It is only a matter of time before this scenario is repeated in other locations, destroying valuable ecosystems and eliminating indigenous species.

The marbled crayfish or Marmokrebs.

Seven projects given Kintyre wind farm cash

SSE wind farm funds delivered more than £25,000 in support for community projects in Kintyre during 2017/18, a new report has shown.

A total of seven projects were supported by the Tangy wind farm fund, including six community councils which delivered micro grant programmes to provide small grants to 20 local community groups including Campbeltown mini rugby and the refurbishment of Machrihanish Village Hall.

The SSE 2017/18 Community Investment Review documents every award made from SSE's 29 community benefit funds from April 2017 to March 2018.

The report also reveals that for each £1 awarded by SSE through its grant-making programme, recipients sourced an additional £2.93 in match funding from other sources.

The funds are provided as a part of a commitment made during the development of SSE's renewable energy projects in Great Britain since 2002, with funding decisions taken by independent community panels or trusts.

In total, 463 not-for-profit projects received grants to the value of £5,183,931 in the 12-month period. A focus of the funds was sports and recreation with £629,217 invested in 19 different types of sporting activity.

SSE Head of Sustainability Rachel McEwen said: 'This year has been the most successful year yet for SSE's community funds with more than £5.1m of community investment funds available. It's fantastic to see the work SSE's community funds have supported and we're delighted to play an instrumental role in bringing these projects to fruition. I would like to thank the countless people in Argyll and Bute who give up their time freely to sit on our panels or volunteer for their local trust. Every single individual contributes to the success of our funds and without you I am in no doubt that SSE's community funds would not have the success they do.'

NATIONWIDE SCRAP METAL

WANTED ALL TYPES OF

**FERROUS AND NON-FERROUS METAL,
COPPER, BRASS, LEAD CAR BATTERIES**
- £7 UPWARDS

**PRIVATE & COMMERCIAL
WASTE REMOVAL**

PLEASE CALL 07950444569



secure document & data destruction

Secure destruction of all confidential material from your home or office.

Collection service available.

Witness your documents being destroyed should you wish.

SIMPLY Shredding

MacQueen Bros,
Glengallan Road, Oban,
Argyll PA34 4HG

(01631) 564848

info@macqueenbros.com



argyllshire
advertiser

Incorporating Campbeltown Courier

Now delivering news
7 DAYS A WEEK online
www.campbeltowncourier.co.uk

**FROM
56p
PER WEEK**

**INCLUDES
FULL
website
access and
a DIGITAL
EDITION
of the
newspaper**

A local business with an excellent workforce and vast experience in the industry.

**Taylor & Wishart
Scaffolding**
50 Macdonald Terrace
Lochgilthead
PA31 8TE

**07584 189072 or
07747 536523**

We can scaffold anything.



Take up the 66 Day Challenge and improve your life



Linda Tough from Adult Learning, Argyll and Bute Council; Antonia Baird, Mid Argyll Health and Wellbeing Network Co-ordinator, also from the council; and Claire Cameron, MS Centre Mid Argyll - all hard at work planning to help people change their lives through the challenge. no_a36Advertorial_66Days01



They say that it takes an average of 66 days to kick an old habit, or pick up a new one - and now is your chance to do it with the help of others.

A brand new initiative - the Mid Argyll 66 Day Challenge - offers members of the public the opportunity to change the habits of a lifetime.

The project is being delivered by NHS Highland, the charity umbrella body TSI and the local Health and Wellbeing Network, and the whole thing kicks off with full day launch event on Wednesday October 17, exactly 66 days before Christmas.

So now is the time to have a think about what you want to achieve.

Whether it's a battle against the bulge, walking more, beating the booze giving up that chocolate habit, we all have big or little things we want to eliminate, or good habits we would like to take up.

Individuals can take the challenge on their own, or in groups. People can raise money through sponsorship for local charities or take whatever approach they feel is right for them.

The challenge ends on day 66 - Christmas Eve - and Mid Argyll could be several tonnes lighter, fitter of foot and healthier all round - a great end to the year and a great start for the rest of your life.

There are lots of local providers such as fitness trainers, local facilities and charities who have experience to help, and it's a great time to explore what's out there and make a decision.

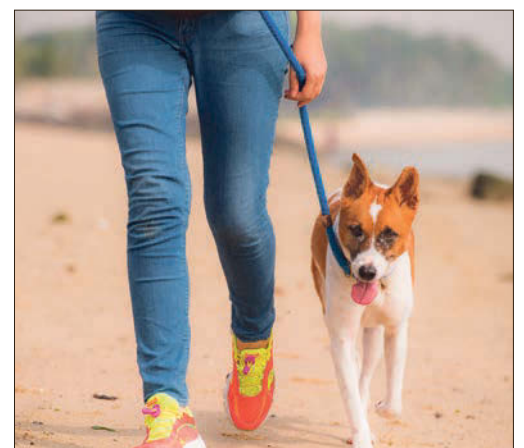
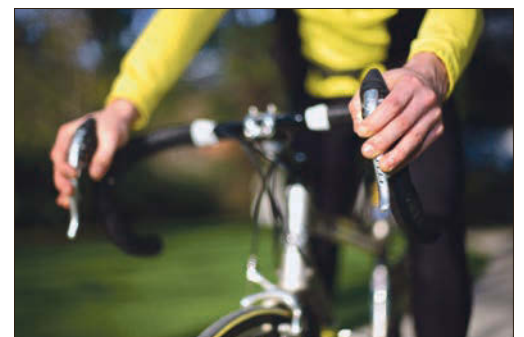
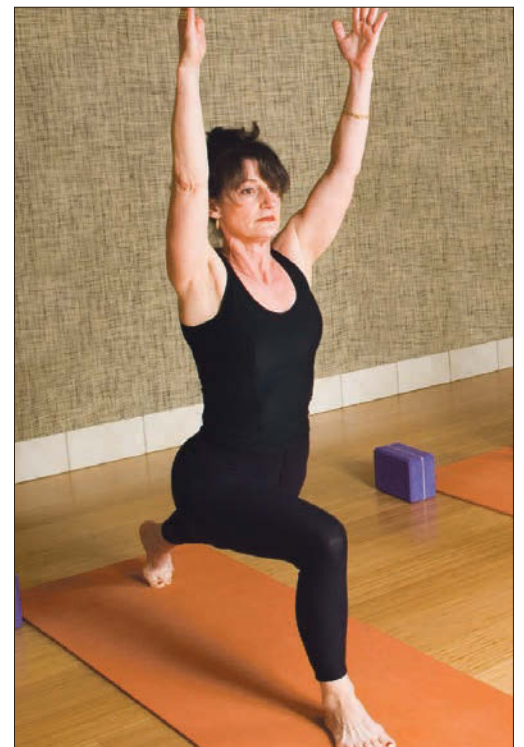
For the 66 Day Challenge you might decide to:

- give up sugar in your tea*
- walk the dog every day at a particular time each day*
- do a 15 minute warm up routine every day*
- take up a yoga and meditation routine*
- give up fizzy drinks*
- give up smoking*
- change your diet*
- take up cycling.*

Whatever you decide, help will be available should you want it.

Look out for the big launch event in Lochgilphead Community Centre on October 17, where there will be a market place, demonstrations and a healthy food cafe.

For more information on the Mid Argyll 66 Day Challenge, contact Antonia Baird at: Antonia.baird@argyll-bute.gov.uk or call 01546 604270.



OBAN

Sponsored by



Motorfest



2018



Station Square, Oban Sunday 16th Sept

from 11am to 4pm

MOTORFEST T-SHIRTS AVAILABLE from £6.00



ALSO APPEARING...



The Clan Mountain Bike Stunt Show



Artwork by CGL (Oban) - www.cg-ltd.co.uk



Tarbert Music Festival

Dig out those dancing shoes because the Tarbert Music Festival is kicking off next Friday September 14.

For one weekend until Sunday September 16, the lochside village will fill with music of all kinds, calling for people all over to join the dancing and singing.

The festival, which has been running since 1988, allows various locations to host many live gigs, as well as a tent set up on the quay with a licensed bar and a raffle for festival funds.

The festival will see the summer music scene end with a bang with acts such as The Camans, Dr Hip and The Blues Operation and Heron Valley, fresh from their performances at Inveraray's Best of the West.

The line-up includes the music of Treble Trouble, Rhuvaal, Soap, Red Pine Timber Co. on the quay; The

Corner House will host Kenny and Wallace and Done 'N' Dusted; The Tarbert Hotel offers The Camans, Thunder Road and Dr Hip and the Blues Operation; Two Bob Rocket will entertain the Anchor Hotel and The Islay Frigate Hotel will host Michelle From The Fold and Cherry Valentine.

Added to this the festivities will be kept merry by the Mid Argyll Pipe Band on Saturday and the Loch Fyne Pipe Band on Sunday.

As well as the music, a coffee morning will be held in Templars Hall from 10am until 12pm on Saturday, and food found at The Quay.

For hardcore fans of the festival, there will also be Sunday Night Survivor's Night. Details of which can be found in the local pubs, each offering their own way of winding down the party.



Heron Valley's Alex Mackechnie, Abigail Pryde and Callum Cronin light up the stage in 2017. 08_a38heronvalley2



2017's event proved to be a great day for festival organiser Barbara Johnston and family members John, Shaun and David Johnston. Also pictured is Jack and Irene Stuart and Graham Stephens. 08_a38johnston



Rhuvaal will be entertaining the crowds on Sunday.

TARBERT

MUSIC FESTIVAL 2018

14th – 16th SEPTEMBER

On the Quay Sunday 1.30pm till 6pm
With Licensed Bar & Raffle for Festival Funds

TREBLE TROUBLE

RHUVAAL

SOAP

RED PINE TIMBER CO

<p style="text-align: center; color: green;">THE CORNER HOUSE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Friday 9PM till 12.30 Saturday 2PM till 12.30</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: green;">KENNY & WALLACE DONE 'N' DUSTED</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: blue;">THE TARBERT HOTEL</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Friday PM THE CAMANS</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sat afternoon THUNDER ROAD Sat PM DR HIP & THE BLUES OPERATION</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> <p style="margin: 0;">SATURDAY MID ARGYLL PIPE BAND</p> </div>	<div style="border: 2px solid red; padding: 5px; text-align: center; margin: 10px auto; width: 80%;"> <p style="margin: 0; color: red;">COFFEE MORNING TEMPLARS HALL SATURDAY 10AM- 12noon</p> </div> <p style="text-align: center; color: blue;">ANCHOR HOTEL</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Friday 9pm till late Saturday 9pm till late</p> <p style="text-align: center;">TWO BOB ROCKET</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: pink;">ISLAY FRIGATE HOTEL</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Friday 10pm till close MICHELLE FROM THE FOLD</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sat afternoon unconfirmed Sat PM CHERRY VALENTINE</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> <p style="margin: 0;">SUNDAY LOCH FYNE PIPE BAND</p> </div>	<p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold; margin-top: 20px;">SUNDAY – Food available on The Quay SUNDAY NIGHT SURVIVORS NIGHT – CHECK LOCAL PUBS FOR WHATS ON AFTER 6PM</p>
---	--	--

THE BRIDEGUIDE

Highland Romance

With a gorgeous natural backdrop and a surfeit of fairytale venues, the West Highlands is a renowned wedding destination for Scottish couples, as well as those coming from around the world. A wedding may be the biggest event a couple will ever organise, so nothing should be left to chance. The Autumn Wedding Guide can help the bride and groom plan their perfect day, and a few tips will help make the process even smoother. With that in mind, here is The Oban Times' five steps to help organise the big day with the minimum amount of stress.

1. Decide on a date. Speak to the celebrant first, whether a minister or a member of the council office, and get the date inked in before making any other plans. Then the venue can be booked.

2. Compromise is an essential part of the wedding planning. This may be the bride's day, but the groom can be involved as well. He may not be interested in choosing colours, the cake or the bridesmaids' dresses, and, in fact,

he may not even be concerned about the details – all he is thinking about is how happy his blushing bride will be. But by asking him to make some important decisions, such as setting a budget, choosing groomsmen's outfits, sourcing rings

and organising the honeymoon, he gets to put in his two pence-worth. Our advertisers can help make decisions easier, taking some of the strain off the couple.

3. Set a realistic budget. Weddings can be expensive, so make a priority list and be ready to compromise. And remember, years from now, everyone will remember the love and the fun, not whether they ate the most costly cake or drank the finest champagne. If the couple can find ways to cut some costs, they can afford to splurge on the items most important to them, whether it is the music, the food or the venue.

4. Make a plan. By keeping a 'to do' list – even a binder – and planning well ahead, the busy couple can stay organised and keep on top of tasks. Keep records and receipts of everything, from discussions with the venue manager and caterer to fabric swatches.

5. Divide and conquer. Think about the skills of people in the wedding party and family and ask them to be involved. Does Aunt Mary have mad calligraphy skills? Have her address the invitations. Is the bridesmaid a keen baker? Ask if she can make the cake. And for everything else, the friendly and knowledgeable Oban Times advertisers have all the bases covered – it's what they do.

Enjoy the day. After months of stressful planning, by the time the wedding day arrives, the bride and groom can be at the end of their tether. But if they let the professionals do their jobs and allow family and friends to pamper and assist in the details, the stressed out couple can transform into the happy couple.



Just relax, smile and enjoy!



A.P. Taylor Men's occasion wear

47 Main Street, Campbeltown,
Argyll, PA28 6AB
01586 552432

Family run business that offers a friendly, informal and first class service. In partnership with Cameron Ross Highland wear we have the outfit for all your celebrations in adult and kids sizes.

All set for your Hen/Stag Night?
Venue? ✓ Entertainment? ✓ Mandatory Squad T-Shirts? ✓

WEE TOON TRENDS

01586 553998
Check out our fast & friendly **PRINTING SERVICE**
WWW.TRENDS CLOTHING.CO.UK

GIVE YOURSELF THE CONFIDENCE YOU DESERVE



OBAN

Glencruitten Church Hall,
Glencruitten Road
Wednesday 9.30am, 11.30am,
5.30pm & 7.30pm
Tel: Gillian 07796 040 803

LOCHGILPHEAD

Lochgilphead Baptist Church
Union Street/ Argyll Street
Mondays 5.30pm & 7.30pm
Tel: Rhona 07880 878 906

CAMPBELTOWN

Masonic Recreational
Lodge
St John Street
Tuesdays 1pm, 5.30pm
& 7.30pm
Tel: Rhona 07880 878 906

slimmingworld.co.uk
0344 897 8000



TOWN HALL

CAMPBELTOWN

One of Scotland's finest Town Houses



Combining heritage and stunning architecture, Campbeltown Town Hall provides a romantic and inspiring backdrop for any occasion.

“ We had our wedding reception here and it was stunning. The hall is simply perfect, the staff were fantastic and made us feel so at ease. We will be back Thank you, ND ”

We have tailored wedding packages to help you create your perfect day.

T: 01586 552870 E: info@skdt.org

www.townhallcampbeltown.com

Photo credit: www.jcollettweddingphotography.com



Plan your wedding in Argyll, or the Highlands, amid the splendour of its mountains, lochs and castles.

Argyll and Bute Registrar's – Civil Ceremonies

“It is your day so we do it your way”

That's the motto of Argyll and Bute registrars, who are here to help make your big day the magical experience you've always dreamed of.

Whether it's a castle, a beach or even your own garden – you can get married almost anywhere. Why not make your ceremony truly unique by including personal readings, your choice of music or even a handfasting or quach ceremony. We're more than happy to help.

Get in touch with us on 01546 605522 or visit www.argyll-bute.gov.uk/marriage/ to find out what we can do for you.

It's your big day so we do it your way
Argyll and Bute Civil Ceremonies

When it comes to life's momentous occasions, getting married, entering a partnership or reaffirming vows are near the top. Our team of professional, caring registrars are there to help you every step of the way. Contact us to help plan your big day.

Email: registrars@argyll-bute.gov.uk
or call: 01546 605522 to be directed to your appropriate point of contact.

Argyll and Bute Civil Ceremonies
Full of Perfect Places, for your Perfect Day

Find us on Facebook



Argyll Bute COUNCIL

Photo: Kayleigh Scott Photography



live Argyll

Facebook Twitter Instagram




Wedding Fair at The Corran Halls

Sunday 21st October, 12pm-3pm

Complimentary glass of prosecco and welcome bag on arrival

FREE ENTRY

For further information or to enquire about a stall please contact Sharon McCuish:
T: 01631 567333 E: Corranhalls@liveargyll.co.uk W: liveargyll.co.uk/halls/corran-halls/weddings
The Corran Halls, 54 The Esplanade, Oban PA34 5AB

Scottish Incorporated Charitable Organisation No. SC007540



Lunga House

A beautiful coastal venue for Wildly Romantic Weddings, Civil Ceremonies, Intimate Dinner Parties & Corporate Events!

Nothing else matters except ensuring that your day is everything that you would like it to be, right down to the smallest detail. A charming and relaxed remote setting beside the sea where anything is possible and the exclusive use of Lunga allows it to be the party you've always dreamt of!

lungahouse.co.uk | events@lungahouse.co.uk | 01852 500237
Visit us on Facebook or Twitter • Lunga House, Argyll, Scotland

Wedding Stationery

- Invitations
- Order of Service
- Menus
- Place Cards
- Thank You Cards

Choose from our catalogue, full of stunning wedding stationery samples.

Have your own design?
We can create exactly what you have in mind.



krisp print

Main Street/Longrow South, Campbeltown PA28 6AE
Tel: 01586 554975
www.krispprint.co.uk
email: staff@krispprint.co.uk

Best ^{of} the West FESTIVAL

Inveraray Castle 7-9 September 2018

Friday

6.30pm to 10.30pm

TIDE LINES

SEVEN NATIONS

BEINN LEE

THE COALTOWN DAISIES

ACOUSTIC BUTTERFLY

Saturday

11.30am to 9pm

DONNIE MUNRO BAND

HERON VALLEY

DR HIP AND THE BLUES OPERATION

THE BHANGRA BEATLES

THE CAMANS

RHUVAAL

PROJECT SMOK

GNOSS

KATIE & ABI

BAR NONE COMMUNITY CHOIR

Sunday

11.30am to 7.45pm

SKIPINNISH

BWANI JUNCTION

THE HUR

THE 101

RI CHÈILE

THE BIG SHOOGLE

THE COALTOWN DAISIES

HANNAH RARITY BAND

SNUFF BOX

HOLLY TIEGAN

See
West Coast Tours
for **BOWFest**
bus & ticket
packages*

Food from Argyll

**LOCH FYNE OYSTERS/REAL MACKAY STOVIES/HOMEGROUND COFFEE/INVERARAY CASTLE TEA ROOM/
AYE LOVE REAL FOOD/NOMAD WOOD FIRED PIZZA/WINSTON CHURCHILL VENISON/WEE ISLE DAIRY/
SHELLFIELD FARM/THE ISLE OF SKYE BAKING COMPANY/COAST/DUNTARRIN FOODS/J.R.FINE FOODS**

Loch Fyne Whisky Tent

**OVER 100 WHISKIES BEHIND THE BAR INCLUDING: ARRAN/AUCHENTOSHAN/BOWMORE/
BRUICHLADDICH/BUNNAHABHAIN/CAOL ILA/GLEN SCOTIA/JURA/KILCHOMAN/LAGAVULIN/LAPHROAIG/
THE LOCH FYNE/LOCH LOMOND/OBAN/SPRINGBANK/TALISKER/PLUS MORE/DRAMS FROM £2.50**

Crafts

**ALISON MCINTOSH PRENTICE/CARDROSS CRAB ART/SLATE ISLAND SEAWEED/JANICE BRACEY/DAISY
ROCKS DESIGN/KELTIC FAIRIE/SCOTTISH LANDSCAPE PHOTOGRAPHY BY JOHN ELLIS/SUSAN BERRY
STUDIO & GALLERY/MANSEFIELD STUDIOS/BARRHEAD LEATHER/ANCIENT WINE & BEV CO./DIVINE HAG/
CAMPBELL BIKE WORKSHOP/THISTLE FAIRY DESIGNS/URBAN PIRATE/TRULY TROSSACHS/BLUEBELL
JEWELS/HIGHLAND HOMEWARES/LOVE DOVE COTTAGE/BAMBOO MAKE-UP BRUSHES/KINTYRE
PRESERVES/STIRLING GIN/BAREFOOT ON THE CROFT/KMR CANDLES/ART BY THE LOCH/SHOP ALL SORTZ**

Children's Entertainment

**FUNKY CHICKEN/CIRCUS TRICKS/FACE PAINTING/MAGICIAN/BUNGEE TRAMPOLINE/
CLIMBING WALL/TEA CUPS/FLY FISHING/FREE & INCLUDED IN TICKET**

**FESTIVAL KITCHEN
FEATURING TOP LOCAL CHEFS**

www.bowfest.co.uk

*Must be purchased as package.
Includes seat on bus and festival
ticket. Seat-only not available.

LEISURE & ENTERTAINMENT

YOUR GUIDE TO WHAT'S ON IN MID ARGYLL



Water skiers make a splash in Dunoon

European Water Ski Racing Championship races kicked off on Sunday August 26. Competitors from all over arrived in Dunoon for a week of racing as they slicked over the Holy Loch. Results are posted on the Waterski Racing Europe Facebook page @water-skiracingeurope

Photographs: Ronnie Cairns.



Sunday Carvery is back!

Sunday 16th September



THE OLIVE GARDEN
MEDITERRANEAN & SEAFOOD

In conjunction with
BID4OBAN and **Motorfest**
FIRST 30 RESERVATIONS of 4 or more on
Sunday 16th Carvery receive a
£10 LOVE OBAN gift voucher.
(not available with any other promotion/voucher).

www.theogoban.co.uk
2 RAILWAY PIER, OBAN, ARGYLL, PA34 4LW
TEL 01631 570347

Embroider
it your
way with



KATYA EMBROIDERY

24 YEARS EXPERIENCE

PATCHES - CORPORATE WEAR
PROMOTIONAL GIFTS

Your **COMPANY**
branding produced
LOCALLY

FREE PHONE OBAN
0800 999 6979

email:
mail@katyaembroidery.co.uk



MGM
MUTHU HOTELS



COME ON OVER FOR
AFTERNOON TEA WITH A VIEW

Beautiful
selection of finger
sandwiches, cakes,
scones and your
choice of tea,
coffee, Pimms
or Prosecco

FROM JUST
£8.50pp

MUTHU
ALEXANDRA
HOTEL

★★★
CORRAN ESPLANADE, OBAN
TEL: 01631 562381



The dedicated bookworms. 08_a36ReadingChallenge09

Lochgilphead Library breeds bookworms

Lochgilphead youngsters have been rewarded for their efforts in this summer's library reading challenge.

As part of the Tesco Bank Summer Reading Challenge, the children were to visit their local library and read three books over the

summer holidays. On Monday September 3, the readers were awarded with a medal and certificate for their efforts from Lochgilphead Library.

To celebrate the 80th birthday of the Beano, the theme for 2018 was Mischief Makers.



Above: Librarian Sylvia Bolwell read Roald Dahl before handing out the prizes. 08_a36ReadingChallenge03



Left: Emily Craig receives her award. 08_a36ReadingChallenge04

Special Occasions

Whenever you are planning a special occasion in Oban and good food is at the top of your agenda, The Regent Hotel has to be one of the first hotels on your list.

Rest assured that once you choose us, everything else will fall into place.

Sumptuous cuisine, the perfect taste of Scotland in the heart of West Argyll



The Regent Hotel and Cellar Bar
Esplanade, Oban,
PA34 5PZ
Tel: 01631 562341



ENJOY LIFE

ENJOY KEBABISH

End a busy day with a buffet evening
...and a drink with your meal

Award winning quality | Authentic flavours | Fully licensed

Kebabish

Of Oban BUFFET RESTAURANT . A LA CARTE . TAKEAWAY

95-99 George Street Oban PA34 5NR
e: info@kebabishcurryhouse.com
wwwkebabishcurryhouse.com

01631566885, 01631563900
Order Online: wwwkebabishofoban.co.uk
Like us on facebook

Feorlin's bake sale raises £750 for cancer support



Visitors enjoy the sweet treats. 08_a36macmillancakesale07

Nine-year-old Feorlin Renton's coffee morning was a great success, raising more than £750 for Macmillan Cancer Support.

The Inveraray Primary School pupil ran and hosted a coffee morning in Nicoll Hall in memory of her grandmother.

Feorlin said: 'Three years ago my Nannie Margaret passed away. She used to bake for Yorkhill Children's Hospital and other charities, so I want to do one for Macmillan Cancer Support.'

The coffee morning included freshly made cakes, baked by Feorlin, a bottle stall, raffle and, of course, tea and coffee.

The coffee morning itself raised £490, alongside Feorlin's Just Giving page which at present sits at £265 and was set up in support of the coffee morning for those who were unable to attend but

wished to contribute, bringing the total to £755 raised for the vital work of Macmillan Cancer Support.

Feorlin wishes to thank everyone who contributed and attended. There's still time to donate at justgiving.com/fundraising/Feorlin-Renton1



Daisy Mather helping out at the bake sale.

08_a36macmillancakesale03



Revellers enjoy the cakes and chat. 08_a36macmillancakesale04



Feorlin raised more than £750 in the name of her nannie.



Saturday 22nd September
1pm - 6pm
Hospital Field at Limecraigs,
Campbeltown.

Come and join our fun filled day!

Plenty of stalls and activities for all of the family!

Stalls from Kintyre Crafts, CGS4Gambia and many many more!

Only £5 entry (£2 children) and includes competition entry.

Cash prizes



argyllshire
advertiser
Incorporating Campbeltown Courier

Now delivering news 7 DAYS A WEEK online
www.argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk

INCLUDES FULL website access and a DIGITAL EDITION of the newspaper

The Courier Centre

Main and Longrow South, Campbeltown,
Argyll, PA28 6AE Tel: 01586 554646

Running late
with a loved one's card?

Desperate
to get it in today's post?

Pop in
and make use of our
shiny new one-stop
customer card writing desk!

We also sell stamps 😊

YOU CAN NOW FIND US ON FACEBOOK
www.facebook.com/couriercentre





The gang who all turned up to raise funds for Macmillan – some barely walking.

Macmillan Cancer Support fundraiser



Twenty-one Ardrishaig folk banded together to raise funds for Macmillan Cancer Support.

In order to raise money and awareness of cancer support, a group of more than 20 people of all ages walked from The Steamer Terminal in Ardrishaig, nine miles along the Crinan Canal.

Kathleen Young said: 'The walk proved another successful fundraiser for Macmillan – 21 walkers of all age groups, plus Robbie the dog, managed to complete the nine-mile walk.'

'The weather this year was kind and walkers were rewarded at Crinan with tea, coffee and home baking courtesy of Cathy Robertson. Thanks are extended to Cathy and the volunteers at Crinan and to everyone for walking on the day.'

Robbie gleefully completed the nine-mile walk.

MOJO - Citizen 9

MOJO 2018 is fast approaching – six weeks and counting.

But if all you music makers, shakers and fans cannot wait until the big night, check out the MOJO Facebook page for demos, more information on each of the acts and their individual social media accounts.

Citizen 9 come from the area around Oban and started up in 2011.

Made up of Duncan Monteith-Hodge on drums, Colin Abernathy on bass, Tom Adams on lead guitar and vocals and Andy Mogg on vocals and guitar, the band formed through work at the Dunstaffnage Marine Laboratory.

Influenced by the likes of Slash, Tool and King Buffalo, they are a loud and proud rock band but unlike most of their mainstream rock kin, they have an edge of melodic funky purpose, often relating to a genre called 'stoner rock'.

The dutiful drums of Duncan with Colin's catchy bass give slickness throughout and with Tom's uplifting guitar work, leaves Andy a

vibrant platform to deliver his cool, sometimes edgy vocals and rhythm guitar to a great impetus.

What is ultimately delivered to us, is an irresistible punch of groovy rock that empowers you with its driving energy and fervent lyrics that leave you hungry for more.

Citizen 9 have played quite a few venues in Argyll and recently in Glasgow to rave reviews. They were one of the acts to grace the stage at MOJO last year. Using songs

from their EP 'The Flood', they simply blew the crowd away.

This year they are returning with new material.

Citizen 9 are currently putting their finishing touches to their long awaited debut album, so keep a look out for it.

MOJO kicks off on Saturday October 20 with tickets now available from Argyll Book Centre, Oban Music and Ardfern stores for £8 or £10 at the door.



Oban rock band Citizen9 who performed at last year's MOJO event.

Maintenance Free Roofline



- 50 year guarantee
- Facia & soffit replacement
- Registered Freefoam installer
- Woodgrain colours available



- ROOFLINE • SEAMLESS FLAT ROOFS
- TILED CONSERVATORY ROOFS • DRIVEWAYS
- WINDOWS & DOORS • GARAGE DOORS • CONSERVATORIES

CONTACT William Clarke
t. 01866 833049
m. 07789 488805
info@cruachanhome.co.uk
www.cruachanhome.co.uk



COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

To advertise in the community noticeboard call 01586 554646 or 01546 602345

Mid-Argyll RSCDS

Opening dance
Frank Thomson and his band
SATURDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER 7.30PM
ARDRISHAIG PUBLIC HALL
Entry £5 – includes supper
Beginners and Spectators welcome
Classes start Monday 10th September in Ardrishaig Public Hall
Beginners 6.30-7.30 General Class 7.30-9.30

MASONIC LIVE

RICHARD ROBERTS
COMEDY HYPNOTIST
See the show, or be the show!
Saturday 22nd September
Doors open 7.00pm
St John's 141 Recreation Club
£10 entry at door
Raffle tickets available on night.

Tayinloan Village Hall QUIZ NIGHT

Thursday 13th September
7.30pm Light supper
Please note that the contact for all hall bookings is now Emma Byers, phone 01583 441014, e-mail, tayinloanvillagehall@hotmail.com, or Facebook.



Sale of the Century

Friday 21st & Saturday 22nd September
Victoria Hall, Campbeltown
Doors Open 2pm Friday • 9.00am Saturday
Friday 21st September
Auction viewing & sale of bric-a-brac 2 – 5.00pm
Saturday 22nd September
Bric-a-brac 9.30am • Auction starts 10am
Rotary Club of Campbeltown

POP UP SHOP

Baptist Church Lochgilphead
Saturday
8th September 9am to 4pm
New and nearly new clothing, accessories and homeware, etc Brands include Next, Monsoon, Coast, Boden, Debenhams, etc Cash and Card Payments Taken
MILLER'S ONLINE MARKET

Mid-Argyll Cancer Support Group

Red Cross Hall
Lochgilphead
Monday 10th Sept 2018
7.00pm
Walter Ritchie talk on photography
All welcome



like us on facebook
www.facebook.com/argyllshireadvertiser

Ardrishaig Horticultural Society show results

The Coronation Cup for the Most Points in the Open Section, Class 1-62: Hugh McLeod.

The Coronation Cup for Roses, Class 63: Sandra Galbraith.

The Thompson Cup for the Most Points in Dahlias, Class 69-79: John Docherty.

The Thompson Cup for the Best Fuchsia, No 95-96, Amateur: Neil John MacLean.

The Coronation Cup for the Most Points in the Vegetable section, Class 104-130: Archie MacFarlane.

The Coronation Cup for the Most Points in Baking and Preserves, Class 131-162: Elizabeth Scott.

The Anderson Cup for the Best Sultana Cake, Class 142: Elizabeth Scott.

The Crawford Cup for the Best Exhibit in the show: Hugh McLeod.

The President's Cup for Most Points in Baking and Preserves, Class 131-162: Elizabeth Scott.

The Alice Wood Memorial Cup for the Best Exhibit in Floral Art: Jenny Campbell.

The Catherine Smith Memorial Trophy: Jenny Campbell.

Cup for the Most Points in Floral Art, Class 1-6: Fiona Toner.

The Colin Wilson Memorial Quail for Carnations, Class 9: Shaun Doy.

The Ormsary Cup for the Most Points in Baking, Class 131-152: Elizabeth Scott.

Cup for the Most Points in Preserves, Class 153-162: Alexis McLellan.

The Crawford Cup for School Art: Nathan Jackson for Achahoish School.

The Sheila MacIntosh Memorial Trophy: Jenny Campbell.

The MacFarlane Memorial Trophy for Sweet Peas, Class 66: Archie MacFarlane.

The Jeanie MacKenzie Memorial Trophy, Class 173-186: Kay Ballantine.

The Archie J MacDonald Memorial Trophy for Pansies, Class 1: Sandra Galbraith.

The Donald Moir Memorial Trophy: Fiona Toner.

The M Reid Memorial Trophy for Gladioli, Class 4-5: Hugh McLeod.

Cup for the Best Fuchsia in the Open section, class 25-26: Neil John MacLean.

The Millennium Cup for the Most Points in the show: Hugh McLeod.



The hall was filled with colour and scents.

08_a34ArdrishaigFlowerShow12

The Tommy Tyson Memorial Cup for the Best Begonia in the show: Hugh McLeod.

The A K MacInnes Memorial Cup for the Best Shallots in the show: A Munro.

The Mervyn Kessell Cup for the Most Points in the Photograph section: Christine McIntyre.

Ardrishaig Community Council Cup for Best Ardrishaig Garden: Allan and Isabel MacIndeor.

ACHA Diamond Celebration Cup for Best Exhibit in Knitting and Handicrafts, Class 173-186: Marion Witts.

Ballimore Youth Trophy: Shaun Doy.

Red Rosette for Best Exhibit in Horticultural Section, Class 1-130: Hugh McLeod.

Red Ribbon for Second Best Exhibit in Horticultural Section, Class 1-130: Hugh McLeod.

Rosette for Best Exhibit in Non-Horticultural Section: Jenny Campbell.

Rosette for Floral Art Section: 1 Corrina Charlwood, 2 and 3 Fiona Toner.

Rosette for Most Points in Children's Section: Gavin Small.

Rosette for Runner Up in Children's Section: Willow Ryan.

Rosette for Most Points in Knitting Section, Class 173-178: Kay Ballantine and Betty Rhodick.

Top Tray Class: 1 Neil John MacLean, 2 Shaun Doy, 3 Archie MacFarlane.

Top Vase: 1 Neil John MacLean, 2 Sandra Galbraith, 3 Archie MacFarlane.

Special Prizes: Cut Flowers: Class 21, Begonia: Hugh McLeod.

Class 67, Gladioli: Hugh McLeod.

Class 68, Single Gladioli: Sandra Galbraith.

Class 82, Asters: Fiona MacLachlan.

Class 83, Antirrhinums: Shaun Doy.

Class 85, Scotch Marigold: Alister Nimmo.

Class 97, Pansies, one board: Sandra Galbraith.

Baking: Mrs P MacLean Class 144, Swiss Roll: Elizabeth Scott.

Class 146, Rhubarb Tart: Elizabeth Scott.

Vegetable Section: Amateur Class 110, Carrot, three long: Neil John MacLean.

Class 128, Collection of Vegetables: Archie MacFarlane.

Vegetable Section: Open Class 44, Beetroot: Archie MacFarlane.

Handicrafts: Class 179, Patchwork: Kay Ballantine.

Miscellaneous: Best Vase of Herbaceous Plants in the Show: A Munro.

Best Onion in the Show: Hugh McLeod.

Best Potatoes in the Show: Neil John MacLean.

Best Tomatoes in the Show: A. Nimmo.

Best Leeks in the Show: Archie MacFarlane.

COME AND VISIT US AT THE DALMALLY SHOW THIS SATURDAY

SPECIAL OFFER

OASIS
WAS £7,295
NOW £6,495

- 35 jets
- Waterfall pillow
- Fully insulated
- 10 LED lights
- lots of additional features

Finance available

Unit 2, Lochavullin Ind Est, Oban, PA34 4PL
Call us on **01631 566 655**
www.tlcspas.co.uk
Email - relax@tlcspas.co.uk

TLC Spas

Krisp Cards

2019 Calendars NOW IN STOCK

ScottishField
Isle of A
The Oban Times
SCOTTISH CLASS
2019
west highland calendar

**Cards
Calendars
Gifts**

Shop online at www.krispcards.co.uk

It's as easy as **A B C D**

Argyll Bute Cosmetic Dentures

Have your new hand crafted cosmetic dentures made using our no impression technique.

30 min denture repair service
Same day copy dentures (by arrangement)
Postal service available
World wide testimonials
Porcelain teeth

We are not dentists and we do not carry out any dental procedures and are independent of the General Dental Council.

CALL FOR AN APPOINTMENT **1b Combie Street, Oban** **01631 566 631**

Spot the yellow bus of the Travelling Gallery

The Travelling Gallery arrived in Lochgilhead last week, stopping at Lochgilhead Joint Campus to share art with the students.

Glasgow-based artist Gordon Douglas pulled up in the colourful bus on Wednesday August 29 to bring his new solo exhibition Black Box Take Stock to Lochgilhead to mark the Travelling Gallery's 40th birthday.

The Travelling Gallery bus was established in 1978 and continues to bring contemporary art to communities throughout Scotland. Its dual focus is to create highly engaging exhibitions and to provide a unique platform for arts education.

Curator Claire Craig said: 'It has been hugely enjoyable, inspiring, and fitting to work with Gordon Douglas in Travelling Gallery's 40th year. The exhibition continues



The instantly recognisable bus. 08_a35TravellingGallery02

Travelling Gallery's excellent history of collaborating and commissioning new work

by young Scottish artists, and Gordon has grabbed the opportunity with both hands

and worked incredibly hard to produce this vibrant and playful work.'

Seal of Sir John Campbell of Cawdor discovered on Islay

A piece of Scotland's clan history, that has remained hidden for more than 400 years, has been discovered on Islay.

An excavation at Dunyvaig Castle on Islay has uncovered the seal of Sir John Campbell of Cawdor.

The artefact dates back to the 1600s when the Campbell and MacDonald clans were locked in a bitter feud over Scotland's islands.

Zoë Wiacek, from the University of Reading, discovered the seal on a hidden clay floor at the historic site.

She said: 'I removed a piece of rubble and it was just sitting there on the ground. I immediately knew it was an important find, but had no idea what it was.'

'I am so proud to have found something so important for the project and for Islay.'

Kilmartin Museum archaeologist Roddy Regan said: 'Seals are extremely rare finds. This discovery conjures up an image of a Campbell garrison fleeing from the castle when under attack, dropping and losing one of their most precious items, or maybe the seal had once been hidden within a wall niche and long forgotten.'

Once used to sign and seal charters and legal documents, the seal is a circular disc of lead which carries the inscription IOANNIS CAMPBELL DE CALDER.

It carries the Cawdor coat of arms with a galley ship and a stag and is dated 1593.

HAVE YOUR SAY
editor@argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk

Time to refuel?



- Breakfast Rolls
- Toasties
- Daily Lunch Specials
- Homemade Soup
- Lavazza Coffee

Serving hot food
Monday - Friday
6am - 2pm
Saturday: 7am - 2pm
Sunday: 8am - 2pm

24/7 launderette SELF SERVICE WASH & DRY

Esso HALFWAY FILLING STATION

Dunbeg, Oban PA37 1PX Tel: 01631 562784 Open 24 hours



GRS TRADE CENTRE LTD
Supplier To Trade & DIY

Windows & Doors ■ Garage Doors ■ UPVC Fascia, Soffit & Gutters ■ Conservatories ■ Double Rebated Composite Doors
Replacement Sealed Units ■ Silicone ■ Expanding Foam
Solvent Cleaner ■ Fixings ■ Poly Top Nails ■ UPVC Trims

Covering Argyll, Lochaber & The Islands

Tel: 01631 571155

Email : sales@grstradecentre.co.uk

Unit 13, Old Tweedmill, Soroba Road OBAN PA34 4HQ

First & Only
in Oban

Eat as much as you like

Adult £12.99 U12 £9.99 Kids 3-5 £3.99
OAP £9.99 (Mon-Thu Only)

(choice of 18 salad & sauces,
12 starters, 4 Pizzas, 18 Mixed
Dishes (pakistani/chinese)
Choice of Chicken, Lamb &
Veg, 3 Rice Options, 3 Naans,
20 Desserts, Chocolate
Fountain & Green Tea)



Kebabish Buffet
DAYS 4PM - 10PM

Of Oban

FULLY AIR CONDITIONED • FREE WIFI • A LA CARTE MENU

95-99 George Street Oban PA34 5NR 01631566885, 01631563900
e: info@kebabishcurryhouse.com Order Online: www.kebabishofoban.co.uk
www.kebabishcurryhouse.com Like us on facebook

Your guide to independent schools

Choosing wisely and planning for their future

Is an independent school the best move for your child?

There are as many reasons for choosing to send your child to an independent school as there are children.

Each child is unique. Do you think your child is being stretched enough to realise their full potential or perhaps there are areas where they need extra help.

No matter how good their state school is there will always be an element of 'one-size-fits-all' in some aspects of school life. If, for some

reason, your son or daughter is the one who is finding it hard to make that fit you cannot help but wonder if they would be better off in the independent sector.

Independent education is affordable. Good financial advice, prudence, plus parents and grandparents working together over savings and inheritance all make independent education achievable. One of the biggest mistakes people

make about private education is that they cannot afford it and never even consider the idea.

At least £349 million has been given annually in fee assistance in the independent education sector in Scotland; with just under 27 per cent of all pupils receiving some form of assistance.

State school budgets are tighter now than they have ever been and this can make the extra-curricular activities



and enhanced pastoral care of the independent sector look like money well spent in providing for you child's future.

Class sizes can be a key point for children from remote or rural areas like the West Highlands and islands who have attended

state primary schools with smaller classes, who may find themselves overwhelmed by the size of secondary schools.

Is your child thriving in their present school?

The 73 independent schools in Scotland, of which 19 are boarding schools, educate 4.1 per cent of pupils nationwide;

52 are main stream, 21 offer additional support.

Independent education is one of the most important decisions you will make for your family and to help inform that decision you can visit the website of the Scottish Council of Independent Schools: www.scis.org.uk.

Merchiston Profile

Number of pupils 440

Age range 7-18

Boarding and day pupils, boys

Qualifications GCSE, IGCSE, A Level

Merchiston is the only boys' independent boarding school in Scotland, offers the English curriculum, and has a global, outward-looking dimension.

The school has an impressive record of helping boys excel beyond their predictions. The latest academic results at every level offer clear evidence of our value-added and commitment to leading students towards personal excellence. Furthermore, boys have gained places at some of the leading British, Ivy League and other outstanding international universities, including Oxford and Cambridge.

Merchiston prides itself on fostering the pursuit of excellence in a sport-for-all environment. We believe in teaching an understanding of the role of sport and physical activity in achieving an active and healthy lifestyle.

Merchiston's specialist academies are at the top of their game: No1 Junior Golf School in the UK (fifth year running) and No 2 World Tennis School 2017.*

Whether a pupil joins as a boarder, or a day boy, learning and fun opportunities are

not limited to school hours but continue throughout the day, evening and weekend – on the pitches, in our classrooms, and in our Houses.

"A balanced curriculum, excellent pastoral care and a high A level pass rate make Merchiston one of the UK's leading independent schools" is how ukboardingschools.com rated the school.

Merchiston is a remarkable school where boys make life-long friends, whilst gaining a world-class education.

*Independent Schools Golf Association / International School Sport Federation



INFORMATION MORNING
SATURDAY 29 SEPTEMBER

MERCHISTON STORY

EVERY BOY IS AN INDIVIDUAL. EVERY BOY HAS
A STORY. LET US SHAPE HIS FUTURE STORY.

MERCHISTON
EDINBURGH | Boys first

A BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL
FOR BOYS AGED 7-18

MERCHISTON.CO.UK

admissions@merchiston.co.uk 0131 312 2201

Recognised by the Inland Revenue as a Charity, number SC016580

Strathallan School



Our mission is to provide an outstanding education that gives opportunities for all pupils to excel and perform to the very best of their abilities.

We encourage each pupil to explore their talents and realise their potential academically, in the arts, in sport and in a host of other activities. Each individual, no matter their passion or interest, is supported and inspired to shine during their

time at school.

Consequently, our pupils achieve brilliant things. They excel academically, compete in sports at national and international levels, succeed in scholastic championships, perform on national stages and play as part of nationwide orchestras and ensembles.

We like to think there is something for everyone and any parent choosing Strathallan

will quickly realise that their child will be known here - for who they are, for their individual abilities and for their potential.

Academic excellence

Academically, we strive for excellence and our focus is to prepare pupils for higher education and beyond. Our flexible curriculum and innovative teaching means we can support every pupil, whatever their ambitions and style of learning.

Our pupils go on to Oxbridge and Russell Group universities, international study, work placements, professional sporting careers or even start their own business.

An all round education

We believe that learning outside the classroom bolsters success inside the classroom - that's why we offer over 80 activities including everything from fencing to debating and clay target shooting to Model United Nations.

This holistic approach to education leads to a rich diversity of pupil experience and some exceptional achievements academically, in sports, the arts and many other areas. It also supports the development of well-rounded young people equipped with the appropriate

skills to succeed in life.

Welcoming community

Strathallan is a close, safe and caring community. A large proportion of staff live on site with their families, creating a nurturing environment that feels like a home away from home for our boarding pupils.

We welcome day pupils in exactly the same way as boarding pupils and they share the full Strathallan experience together. All pupils are thoroughly involved in the life of their House and participate in School activities during the day, in the evenings and at weekends too.

Global outlook

Although we enjoy the advantages of a self-contained, rural location, we're an international community and welcome young people from around the globe. This diversity of experience gives our pupils the maturity and cultural intelligence to go out into the world and succeed, as well as enjoying a worldwide network of friends.

Young people leave Strathallan prepared for the future. They have the skills and knowledge necessary to succeed in their chosen career, and the confidence to make their mark on the world.

The possibilities are endless



STRATHALLAN
SCHOOL

Opportunities for *all* to excel

“ Strathallan School gives me a platform to express myself, I feel like I can be who I really want to be ”

Our pupils' natural talents are nurtured at Strathallan School giving each and every individual the opportunity to excel in their chosen area. With over £20 million recently invested in our facilities, Strathallan offers an all-round and progressive education which helps to bring out the very best in every pupil, no matter where their talents lie. **To find out more, come along to one of our Open Mornings, Senior School, Saturday 22nd September • Junior School, Saturday 3rd November 2018.**

For further information, please contact us on:

Telephone: +44(0)1738 812 546

Email: admissions@strathallan.co.uk

www.strathallan.co.uk

Boarding for girls and boys from age 10 in Edinburgh, Scotland



Like any family, values lie at the heart of who we are. We help the boys and girls who live in our Boarding Houses to live up to these values in all that they do both as children and throughout their adult lives.

Our boarding houses are comfortable, fresh and spacious. The separate but adjacent houses, Dean Park House for boys and Erskine House for girls, each accom-

modate up to 30 boarders. Their size means that boarding is like being part of an extended family, and boarders often forge deep and lasting friendships.

The schools offer more than 300 clubs and societies as well as unrivalled opportunities in sport, music and drama, outdoor education, trips and community involvement, all with the intention of helping your child discover their

talents, explore something new, have fun and make new friends.

Rated 'Excellent' in all categories assessed in our most recent Care Inspectorate Report, each child receives a high level of care and individual attention in the Houses.

For more information on boarding at ESMS, you can drop in to our upcoming Open Day, or visit www.esms.org.uk/boarding



A unique family of independent schools for boys and girls

The Mary Erskine School
Stewart's Melville College
The Junior School

MAKE YOUR FAMILY PART OF OURS

Boarding and day school for boys and girls in Edinburgh.
Boarding available from age 10.

Our boarders enjoy comfortable and spacious boarding facilities, as well as receiving an academic education of the highest standard and unrivalled opportunities in sport, music, drama, art and dance.

☎ 0131 311 1111
✉ admissions@esms.org.uk
🏠 www.esms.org.uk

OPEN DAY

SATURDAY,
22 SEPTEMBER 2018,
10am – 1pm



Merchant: Company Education Board Schools. Registered Charity No. SC009747

Advertorial

A great place to live and learn



Every parent knows that childhood is a precious time and most agree that it's over far too fast. At Lomond School, we make every moment count.

Our dedicated staff deliver a traditional and rigorous academic programme, but that's just the start of the story. We know that children who are happy will work hard and achieve all that they can. Our rich and varied curriculum offers pupils special experiences which enthuse, build character and foster a love of learning. Small classes ensure that pupils are challenged and supported by staff who know them well, ensuring

that they not only get off to the best start but also that they develop memories and relationships that will stay with them for life.

Our boarding house, Burnbrae, offers a home from home for pupils from Scotland, the UK and further afield. Boarders live in modern, purpose-built facilities where they are looked after by a dedicated and professional pastoral team. As the West of Scotland's only boarding school, Lomond is ideally located to service Oban and the West Highlands, with full-boarding or weekly and flexi options to consider.

At Lomond, our pupils

enjoy a fantastic lifestyle where a culture of hard work exists and is complemented by a sense of fun and adventure. Whether pupils join in senior school or complete their whole education at Lomond, our young people leave with a strong sense of achievement and an appetite for life-long learning.

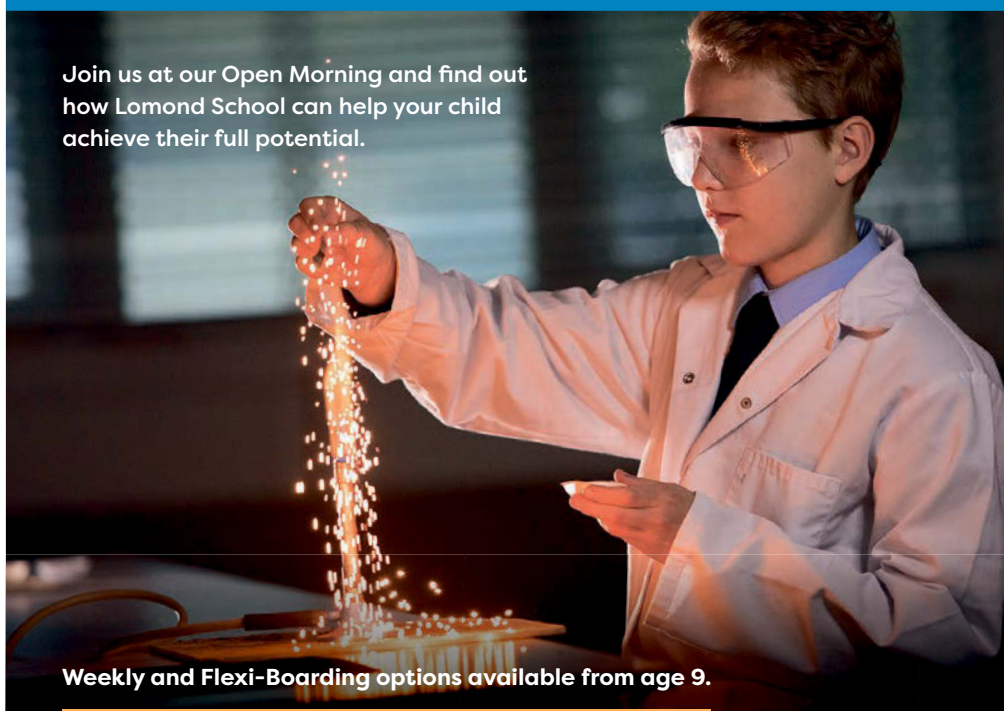
A great education should never be a race to the finish line; it is the journey which lays the foundation for your child's life ahead. Visit us at our Open Morning to discover life at Lomond. Confirm your attendance by contacting our Registrar: admissions@lomondschool.com

Open Morning



Saturday 29 September, 10am until 1pm

Join us at our Open Morning and find out how Lomond School can help your child achieve their full potential.



Weekly and Flexi-Boarding options available from age 9.

To confirm your attendance, please contact us:

T: +44 (0)1436 672476

E: admissions@lomondschool.com

A great place to live and learn

10 Stafford Street, Helensburgh G84 9JX | lomondschool.com



FARMING

TO PLACE YOUR ADVERT IN THE ARGYLLSHIRE ADVERTISER

TELEPHONE: 01631 568000
Lines open: Mon to Fri 9am- 5pmE-MAIL: adverts@obantimes.co.uk
Please remember to give your name,
address, postcode and phone number.FAX: 01631
568001Sponsored by NFU Mutual
Campbeltown. Call Chris Husthwaite
on 01586 552 428 for your
insurance needs

Agent of The National Farmers Union Mutual Insurance Society Limited.

Dalmally Show receives the ladies' full approval

Women had the final say at this year's Dalmally Agricultural Show with an all-female line-up of judges.

The move, which included inviting a Highland Cattle judge from Finland, was in celebration of the 100th anniversary of women getting the right to vote.

Marjorie Walker of Carloonan Farm, Inveraray, was 2018 show president taking the reins of what is the last of Argyll's agricultural shows of the calendar year.

Despite torrential downpours earlier in the day, hardy competitors and visitors

turned out on Saturday to show their support and were eventually rewarded when the sun came out.

A ewe reared by Sandy and Tommy Paterson of Auchloy near Crieff kept her title of Blackface champion after winning for three years' running as a gimmer last year and as a lamb the year before that.

Meanwhile, in the equally hotly contested cattle ring, the Duchess of Grace, a yearling homebred by Grace Noble of Banchory, was crowned the champion Highlander.

The Duchess then vied

against The Captain, the champion commercial breed, for the overall cattle champion.

In the end the judges agreed the Captain, a Limousin cross calf bred by father and son Ewen and Ewen MacGillivray of Home Farm, Barcaldine, deserved the sash. The five-month-old animal, by Lodge Hamlet out of a homebred Belgian Blue cross cow, won the supreme title at the Mid Argyll Show and then the Appin Show.

A 'delighted' Ewen senior said: 'You never know if you are going to win. He is a decent calf. He has been something special since the day he was born.'

Compere Angus Mackay said, despite the cattle numbers being down this year, the high standard was maintained.

One of the most popular contests, the dog show, was won by one of the smallest entries - a black terrier called Cilla, owned by Iain McKay of Appin.

It was also a good day for smiley seven-year-old Laura Sharp from Dalmally, who impressed judges with her cardboard creation of a traditional castle which won her the children's section shield.

Organisers of the show said:



Overall cross sheep champion from Elliot Bowman, Port Ellen in Islay, with his Texel ewe pictured with his niece Olivia. Picture by Kevin McGlynn.

SHETLAND SHEEP FOR SALE

Registered ewes, registered ewe lambs and wether lambs from small flock
Variety of colours and markings. Bucket trained
Wormed and on Heptavac - P programme
Ideal starter flock or for smallholders
PRICES FROM £25 - £60
Tel: 01586 830478

ADVERTISER FARMING



Over-all cattle champion The Captain.



Grace Noble with champion Highlander, Duchess of Grace.

'Thank you to everyone who came to Dalmally Show today, and to our lovely judges, competitors and stall-holders. See you next year.'

The huge field was packed with plenty to see and do from animals being judged to cheering on terrier races, watching shinty games, listening to bagpipes, marvelling at handicrafts and home-made cakes in the home industries tent. Birds of prey, vintage cars from Oban and District Classic Vehicle Club and a pair of Clydesdale horses attracted lots of admirers. Sand art, fabulous face-painting and a toddlers' play space were just as popular.

It was the last gig of the summer for Helensburgh Clan Colquhoun Pipe which posted on Facebook, 'A great day out and a nice crowd' and Galcantray Clydesdales which brought along horses Storm and lightning posted 'Storm and Lightning pleased the crowds as always. Was lovely to meet so many people and to see the smiles on everyone's faces when



Tommy and Sandy Paterson with the Blackface champion.

they got to get up close to our gorgeous boys.'

In the shinty, Glenorchy picked up the Jackey Matheson trophy against Taynuilt. It was a hard-

fought game which finished 0-0. Glenorchy won 2-1 on penalties with Andrew Smith making four saves and Scott MacIntyre scoring the winning penalty.

West Coast MOTORING

✓ GARAGES ✓ DEALERSHIPS ✓ PRIVATE SALES ✓ NEWS

TO PLACE YOUR ADVERT IN Campbeltown Courier & Argyllshire Advertiser

TELEPHONE: 01586 554646 01546 602345
Lines open: Mon to Fri 9am- 5pm

POST & IN PERSON: Main & Longrow South,
Main St, Campbeltown PA28 6AE
Office hours: Mon - Fri 9 - 5pm

E-MAIL:
editor@campbeltowncourier.co.uk
editor@argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk

2015 ISUZU SINGLE CAB 4X4 2.4



Twin Turbo D
Max. 44,500
miles. 18 months
warranty left. Full
service and MOT.
Good Condition.
£9,000+VAT

Tel 07717 471736 or 01546 870655

8FT BOAT TENDER



With buoyancy
fenders. Boat is
brand new does
not include
trailer.

£375

Tel 01631 720414

2016 LUNAR VENUS 460/2.

2 berth caravan, End washroom, toilet and shower
cubicle. Cooker, fridge, microwave, electric heating or
gas or a combination of either. All accessories included.
Powrtouch motor mover. unladen weight 1020 kg, Max
loaded weight 1175 Kg. Lunar warranty till 1st March
2022. Full service record, next service March 2019.

VGC. £9,250.

Tel 01838300373 mob 07505232102

WANTED 4X4s FOR CASH

All 4x4 vehicles, all makes and
models wanted. Guaranteed best
price, no hassle, free collection
anywhere. Land Rover Defender,
Discovery, Freelander Range Rover,
Vauxhall Brava, Toyota Hilux, Land
Cruiser, Mitsubishi, Shogun, L200,
Pajero, Nissan Navara, Terrano,
Patrol, X Trail, Isuzu Trooper,
Rodeo. + All other 4x4 Vehicles,
4X4 Pickups, etc. Single vehicles
or fleet purchases. Any age nearly
new or old, any conditions from
perfect to written off, non runners,
rotten, no MOT, high mileage,
blown engine, overheating etc.
Cash in hand, no hassle, best cash
price guaranteed.

**Call today on
0778 985 5381**

WANTED

All 4 x 4s, including commercial vans,
trucks, cars, motorhomes, caravans,
touring caravans, any condition.

Tel 0770 3490572 ask for Robert

WANTED

All types of good quality 4 x 4 vehicles,
Landrovers, Mitsubishi, Kia, Ford etc and all
4 x 4 pickups, must be good condition and
reasonable mileage. Older 4 x 4's and non
runners/MOT failures etc considered.
Will collect.

Tel 07546 788945

WANTED MOTOR HOMES

Caravanettes and camper vans, all makes
and models considered. Also touring
caravans and statics, instant decision,
same day payment.

Contact William 07730 130284
email wlmotorhomes@outlook.com

WANTED

All types of motor homes and caravanettes. Any age
or condition. We also buy water damaged or in need
of repair. Also all types of touring caravans from 95
onwards.

T: 07885 203020 or
E: gbplantsales@hotmail.co.uk

WANTED FOR CASH

All vehicles, all makes, all models
wanted, MOT failures, any condition
non runners, Young or Old, prompt
payment and collection.

Call today on 0778 985 5381

WANTED

All touring caravans and motor homes,
campers etc, high mileage, MOT failures
or damp, all considered, any make or
model, will travel.

Tel 07546 788945

FORT WILLIAM TYRE SERVICE

Contact: Alec
Mobile: 07702 433495 Tel: 01397 700277
Email: fort-tyres@hotmail.co.uk

TYRES FITTED BY OUR MOBILE VAN
at your work, your home or where's easiest.

CARS, VANS, LORRIES, TRACTORS
24hrs Commercial Tyre Breakdown Service

Fin's PLACE



FREE PICKUP FROM
BALLACHULISH SOUTH

timing belts, exhausts, brakes,
clutches, batteries, servicing, M.O.T.,
repairs, diagnostics

11 Old Tweedmill, Oban
01631 566220 01766 757013



MOTs • Servicing • Repairs
All makes of vehicle serviced and repaired.

Munro's of Oban, Lochavullin Ind. Estate, Oban PA34 4PL
Tel: 01631 564463
Email: munrosofoban@aol.com
Web: www.munrosofoban.co.uk

Fiat Professional Service in Perthshire and beyond.

For all your Fiat van servicing and repair requirements.



6 Bertha Park View Inveralmond, Perth PH1 3EE
www.autoservicesperthltd.co.uk
01738 210000

Auto Services Perth

We guarantee to offer you value for money, high quality workmanship and an honest friendly service.

We're here to support you Monday to Friday 'till late to keep you on the road.

- Fiat Professional Trained Technicians
- Fiat Professional Diagnostic Equipment
- Fiat Professional Genuine Parts
- Fiat Professional Safety Recalls
- Fiat Professional Software Updates
- Fiat Professional Warranty Work



PROFESSIONAL

W.D. SEMPLE RENAULT/DACIA

VISIT OUR NEW WEBSITE TO VIEW A MORE COMPREHENSIVE RANGE OF VEHICLES ON OFFER

Any of our pre registered or used stock can now be viewed in or around Campbeltown
 Call for an appointment to view.

Approved Renault Dealer
www.wdsemple.com

Inveraray - Shore Street. Tel: 01499 302150 Fax: 01499 302281
 Lochgilphead - Highbank Park. Tel: 01546 606767 Fax: 01546 606272
 Car & Van Hire from both branches.

New and Pre-Reg Renaults ready for immediate delivery



FIND US



CLIO
 Intriguing and seductive, the New Renault CLIO



SCENIC
 The look of a crossover, the practicality of an MPV.



DACIA DUSTER
 Dacia Duster still the cheapest SUV on sale



DACIA STEPWAY
 Dacia Stepway SUV style. Supermini Costs.

These are just a small selection of cars currently in our showrooms

USED CARS

18 Dacia Duster DCi Lau, 4x2, Black, 10 miles.....	£14,250
18 Dacia Stepway LAU TCe, Grey, 30 Miles	£10,750
18 Dacia Sandero AMB SCE, Mink, 30 Miles	£7,550
67 Renault Kadjar SIG NAV TCe, Black, 2500 miles	£18,500
66 Renault Captur, DYN DCi NAV, 120, Black, 18,00 miles	£12,250
66 Renault Clio DYN Nav TCE titanium, 7,000 miles	£10,550
66 Dacia Sandero Leu Dci silver 6,000 miles	£8,950
66 Renault Clio S Nav DCi-90 Mars red, 6,000 miles	£12,950
66 Renault Clio 1.2 Dyn Nav white, 14,000 miles	£9,750
16 Ford Focus Tit, Auto, Black, 9,000 miles	£11,500
65 Renault Captur TCe, DYN NAV, Cream, 18,500 miles	£10,250
14 Nissan Note Nectar 1.2 5dr, blue, 9,000 miles.....	£7,350
14 Skoda Rapid TDi white, 27,000 miles.....	£7,500
14 Ford Ka Edge 1.2 11,800 Miles.....	£5,650
13 Jeep Compass LTD, CRD, White, 45,000 miles	£8,950
13 Renault Megan DYN DCi TOMTOM EST Car, Black, 75,000 miles.....	£5,750
13 Peugeot 107 Allure, Blue, 27,000 miles	£3,950
13 Nissan Note 1.4, Acenta, Blue, 15,000 miles.....	£5,750
62 Fiat Panda lounge, 1.2, white, 55,000 miles.....	£3,950

LOWER PRICE VEHICLES

Ford Mondeo VW Polo Honda Jaz
 Low deposit and finance options available

S&S SERVICES

Supporting the people of Argyll
for over 30 years

ORDER YOUR 68 PLATE NOW

SATURDAY 8TH & SUNDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER 2018

Best of the West FESTIVAL



Visit our stand

S&S - Scotlands No1 Subaru and Isuzu Dealer 2017

ISUZU
THE PICK-UP
PROFESSIONALS

Come and see the all new Arctic
and speak to John Spicer about the
NFU Vehicle Discount Scheme.




NFU Scotland

S&S - Weekly visits to Argyll for sales and service



SUBARU
Confidence in Motion



SAFETY WHERE IT MATTERS, FOR LESS THAN YOU THINK

5 YEAR
WARRANTY*



EURO NCAP
www.euroncap.com
AWARDED 5 STARS

The Subaru SUV range

£1,000* SUBARU DEPOSIT CONTRIBUTION

6.9% APR REPRESENTATIVE

S&S Services, Heathfield, Ayr. Tel: 01292 880080 / 07831 808702

RECRUITMENT

IN ASSOCIATION WITH
HIJOBS
Visit hijobs.net



Factory Operatives

Starting Salary £19,055 per annum

Due to an increase in our planned production, we currently have several Factory Operative posts within our Blar Mhor Processing Plant in Fort William.

Duties focus on the processing and preparing of our product for despatch to our customers. Full training is provided including, health and safety, food safety and hygiene. Applicants should be able to work as part of a team and will be required to work shifts on a rotational basis.

We welcome enquiries from everyone and value diversity in our workforce. We are willing to consider flexible working arrangements and are an Equal Opportunities employer. In return we offer an attractive salary, bonus, pension, Occupation Health Support and training/development opportunities. To apply for this vacancy, you must be eligible to work in the UK and be over the age of 18.

If you wish to apply, please upload your Covering Letter and CV to our MHS People website www.marineharvest.com/people.

Marine Harvest is the world's leading seafood company and the largest producer of salmon. The company employs over 13,000 employees globally in 24 countries. Every day our employees produce 6.2 million healthy and delicious meals, served to customers across the globe.

Marine Harvest covers the whole value and production chain, from feed to plate, and through our vision of leading the "Blue Revolution" we are dedicated to farming the ocean in a responsible and efficient way.

VISION

Leading The Blue Revolution

VALUES

PASSION

CHANGE

TRUST

SHARE



Job Opportunities

McKinven & Colville Ltd are offering a range of employment opportunities as we seek to increase our existing team.

Apprenticeships (Campbeltown)

Joiner
Builder

Duties will include:

- Working alongside, and learning from, time served tradesmen
- Completion of the relevant Modern Apprenticeship
- Travelling to various sites in and around Kintyre and Mid Argyll

Foreman Joiner (Mid Argyll)

The successful time served candidate will deal with all aspects of maintenance on our Mid Argyll contracts.

- CSCS Card preferred, but not essential.

Qualities required for all posts:

- Excellent time keeping
- First class work ethic
- Full driving licence
- Willingness to learn
- Ability to work well with other staff
- Basic understanding of building industry and Health & Safety

Full contractual details will be discussed at interview.

Interested applicants should email their CV to info@mckinvenandcolville.com, or send them FAO Barry Colville at McKinven & Colville Ltd, Unit 2, Snipefield Industrial Estate, Campbeltown, PA28 6SY.

CLOSING DATE: Friday 14th September 2018



Leiths (Scotland) Ltd have the following vacancy at Highland Lime, Fort William

QUARRY SUPERVISOR

You will be responsible for the safe and efficient management of the quarry.

You will need to demonstrate a strong commitment to Health, Safety and Environmental management and possess the necessary competence and leadership skills to promote a positive team based culture.

Previous experience in a similar role is essential.

The ideal candidate will have a sound working knowledge of quarry operations, as well as general maintenance activities. A flexible approach to work and good communication skills are also essential for this role and you would ideally hold or be working towards a SHE NVQ Level 3.

You must also hold a current UK driving licence and would ideally be available to commence employment at the earliest opportunity.

Please visit www.leiths-group.co.uk to download an application form and return to recruitment@leiths-group.co.uk

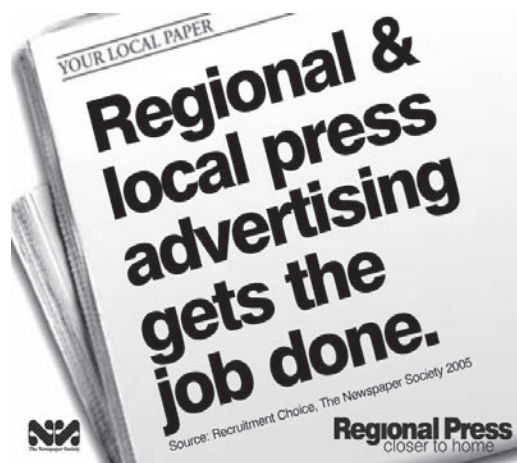
Leiths Group are an Equal Opportunities Employer



Accounts Assistant

We require an individual with a pleasant and professional manner experienced in accounts preparation to join our accounts production department. The role involves full preparation of accounts for a varied portfolio of clients. It is anticipated that the successful candidate will be experienced in a similar role. Being qualified or part qualified as AAT, ACCA or similar would be advantageous. Salary offered will depend on level of experience and qualifications.

Please send CV and a covering letter by 21 September 2018 to: The Staff Partner at Albany Chambers, Albany Street, Oban PA34 4AL or by e mail to mail@simmers.co.uk
www.simmers.co.uk



ESTATES MANAGER

Do you enjoy building, maintaining & servicing? Do you have strong leadership & project management skills? If this sounds like you, we need to talk!

We have an exciting opportunity for an Estates Manager to join the team at our luxury holiday village, near Oban. You'll be responsible for the upkeep of our estate including 32 holiday cottages, leisure facilities and office space.

An excellent salary package will be offered to the right candidate.

To apply, contact General Manager Linda Brown:
01852 200 257 or linda.brown@melfortvillage.co.uk

www.melfortvillage.co.uk

FROM 56p PER WEEK

INCLUDES FULL website access and a DIGITAL EDITION of the newspaper

campbeltown courier
Incorporating Argyllshire Advertiser

Now delivering news
7 DAYS A WEEK online
www.campbeltowncourier.co.uk

Coyle Personnel is looking for 2 CSCS General Labourers to join our client's busy site in Oban.

Experience, CSCS card and own PPE required, Mid to Long term job on offer with generous rates.

To apply call 0141 202 2820

RECRUITMENT
HIJOBS
RECRUITMENT
HIJOBS

Financial Controller Steinsvik UK Ltd

Steinsvik UK Ltd are looking for a UK company accountant to join our growing team based in Fort William.



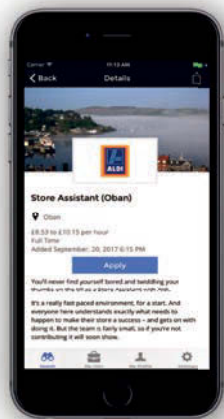
We are looking for a qualified accountant with experience of working in management accounting environment within a group structure capable of working independently but alongside the finance team in Norway.

You will be responsible for all management accounting financial reporting, and analysis including reporting to the parent company in Norway. You will report the company cash flow and financial position to the UK General Manager and oversee the work taken by the Office Managers. As the company continues to expand you will be expected to enhance internal controls and systems. You will preferably have experience in the use of Microsoft Dynamics Navision software.

Steinsvik UK Ltd is a subsidiary of the Steinsvik group, the headquarters of which are based in Norway with departments worldwide.

Please send applications, attaching a CV, by email to Innes Weir. General Manager, Steinsvik UK, innes.weir@steinsvik.no

Closing date: 17th September 2018



We've made it even easier to find your next job in the perfect location.

Download our app for free at hijobs.co.uk/app

HIJOBS



The Scottish Salmon Company

Your Career Right Here

CLEANER FISH SUPERVISOR - South

Salary up to £28,000 plus overtime

Based in Argyll

We are currently recruiting for a Cleaner Fish Supervisor to support and coordinate our Cleaner Fish Operations across our Marine sites in both the South region.

Reporting to the Head of Production this role will involve working in partnership with Site Managers and the Biology team to support the day to day operations of maintaining our cleaner fish stock and ensure best practice processes across habitat maintenance, stocking, feeding, husbandry and welfare.

Successful candidates will have supervisory experience, have strong organisational skills with the ability to manage multiple tasks and priorities at any given time. Furthermore, candidates will be competent in accumulating and interpreting statistical information along with experience of liaising with statutory authorities such as Marine Scotland and SEPA. A current, clean driving license is also essential.

The role requires travel across the South Region.

To apply and/or request a detailed job specification please use the contact details below. Please note applications are requested by CV and covering letter.

Greg Robson, HR Business Partner
The Scottish Salmon Company
Arkinglas Estate, Cairndow, Argyll, PA26 8BH
Tel: 01499 600 223
Greg.Robson@scottishsalmon.com
Closing date: 14 September 2018

www.scottishsalmon.com

THE IDEAL GIFT... Scottish Calendars 2019



FROM **£11.95** including P&P*



FROM **£7.95** including P&P*

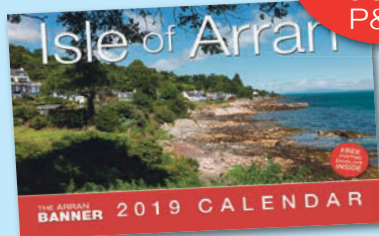
Enjoy Scotland at its best all year round with our selection of stunning calendars.

To see all the images from our 2019 range visit:

www.scottishcalendars.co.uk



FROM **£7.95** including P&P*



FROM **£7.95** including P&P*



order form

I would like to order 2019 Calendars:

Calendar		U.K. inc P&P	R.O.W. inc P&P	Amount
Scottish Field Large	Price	£11.95	£12.95	£
	Quantity			
Scottish Field Small	Price	£7.95	£8.50	£
	Quantity			
Oban Times West Highland	Price	£7.95	£8.50	£
	Quantity			
Arran Banner Isle of Arran	Price	£7.95	£8.50	£
	Quantity			
Scottish Clans	Price	£7.95	£8.50	£
	Quantity			

Total £

YOUR DETAILS:

Name _____
Address _____
Telephone _____ Date _____
Email _____ To receive the 2020 brochure straight into your inbox please enter your email address here

If you wish we can send calendars direct to your friends and family on your behalf. Please provide the following details on a separate sheet: Name, address, your personal message, together with a note of which calendar you would like sent.

PAYMENT DETAILS:

I enclose payment for £ _____ by Cheque payable to Wyvex Media Debit/Credit Card

Card Number _____
Expiry Date _____ Start Date _____ Issue No _____ Security Code (last 3 digits on back of card) _____
Signature _____
Name/Title (BLOCK CAPITALS) _____

ORDER ONLINE AT www.scottishcalendars.co.uk or call us on 01371 851 868 OR POST ALL ORDERS TO:
Wyvex Media Limited, FREEPOST RTEY YUBG TYUB Trinity House, Sculpins Lane, Wethersfield, Braintree, Essex CM7 4AY

* additional P&P charges will apply to EU/ROW

PUBLIC NOTICES

Argyll and Bute Council
PLANNING


These applications listed below may be inspected between 09:00-12.30 -13.30-16:00 hrs Monday to Friday at 1A Manse Brae Lochgilphead PA31 8RD, your Local Customer Service Point and by logging on to the Council's website at www.argyll-bute.gov.uk.

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2013 REGULATION 20(1) ADVERT STATEMENT
TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997 (AS AMENDED), RELATED PLANNING (LISTED BUILDINGS AND CONSERVATION AREAS) (SCOTLAND) ACT 1997

Ref. No.	Proposal	Site Address
18/01687/LIB	Installation of 6 urns to the parapet of dwellinghouse	Asknish House Lochgair Lochgilphead Argyll And Bute PA31 8SB
18/01776/PP	Re-painting of restaurant frontage (retrospective)	Anchorage Restaurant Harbour Street Tarbert Argyll And Bute PA29 6UD
18/01660/PP	Upgrading works to existing track in order to facilitate timber harvesting	Land Approx 180M North West Of Tigh A Bhata Tarbert Road Ardrishaig Argyll And Bute
18/01357/MIN	Temporary mineral working in association with windfarm development (Borrow Pit A)	Beinn An Tuirc Windfarm Phase 3 (Grid Ref. 173214 633349) Land At Meall Buidhe And South Of A'Chruach West Of Saddell Kintyre Argyll
18/01813/MFF	Variation to planning condition 2 relative to planning permission 17/00427/MFF (Modification of existing fin fish farm site to include 1 additional cage and increase in extent of mooring area) Proposed deletion of biomass limit in favour of obligation to operate in accordance with an approved Environmental Management Plan	Ardcastle Fish Farm Lochgair Argyll And Bute
18/01815/MFF	Variation to planning condition 2 relative to planning permission 17/00429/MFF (Increase to grid size (cage spacing) from 40 metres to 60 metres) Proposed deletion of biomass limit in favour of obligation to operate in accordance with an approved Environmental Management Plan	Fish Farm Camas Na Ban-Tighearna Pier Road Tarbert Argyll And Bute
18/01816/MFF	Variation to planning condition 2 relative to planning permission 17/00428/MFF Increase in grid size from 60 metres to 70 metres, additional cage increasing number from 9 to 10 and retrospective permission for raft to support feed pipes (no increase in biomass) Proposed deletion of biomass limit in favour of obligation to operate in accordance with an approved Environmental Management Plan	Quarry Point Fish Farm Crarae Argyll And Bute PA32 8YA
18/01673/PP	Erection of telecommunications equipment compound with 25 metre high lattice tower and associated works, including formation of access track	Land North East Of Gobagrennan Campbeltown Argyll And Bute
18/01502/LIB	Retention of flue	8 Royal Mews Glenburn Road Ardrishaig Lochgilphead Argyll And Bute PA30 8EU
18/01703/PP	Replace 5 No windows from timber frame to white uPVC of the same style and finish	61B Lochnell Street Lochgilphead Argyll And Bute PA31 8JN

Written comments can be made to the above address or submitted online <http://www.argyll-bute.gov.uk/planning-and-environment/feedback-and-comment-planning-applications> within 21 days of this advert. Please quote the reference number in any correspondence. Any letter of representation the Council receives is considered a public document and will be published on our website. Anonymous or marked confidential correspondence will not be considered. A weekly list of all applications can be viewed at all Area Offices, Council Libraries and on the Councils website.

To find out more about living and working in Argyll & Bute visit us at:
www.argyll-bute.gov.uk
Comhairle Earra - Ghàidheal agus Bhòid



WEST KINTYRE COMMUNITY COUNCIL
WINDFARM TRUST

Groups wishing to apply for funds from the above Trust should contact Margaret Pratt for advice, details and application form by email to: margaretpratt@btinternet.com

Grants may be available for funding for projects, groups, halls, charities, churches etc operating within the West Kintyre Community Council area.

Completed application forms must be in the hands of the Trust by
Saturday 29th September 2018

For consideration at the disbursement meeting to be held on
Monday 15th October 2018, at 7.30pm
in Clachan Village Hall

Contact details: Margaret Pratt 01880 730244

Kintyre
Dialysis
Support Group
AGM
Monday 24th
September
7.00pm
SAC Office, 12
Burnside Street.
Campbeltown

Lachlan Miller
Trust
AGM
Friday 14th
September
7.00pm
Glassary Primary
School
All welcome

COURIER
PUBLIC NOTICES
ADVERTISER
PUBLIC NOTICES
COURIER
PUBLIC NOTICES
ADVERTISER
PUBLIC NOTICES
COURIER
PUBLIC NOTICES
ADVERTISER
PUBLIC NOTICES
COURIER
PUBLIC NOTICES

ADVERTISER
PUBLIC NOTICES
COURIER
PUBLIC NOTICES

ADVERTISER
PUBLIC NOTICES
COURIER
PUBLIC NOTICES



FROM 56p PER WEEK

INCLUDES FULL website access and a DIGITAL EDITION of the newspaper

argyllshire advertiser
Incorporating Campbeltown Courier

Now delivering news 7 DAYS A WEEK online
www.campbeltowncourier.co.uk

CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE FOR ADVERTISEMENTS

YOUR attention is drawn to the following terms and conditions which relate to the placing of advertisements in all publications owned by Wyvex Media Limited.

Parties to this agreement are the Publisher, Wyvex Media Limited Limited on the one part and the Advertiser on the other part. The Publisher publishes newspapers, magazines, books and provides advertising space therein or provides for the delivery of advertising materials to the public within these publications.

- 1 Advertising copy shall be legal, decent, honest and truthful and comply with the British Code of Advertising Practice and all other codes.
- 2 The Publisher does not guarantee the insertion of any particular advertisement.
- 3 The Publisher reserves the right to cancel or alter the advertisement by giving reasonable notice.
- 4 An order for an advertisement shall be deemed to be made on acceptance of the advertisers' order by the Publisher whether placed by telephone, mail, fax or in person.
- 5 Cancellation of display advertising must be received by the Publisher before the publishing deadline, failing which, the publisher reserves the right to invoice the customer in full for the whole cost of the advertisement.
- 6 The parties submit to the jurisdiction of the Scottish Courts and Scots Law. In the event of any dispute or action by the Publisher to recover payment from an advertiser, it is agreed that matters will be settled in the Oban, Argyll Sheriff Court or such other Court as the Publisher may choose.
- 7 The Publisher shall not be liable for any loss or damage occasioned by any total or partial failure (however caused) of publication or distribution of any newspaper or edition in which any advertisement is scheduled to appear. In the event of any error, misprint or omission in the printing of an advertisement or part of an advertisement, the Publisher will either re-insert the advertisement or relevant part of the advertisement, as the case may be, or make reasonable refund or adjustment to the cost. No re-insertion, refund or adjustment will be made where the error, misprint or omission does not materially detract from the advertisement.
- 8 Errors must be notified to the Publisher in writing within fourteen days of publication. In no circumstances shall the total liability of the Publisher for any error, misprint or omission exceed the amount of a full refund of any price paid to the Publisher for the particular advertisement in connection with which liability arose or the cost of a further or corrective advertisement of a type and standard reasonably comparable to that in connection with which liability arose.
- 9 The Advertiser/Advertising Agency agrees to indemnify the Publisher in respect of all costs, damages or other charges falling upon the publication as the result of legal actions or threatened legal actions arising from the publication of the advertisement in any one or more of a series of advertisements published in accordance with copy instructions supplied to the publication in pursuance of the Advertiser/Advertising Agency order.
- 10 Adverts under the value of £75 must be paid on acceptance of order by the Publisher. All advertising on a credit basis must be agreed with the Publisher in advance.
- 11 Payment of any invoice raised by the Publisher will be due 15 days from the date of invoice or as otherwise directed on the invoice. In the event of non-payment the Publisher may charge late payment interest at a rate of 2% and this is chargeable on a daily basis from the due date until the bill is paid. In addition the Publisher may charge a late payment levy of £10 as an administration fee. In the event of late payment the Publisher reserves the right to disallow any discounts given and to raise an additional invoice for the discount which will be treated as though it has been raised with the original invoice.
- 12 A request to insert an advertisement assumes acceptance of our conditions. Published by Wyvex Media Limited, P.O. Box 1, Oban, PA34 4HB, Tel: (01631) 568000 www.obantimes.co.uk and registered as a newspaper at the Post Office. <http://termsandconditions.wyvexmedia.co.uk>

West Coast PROPERTIES

✓ SALES ✓ LETS ✓ COMMERCIAL ✓ ESTATE AGENTS ✓ NEWS



Latest commercial property market report shows changing picture

The latest analysis of commercial property sales across Scotland by the Scottish Property Federation (SPF) reflects a shift in fortunes for the nation's major cities over the three months from April to June 2018.

For the second successive quarter, activity in Aberdeen exceeded that in both Edinburgh and Glasgow. Total sales values in the Granite City was £123m and while this figure is 26 per cent less than the total from the previous quarter, it is 68 per cent greater than Q2 2017.

By comparison, in Edinburgh and Glasgow sales activity was 'subdued'. The total value sales in the Scottish capital in Q2 2018 was £122m. This is 19 per cent down on the previous quarter and is also 46 per cent down on Q2 2017. There were 110 commercial property sales in Edinburgh during this time.

In Glasgow, there were 129 commercial sales, totalling £104m. The value of commercial sales in Glasgow rose eight per cent compared to Q1 2018, but was down 42 per cent

on the same quarter in 2017.

Nationally, total sales values were down 29 per cent on Q1 at £684m (13 per cent down on the previous year), although the number of transactions rose from 1,006 in Q1 to 1,095 in Q2 (a rise of nine per cent). It is the first fall in total sales values since Q3 2017 and one of the main contributing factors is that there were a lower number of high value sales.

The figures were collated using data from Registers of Scotland.

David Melhuish, direc-

tor of Scottish Property Federation, said: 'Our analysis of Q2 commercial sales figures shows an interesting picture emerging in the cities. Aberdeen continued to have marginally higher sales than both Edinburgh and Glasgow - especially note-worthy as Aberdeen had under half the number of sales than the other two. Looking at the bigger picture, across Scotland the recent data suggests that the commercial property sales market has been quieter than we have been used to in the past few years.'

'That said, investment remains strong in Scottish real estate, with industry data experts CoStar reporting £584m invested into the sector in Q2. This brings the total investment for 2018 so far to £1.4bn,

up on the same period in both 2017 and 2016.

'Overall, it was a mixed quarter for Scottish commercial property sales, with Aberdeen again showing signs of recovery, but subdued elsewhere.'



13 Great King Street, Edinburgh, EH3 6QW
Tel: (0131) 624 6660
E-mail: info@sva-auctions.co.uk

The following are among 26 Lots to be offered for Sale by Auction in Glasgow on Wednesday 19th September 2018.

CAMPBELTOWN (Castlehill): Former bank premises and car parking - 2,106 sq.ft. EPC: G

www.sva-auctions.co.uk

49 McIntyre Terrace Lochgilhead



**3-bedroom Terraced House
Offers Over: £95,000**

15 Jubilee Terrace Lochgilhead



**2-bedroom Terraced House
Offers Over: £85,000**

16 Upper Glenfyne Park Ardrishaig



**3-bedroom, Semi-detached house
Fixed Price: £115,000**

argyll 4sale

Call us today on
01546 603118

enquiry@argyll4sale.net
www.argyll4sale.net

10 Argyll Street, Lochgilhead,
Argyll, PA31 8LZ

West Coast

✓ BUY LOCAL ✓ SELL LOCAL ✓ TRADE LOCAL ✓ SWAP LOCAL

CLASSIFIEDS

CHIMNEY SWEEP

ARGYLL & ISLES CHIMNEY SERVICES
07834 640989
SWEEPING THROUGH ARGYLL!
www.argyllchimneyservices.co.uk

When Was The Last Time You Had Your Chimney Cleaned?

- AWARD WINNING POWER SWEEPING SYSTEM
- OPEN FIRES - WOOD BURNING STOVES
- OIL & GAS FLUES
- AGA & RAYBURN
- BIOMASS FLUES
- CCTV INSPECTION

HETAS
NACCS
SEPA APPROVED
NACS CHIMNEY SWEEP

CHIMNEY SWEEPING THROUGHOUT ARGYLL, LORN AND THE ISLES

SEPTIC TANK SERVICES

MBC
MARTIN BOYLE CONTRACTING LTD
Scottish Water Approved Contractor.

Callum Simpson
07917 358285
(Argyll and the Islands)

Martin Boyle
07782 313517
(Jura, Islay & Colonsay)

info@mbcargyll.com

Est 2005 • Isle of Jura 'Serving Argyll and the Islands'

BUILDING AND JOINERY SERVICES

McKINVEN & COLVILLE Ltd
BUILDING CONTRACTORS

- JOINERS
- SLATERS
- ELECTRICANS
- LABOURERS
- BUILDERS
- PLASTERERS
- DECORATORS

ALL TRADES & SERVICES 24

NHBC

Tel: 01586 552724 www.mckinvenandcolville.com
Unit 2, Snipefield Ind Est, Campbeltown PA28 6SY

GARDEN SERVICES

CARRADALE GARDEN SERVICES

COMPLETE LANDSCAPE DESIGN
DOMESTIC AND COMMERCIAL GRASS CUTTING
HEDGE CUTTING
TREE AND SCRUB CLEARANCE
PAVING TO PLANTING
DRAINAGE AND FENCING

Wood chipper | Pressure washing
Moss removal | Mini excavator

Tel: 01583 431362 Mob. 07432 158404
Working from concept to completion

HOT PRESSURE WASHING SERVICE

HOT PRESSURE WASHING SERVICE
Roofs · Paths · Walls · Monoblock driveways

Remove the slippery green algae from your paths before winter

For a free no obligation quote please telephone 07990 974026

PLUMBING & HEATING ENGINEERS

SAMBOREK

Unit 5, Kilmory Ind Est, Lochgilphead PA31 8RR
Tel: 01546 603158 URL: www.samborek.net

All forms of Heating Installations
Bathrooms supplied and fitted
Boiler & Cylinder Services

GRANT WORCESTER Bosch Group
SNIPEP OPTEC safe

AGRICULTURAL & CONSTRUCTION

NEW & USED EQUIPMENT SALES

Andrew Smith and Son offer a complete range of agricultural, construction and plant equipment across the Kintyre peninsula.

TRACTOR PLANT HIRE
SERVICE & REPAIR
FIELD SERVICE
PARTS & SHOP
HAZELBURN BUSINESS PARK
OFFICE LETS

Andrew Smith & Son
T: 01586 551 173 W: andrewsmithandson.co.uk
E: enquiries.cmithandson@btconnect.com
Snipefield Industrial Estate, Drumore, Campbeltown, Argyll, PA28 6SY

TV SERVICES

NO STRESS, NO MESS, NO PROBLEM digital

MILLENNIUM GROUP

TV AERIALS - SATELLITE - TV SALES
TELEPHONE - WIFI NETWORKS
TV WALL MOUNT - CCTV

Call Kenny or Clare today on
07940585830

www.millenniumgrouptv.co.uk

Krisp Cards
Cards Calendars Gifts

2019 Calendars NOW IN STOCK

ScottishField
Isle of A
The Oban Times
2019 west highland calendar
SCOTTISH CLANS

Shop online at www.krispcards.co.uk

FROM 56p PER WEEK

INCLUDES FULL website access and a DIGITAL EDITION of the newspaper

campbeltown **courier**
Incorporating Argyllshire Advertiser

Now delivering news 7 DAYS A WEEK online
www.campbeltowncourier.co.uk

Private sales free listings for items under £100

Baby Equipment

BABY BOUNCER CHAIR, very good condition, £20, Telephone 01855 811322.

BREAST PUMP, good condition, £25 Telephone 01855 811322.

SILVER CROSS Cargo 3D travel system. The system has buggy, rain covers, Bassinet, buggy seat, foot muff. See madeformums.com/silver_cross_3d_pram_system. Inveraray, £80 Telephone 07774 920820.

Bicycles

CHILDS BIKE 5 upwards, Bumper, excellent condition, £25 Telephone 01546 886355.

Building / DIY

QUICK STAGE SCAFFOLDING, still have some of this left. Cheapest anywhere at only £2 per piece. Very heavy duty. Uprights, transoms, bars, feet etc. Telephone 01546 605374.

REPLACEMENT CHIMNEY POTS for older houses, ornate Victorian/Edwardian pots in various sizes and colours, £40 Telephone 01631 564578².

TOILET BOWL WITH SEAT - no cistern, brand never used. £20 Oban Telephone 07900 048362

Camping & caravan Equipment

2 MAN TENT, never used, still in original bag. All complete, £5 Telephone 01546 605374.

4 MAN TENT pro action river 240, 4 man tent. Never used, still in unopened bag. Argos price now £22, £10 Telephone 01546 605374.

Car Accessories

CAR TRAILER COVER 83½x53½x22½drop. Brand New, £55 Telephone 01855 811322.

Computers and Games

REFURBISHED APPLE IMAC



21.5" Refurbished iMac 500GB Solid State SATA; 2.5GHz Intel Core i5 processor, 4GB 1333MHz DDR3 with magic mouse, keyboard and software. Excellent condition, £540 Tel 07906 368545.

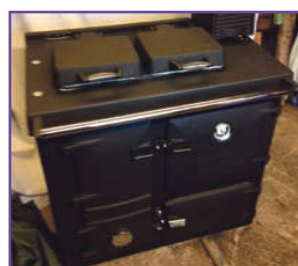
Domestic Appliances

DYSON V6 LITHION ION hand held Dyson V6, In excellent as new condition, fully working, complete with all tools and charger rrp £245, selling for £99, Telephone 01631 770224.

MICROWAVE/GRILL Sanyo Combi Microwave/Grill model EM-SL50G 25 litres 900W microwave, 1000W grill, £29 Telephone 07966 435245.

MORPHY RICHARDS STAND MIXER, used once, in original box, £55 Telephone 01855 811322.

RAYBURN 355SFV



Largest Output Solid fuel Rayburn, beautiful black satin heat resistant finish. Professionally rebuilt and re-conditioned and is in as new condition. New stainless steel high output boiler with manufacturer's 5 year guarantee, capable of heating 8 radiators, water pipes from boiler exit on LHS. Ovens and flue on RHS. Dimensions 840mm wide, 820mm high, 590mm deep. Delivery is possible - charge dependent upon distance. Enormous saving on a new equivalent cooker, £3,850 Telephone 07889 324823 or 01899 220918².

TOYOTA SEWING MACHINE in excellent condition, straight stitch, zig zags, buttonholes, overlocks, numerous other stitches. Can deliver locally, £25, Telephone 01631 770224.

TUMBLE DRYER Beko 7KG tumble dryer, seldom used, £60, Telephone 01631 564019².

Domestic Pets

GERMAN SHORT HAired POINTER PUPPIES, ready now, 4 dogs, 2 girls, KC Reg, microchipped, tails legally docked with vet's certificate, wormed and vet checked, both parents can be seen, £900 each Telephone 01387 740575.

Furniture

FOLDING BED JAY-BE folding single guest bed, new, unused, in original packaging, dimensions on request. Local delivery Campbeltown, £95 Telephone 07703 130370.

HI BACKED PARKER KNOLL matching chairs, two, in very good condition, £35 each, Telephone 07900 862835/01546 603654.

MARKS & SPENCER SOFA, grey velour 3 seater, excellent condition, £220 Telephone 01631 720452.

TALL CORNER DISPLAY UNIT with glass doors light and bottom cupboard, £35 Telephone 01397 772052².

Garden

GARDEN FURNITURE, black metal square glass topped table and two matching chairs, £30, Telephone 07900 862835/01546 603654.

VINTAGE CART WHEELS and smaller implement wheels. Colourful garden display items. Prices from £30, Telephone 01631 564578².

VINTAGE CHIMNEY POTS Vintage chimney pots in various sizes and styles, make lovely garden planters. Prices from £40, Telephone 01631 564578².

VINTAGE LAWN ROLLERS cast iron and decorative, for working use or colourful garden feature, various sizes from £90, Telephone 01631 564578².

Garden Machinery

GTECH CORDLESS HEDGE TRIMMER model HT04 with branch cutter attachment, 2 batteries + charger. Little used in original box, vgc. Lightweight & easy to use, £50, Telephone 01631 581367.

Heating, Fires and Fireplaces

TWO FLOGAS SUPERSER HEATERS with one empty Calor 15kg & one ½ full FloGas 13kg bottle. £50 for

heater and Calor bottle, £60 for heater and FloGas bottle, £99.99 Telephone 01631 581367.

Hobbies and Crafts

PEARLISED PAPER & CARD, white, blue and pink colours in stock, available in A3/A4/A5 sizes, from 13p per sheet. Contact Krisp Print on 01586 554975.

Mail Order

SCOTTISH FIELD CALENDARS featuring spectacular photography of some of our most scenic lochs, rivers, beaches and mountains. Places include: Stirling, Fort William, Glencoe, Aberdeen, Isle of Skye, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Loch Lomond, Kelso, Aviemore, Forfar, Rum and Eigg, Shetland, Grentool and Dryburgh. Always a popular gift for family and friends at home or abroad. Order on-line at www.scottishcalendars.co.uk or telephone 01371 851868.

OBAN TIMES WEST HIGHLAND CALENDAR, fabulous views of the West Highlands portrayed in this handy and conveniently sized calendar. Places include: Inveraray, Appin, Oban, Seil, Isle of Mull, Campbeltown, Tarbert, Machrihanish, Fort William. Ideal for home offices or as a gift. Order on-line at www.scottishcalendars.co.uk or telephone 01371 851868.

Marine

VINTAGE MAHOGANY BOAT RUDDER in excellent conditions. Usable or ornamental. Bargain at £45 Telephone 01631 564578².

Miscellaneous

TROLLA WOOD BURNING STOVE

With wetback, Georgian marble wash stand, classic antique Danish lampshade, French open fire heat blower, electric 24v outboard, Italian violin 1903, old zither, other items

TEL 01631730323

COAL BUNKER, black GRP bunker in very good condition, £40, Telephone 07934 491712.

CRYSTAL WHISKY GLASSES seven, matching, £35, Telephone 07900 862835/01546 603654.

TROLLA WOOD BURNING STOVE with other Items, Telephone 01631 730323.

Pet Accessories

DOG GUARD as new, non adjustable, £20, Telephone 07780 795870.

Printing and Stationery

PROMOTIONAL MATERIAL, market your business effectively with professionally designed leaflets, posters and flyers from Krisp Print. Contact on 01586 554975.

THANK YOU CARDS new baby or wedding, with a photo of your new arrival or big day. Truly individual, a treasured keepsake. Call Krisp Print on 01586 554975.

Trailers

BOAT TRAILER



for up to 16ft dinghy. In good condition, £475, Telephone 01631 720414.

Wanted

CURTAINS second hand pair of Victorian velvet full length curtains, Telephone 01586 553752.

WHY NOT CELEBRATE A LOVED ONE'S BIRTHDAY WITH A PERSONAL NOTICE?

Call 01586 554646 or 01546 602345

NOW ONLY £24



THE IDEAL GIFT... Scottish Calendars 2019

Enjoy Scotland at its best all year round with our selection of stunning calendars. To see all the images from our 2019 range visit:

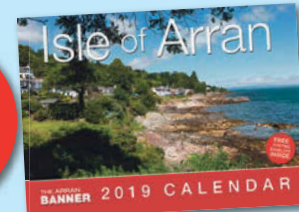
www.scottishcalendars.co.uk



FROM £11.95 including P&P*



FROM £7.95 including P&P*



* additional P&P charges will apply to EU/ROW

ORDER ONLINE AT www.scottishcalendars.co.uk or call us on 01371 851 868

OR POST ALL ORDERS TO: Wyvex Media Limited, FREEPOST RTEY YUBG TYUB

Trinity House, Sculpins Lane, Wethersfield, Braintree, Essex CM7 4AY

INVERARAY

New hours for Skippers Bistro

The Skippers Bistro at Argyll Caravan Park near Inveraray has new opening hours.

As of this week, Skippers will be open from 3pm on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday and noon on Friday. Weekend hours remain the same.

Charity car boot sale goes ahead

The previously cancelled car boot sale in Inveraray is to go ahead on Sunday September 16, come rain, sleet or snow.

From 11am to 3pm, cars with all their odds and ends to sell will congregate at Inveraray Castle, near the shinty pitch at the castle entrance.

Proceeds will go to First Aid 4 Gambia.

TARBERT

Tea party brings in £1,122.50

Cathanna Smith's Marie Curie tea party was a great success, bringing in £1,122.50 for the charity.

Of the success, Cathanna said: 'Every year Tarbert excels itself in the support we are given. It proves what a very special village it is. I would like to thank all my colleagues at the surgery, all the local businesses that gave us raffle prizes, the Co-op for its contribution of milk, tea and coffee and all the

contributions of baking and items for the bottle stall. A special thank you to Margaret Henderson for sourcing a lot of our raffle prizes. But the biggest thanks go to everyone who came along and who donated money so we could achieve the amazing amount we did.'

ARROCHAR

Walkers rescued from Cobbler

Arrochar Mountain Rescue Team was called out at 8.51pm on Wednesday August 26 to search for two walkers lost in poor visibility when descending the Cobbler.

The two walkers were found and escorted off the hill by 12.45am.

One of the walkers, Anthony Denovan, said: 'Amazing effort by the team. Did wonders for my father-in-law who was a bit unsteady on the way down. Thanks for all the help.'

The other, David Denovan, said: 'Thank you to all the rescue staff. I'm happily feeling much better.'

LOCHGILPHEAD

Doors open Day 2018

Cultural buildings across Argyll and Bute are opening their doors for Doors Open Day 2018. This year, Live Argyll Archives in Lochgilphead will be open on Saturday September 22 for a behind the scenes look, from 10am to 12.30pm.



The Macmillan team brave the Rob Roy Mighty Hike.

Macmillan team braves the Rob Roy Mighty Hike

Iona Macdonald, her brother Calum and her aunt and uncle Linda and Duncan Tough, completed the 26 miles of the Rob Roy Mighty Hike on Saturday September 1.

The team raised more than £1,700 for Macmillan Cancer Support.

Of the feat, Iona said: 'We did this for a great cause and one which is close to our hearts, but also to acknowledge my mum. Following her most recent

MID ARGYLL

diagnosis, she has remained the same upbeat, kind and positive person she has always been. She has proven that a positive attitude really is one of the best medicines.

'The money is going towards a charity close to our hearts, and any donations would be greatly appreciated.'

Thought for the Week
with Marilyn Shedden

God's promise: love is stronger than death

'Let's make love great again.' These were the words of Aretha Franklin and these words encapsulated who she was.

Barak Obama said this of her: 'In the example she set both as an artist and a citizen, Aretha embodied those most revered virtues of forgiveness and reconciliation, while the music she made captured some of our deepest human desires, namely affection and respect.'

'And through her voice, her own voice, Aretha lifted those of millions, empowering and inspiring the vulnerable, the downtrodden, and everyone who may have just needed a little love.'

Similarly in Washington thousands came to pay respect to Senator John McCain.

Among the many tributes, Barak Obama, despite their political differences, said this: 'John understood that our security and our influence was won not just by our military might, not just by our wealth, not just by our ability to bend others to our will, but from our capacity to inspire others with our adherence to a set of universal values - like rule of law and human rights - and an insistence on the God-given dignity of every human being.'

Two very high profile funerals which were beamed to thousands world wide, touched many.

However the bigger the funeral, no greater the love or the respect or the grief.

I am immensely touched by the quiet dignity of our own country funerals as people gather in the wee church they call home.


People have been there many times before and will come again, as long as folk shall live - and die.

They come because of love.

Let's make love great again - for love is stronger than death.

This is the promise from God to us all.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS


find us on
facebook
www.facebook.com/argyllshireadvertiser

STAN LUPTON
FUNERAL DIRECTORS LTD



Mid Argyll - Kintyre
(24HRS)
Dignified personal supervision

Office & Enquiries: **01880 820 995**
Mobile: **07899 862 922**
E-mail: mail@stanlupton.co.uk

T.A. Blair Ltd
Funeral Directors Est. 1978
& Monumental Suppliers

 Agents for
Golden Charter
Funeral Plans

Burnside Street, Campbeltown
Funerals carried out in Campbeltown,
Kintyre and throughout the UK
For personal attention assured at all times
Telephone Alasdair, Kenneth or Rhys
(01586) 552918 or Mobile 07810 443473
blairfunerals@btinternet.com

DONALD MacDONALD
FUNERAL DIRECTORS

(Established 1964)

LORNE STREET FUNERAL PARLOUR
Lorne Street, Lochgilphead, PA31 8LU

 Complete 24-hour confidential service
throughout Argyll
Telephone
Lochgilphead 01546 602226
Mobile 07768 472 953
Email: info@donaldmacdonald.org
www.donaldmacdonald.org

Golden Charter
Funeral Plans

CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTANCE FOR ADVERTISEMENTS

YOUR attention is drawn to the following terms and conditions which relate to the placing of advertisements in all publications owned by Wyvex Media Limited.

Parties to this agreement are the Publisher, Wyvex Media Limited Limited on the one part and the Advertiser on the other part. The Publisher publishes newspapers, magazines, books and provides advertising space therein or provides for the delivery of advertising materials to the public within these publications.

1 Advertising copy shall be legal, decent, honest and truthful and comply with the British Code of Advertising Practice and all other codes.

2 The Publisher does not guarantee the insertion of any particular advertisement.

3 The Publisher reserves the right to cancel or alter the advertisement by giving reasonable notice.

4 An order for an advertisement shall be deemed to be made on acceptance of the advertisers' order by the Publisher whether placed

by telephone, mail, fax or in person.

5 Cancellation of display advertising must be received by the Publisher before the publishing deadline, failing which, the publisher reserves the right to invoice the customer in full for the whole cost of the advertisement.

6 The parties submit to the jurisdiction of the Scottish Courts and Scots Law. In the event of any dispute or action by the Publisher to recover payment from an advertiser, it is agreed that matters will be settled in the Oban, Argyll Sheriff Court or such other Court as the Publisher may choose.

7 The Publisher shall not be liable for any loss or damage occasioned by any total or partial failure (however caused) of publication or distribution of any newspaper or edition in which any advertisement is scheduled to appear. In the event of any error, misprint or omission in the printing of an advertisement or part of an advertisement, the Publisher will either re-insert the advertisement or relevant part of

the advertisement, as the case may be, or make reasonable refund or adjustment to the cost. No re-insertion, refund or adjustment will be made where the error, misprint or omission does not materially detract from the advertisement.

8 Errors must be notified to the Publisher in writing within fourteen days of publication. In no circumstances shall the total liability of the Publisher for any error, misprint or omission exceed the amount of a full refund of any price paid to the Publisher for the particular advertisement in connection with which liability arose or the cost of a further or corrective advertisement of a type and standard reasonably comparable to that in connection with which liability arose.

9 The Advertiser/Advertising Agency agrees to indemnify the Publisher in respect of all costs, damages or other charges falling upon the publication as the result of legal actions or threatened legal actions arising from the publication of the advertisement in any one or more of a series of advertisements published in accordance with copy

instructions supplied to the publication in pursuance of the Advertiser/Advertising Agency order.

10 Adverts under the value of £75 must be paid on acceptance of order by the Publisher. All advertising on a credit basis must be agreed with the Publisher in advance.

11 Payment of any invoice raised by the Publisher will be due 15 days from the date of invoice or as otherwise directed on the invoice. In the event of non-payment the Publisher may charge late payment interest at a rate of 2% and this is chargeable on a daily basis from the due date until the bill is paid. In addition the Publisher may charge a late payment levy of £10 as an administration fee. In the event of late payment the Publisher reserves the right to disallow any discounts given and to raise an additional invoice for the discount which will be treated as though it has been raised with the original invoice.

12 A request to insert an advertisement assumes acceptance of our conditions.

**TEXT
FOR THE WEEK**

Jesus said, 'I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for his sheep' (John 10:11).

BIRTHS



MARTIN

James and Jo-anne are delighted to announce the safe arrival of Emma Kate, on August 14, 2018, at the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Paisley. Grateful thanks to all midwives in both Campbeltown and Paisley.

MARRIAGES



PARKIN - SEMPLE

At the Lorne and Lowland Church, Campbeltown, on August 31, 2018, by Rev M Forrest, Robert Joseph Orr, only son of Tom and Eileen, Higher Daviesdykes, Newmains, Wishaw, to Karen Isabel, second daughter of Jim and Fiona, Dalbhraddan, Southend, Campbeltown. A truly happy day for both families.

DEATHS

DAY - John Christopher (Chris). Peacefully, on Tuesday, August 29, 2018, at Mid Argyll Hospital, Lochgilphead, Chris, 16 Caledonia Court, Ardrishaig (formerly of Ford), aged 83 years, much loved father of Angus (died 1991) and Rory, beloved grandfather to Rosie and Jamie and dear former husband of Valerie, Ardfern. Funeral service at Craignish Parish Church, Ardfern, on Monday, September 10 at 11.30am, followed by burial at Kirkton. Many thanks to the nurses, doctors and the teams at Argyll Homecare and Caledonia Court for all their support.

KENDRICK - Peacefully at home, Drumore House, Low Drumore, Bellochantuy, on September 4, 2018, Florrie Kendrick, née Wike, in her 81st year, dearly beloved wife of the late Colin Kendrick, much loved mum of Ian, mother-in-law of Karen and a much loved granny, great granny, sister and aunt. Funeral service will be held in the Free Church, Campbeltown, on Friday, September 14, 2018, at 1.00pm, thereafter to Patchan Cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation and invitation. Family flowers only please. A retiral collection will be held in aid of Shopper Aid, Campbeltown.

ROBERTSON - Peacefully, at the Campbeltown Hospital, on September 5, 2018, Malcolm Robertson (Callum), in his 95th year, 19 Witchburn Road, Campbeltown, dearly beloved husband of the late Catherine Reid, much loved father of Catriona, father-in-law of Roy, loving grandad to Stephen and Kelly, and old papa to

Stephanie, Bethan and Aimee. Funeral service in the Lorne and Lowland Parish Church, on Thursday, September 13, 2018, at 1.00pm, thereafter to Kilkerran Cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation and invitation. Family flowers only please. A retiral collection will be held in aid of the Acute Ward, Campbeltown Hospital.

STANESBY - On August 31, 2018, suddenly, at Queen Elizabeth University Hospital, Glasgow, Michael (Mike) Stanesby, aged 56 years, beloved husband of Louise, much loved father of Esther, Naomi, Rachel and Isaac. Funeral service at Kilcalmonell Parish Church, Clachan, on Wednesday, September 12, 2018 at 1.00pm, thereafter to Clachan Cemetery, to which all friends are respectfully invited. Family flowers only please, donations if desired, to Clachan Village Hall Development Fund.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

RYAN - Frances, Julia and Ross would like to thank everyone for their kindness and thoughtfulness over the last few months. There will now not be a memorial service for Nick in October.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

GILLESPIE - Flora, Lorraine and Kerry would like to thank family and friends for their prayers, messages, visits, phone calls, cards and flowers following the loss of Rodger. Special thanks to the care team, doctors and staff at Campbeltown Hospital and Health Centre for their wonderful care and attention, we truly are grateful for the service given. Thank you to Rodger Crooks and Willie Crossan for the thoughtful and comforting service and also David McEwan for playing the organ. Thank you to T A Blair Funeral Directors for the comforting care and help given to the family in our sadness. Thanks also to the Argyll Hotel for the purvey. Finally, our thanks to everyone who paid their respects at the church and graveside. The retiral collection raised £1,029.49 for the Campbeltown Dialysis Unit and the Acute Ward at Campbeltown Hospital. Rodger will be sadly missed but will be forever in our hearts.

WILLETT - Marion and the family of the late Peter Willett would like to thank everyone who sent us flowers, cards and kind wishes. Their support during this sad time meant a great deal to us. Special thanks to those who travelled to Cardross to be with us for Peter's funeral. We would also like to thank the staff of the Campbeltown Hospital Acute Ward, Dr Gordon Anderson, the community nurses and Peter's carers; T A Blair for their compassionate and professional service; our Humanist celebrant, Professor Maggie Kinloch, for her beautiful and joyful eulogy in celebration of Peter's life; and Cardross Golf Club for their excellent catering. Finally, thank you to all those who donated to animal charities in Peter's name.

IN MEMORIAMS

CAREY - In loving memory of a very special auntie, Patsy. Those we hold so dear, Never truly leave us, They live on in the kindness they showed, The comfort they shared, And the love they brought into our lives. Forever in our hearts, love you always.
- Annamarie, Allan, Jacqueline and Linda xx.

GODDARD - Agnes, died September 6, 1999. Miss and love you always.
- Mum, Sandra, Ali and family. Love and miss you very much.
- Twinkle.

GODDARD - In loving memory of a dear mum. Loved and missed every day.
- Randall, Alan and Natalie. Night night Granny.
- Love, Myrin, Jodie, Kayleigh, Erin, Elle and Louie.

MACFARLANE - Treasured memories of Joe, a much loved husband, dad and grandad, who died September 6, 2014. Always in our hearts you'll stay, Loved and remembered every day.
- Inserted by Cath and family.

MCGOUGAN - In loving memory of my dad, Donald, passed away September 8, 2015. Forever in my thoughts.
- Love, Nan.

GRADUATIONS



BRIAN ANDREW MCGEACHY

Graduated from Nottingham Trent University with a degree in economics. Brian is the son of Bobby and Moira McGeachy, Peterborough, and the grandson of Jenny and the late Robert McGeachy, and the late Brian and Susan Plant (née Robertson).

CHURCH NOTICES

**free church
of scotland**

George Street, Campbeltown

Sunday 9th September
11.15am Worship Service
Mr William Johnston
11.15am Sunday School

Wednesday 12th September
12 noon Bible Study & Prayer
2.00pm Water of Life Cafe

All Welcome
All Roger Crooks' sermons can be found through our website: www.campbeltownfreechurch.co.uk
Scottish Charity Number: SC046745

**Highland Parish
Church**

SCO02493

Sunday 9th September 2018
The service will be conducted by Rev David Carruthers and will be held in the church at 11.15am.
All welcome.

**LORNE AND
LOWLAND
PARISH CHURCH**

Scottish Charity Number SC011686

Sunday 9th September
11.15am Morning Worship
Creche, Triple C, Gen I
Mr T Leighton

Tuesday 11th September
9.45am Tiny Tots
New Hall
Anchor Boys 6.00pm
Junior Section 7.00pm
Company Section 7.15pm
Church Hall

Wednesday 12th September
Choir Practice 7.00pm

Friday 14th September
Lunch Club 12.00 noon
New Hall

**CHURCH OF
SCOTLAND
WEST
LOCHFYNESIDE**

Sunday 9th September
Cumlodden Lochfyneside
and Lochgair
Charity No. SC016097

**Sacrament of
Communion**

CUMLODDEN CHURCH
10.00am
Rev Dr Roderick
Campbell
ALL WELCOME

**ARDRISHAIG AND
SOUTH KNAPDALE
PARISHES**
(The Church of Scotland)

Sunday Services
in Achahoish at 9:45am
Ardrishaig at 11:00am

Mid-Week Pause
Wednesdays
from Noon till 2:00pm
in Ardrishaig Church.
Stay as long as you like
(includes corporate worship
12:45pm—1:15pm)

**SCOTTISH
EPISCOPAL
CHURCHES**

**Christ Church
Bishoppton Road,
Lochgilphead**
(SC013787)

Sundays 11.00am
Eucharist & Coffee

**St Columba's,
Poltalloch**
(SC031391)

1st Sunday of the month
9.00am Holy Communion

3rd Sunday of the month
6.00pm Evensong
Father Simon Mackenzie
01546 602315

**ST MARGARET'S
R.C. CHURCH
LOCHGILPHEAD**

SUNDAY
Holy Mass Sunday 10am
All Saints, Inveraray
Holy Mass Sunday 12.30pm

Fr. David Connor
01546 602380
All Welcome (SCO02876)

**SKIPNESS LINKED
WITH TARBERT
LOCHFYN AND
KILBERRY**

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND
Sunday 9th September
Skipness Service 10.00am
Dr John L Morrison OBE
Tarbert Service 11:30am
Mr Douglas Allan
Kilberry Service 2.00pm
Rev Catriona Hood
For all church enquiries
and pastoral care:
Contact Rev Catriona Hood
01880 730 366 or
07771 692 570
Everyone very welcome
Tarbert & Kilberry SC002622
Skipness SC004280

**CAMPBELTOWN
COMMUNITY CHURCH**

Sunday 9th September
FAMILY SERVICE
11.00 am

Visiting Speaker – Eric Macarthur
with Sunday school
Refreshments after the service

The Ark
Baby & Toddler Group
Every Thursday 10.00 – 11.30 am
(Term time only)

Youth Fellowship
Visit our Facebook page for
upcoming events
We meet at the Kinloch Hall,
Kinloch Road
www.campbeltowncommunitychurch.co.uk

SCO43322

**ST. KIERAN R.C.
ST JOHN ST,
CAMPBELTOWN**

01586 552160
Rev Tony Wood

Vigil Mass
Saturday 6pm
(except 1st Saturday of the month)

Sundays, Holy Mass
10.00am
All welcome
All Welcome (SCO02876)

**SPRINGBANK
EVANGELICAL
CHURCH**

75 Longrow, Campbeltown

Sunday 9th September
Family Communion Service
11.00am
Pastor Steve Davies
All welcome

Wednesday 12th September
Bible study
7.30pm at the manse
Enquiries 01586 551200
www.springbankchurch.co.uk
SCO14646

**CHURCH OF
SCOTLAND
GLASSARY
KILMARTIN
and FORD
PARISH
CHURCH**

Sunday 9th September
10am Ford
Rev C Acklam
All welcome
SCO 02121

**THE
SALVATION
ARMY**

Campbeltown Corps
Church and Community Centre
Registered Charity No. 214779 and in Scotland SC009359

Burnside Street, Campbeltown
01586 552046

Sunday Services
10.30am Morning Service
(Army Kidz)
6.30pm Evening Worship

Wednesday
12.15pm Lunch Club
1.30pm C.A.M.E.O.
Majors Ben & Ruth Russell
All welcome

Argyll Street, Campbeltown
St Kieran Episcopal Church:
Campbeltown
Scottish Charity No SC023277

Sunday 9th September
St Kieran's Day
Holy Communion 10.45am

Enquiries Tel: 01586 551141
The Scottish Episcopal Church is a Province of
the Worldwide Anglican Communion

**NORTH KNAPDALE
PARISH CHURCH**

Charity Number SC001002

Sunday 9 September
11.30am Bellanoch Church
Rev C Acklam

Saturday 8 September
10.30am Achnamara Hall
Cafe Connect

Tuesday 11 September
12.30 - 2.30pm The Manse
Worship Workshop
All welcome
Enquiries 01546 606926
www.northknappdale.org

Mid Argyll Athletics Club holds an open sports day

The exceptionally wet weather on Sunday August 26 forced Mid Argyll Athletic Club indoors to hold its annual Sports Day and age group championships.

Fortunately both the games hall and gymnasium at Lochgilphead Joint Campus were free which ensured the competition was not cancelled and the young athletes contested a modified programme of five events in a warm and dry atmosphere.

Young athletes travelled from Cowal, Kintyre, Oban and as far away as Bunessan on Mull.

Arguably the top performances of the day were in a very competitive girls under 11 age group where Jemma MacDonald from Lochgilphead, Beth Johnstone from Tarbert and Kirstie Renton from Campbeltown excelled and finished with Jemma winning overall. Jemma won the two-lap race in 25.7 seconds and placed highly in another three events. Beth won the high jump clearing 1.14m and the long jump and Kirstie had an outstanding run to win the four-lap race in 55.5 seconds. The other event winner in this contest was Jemma's twin sister Jorja who won the javelin throwing 14 metres.

Local girl Neve Bowden was the under 9 champion thanks to wins in the four-lap race and long jump. Scarlett Speirs from Inveraray was runner-up winning the high

jump and two-lap race. Carla Renton from Campbeltown won the javelin in this age group.

Violet Campbell from Glenbarr dominated in the under 13s' contest winning all five events including a 6.49 metres throw in the shot putt. Emma Plumber from Tayvallich was runner up with Kyra Robertson from Ardrishaig in third place.

Karis Kidd from Ardrishaig was the under 15 champion, winning the two running events and the long jump and finished 1.5 points ahead of Amy Gibson from Bunessan on Mull who won the high jump with a 1.40 metres clearance. Caryn Kerr from Campbeltown was third on overall points and won the shot putt with a 6.67 metres throw. The previous week Caryn won the junior shot putt at Oban Highland Games.

Three girls tied on points in the under 7s' competition and the final placings were decided on the most individual wins which resulted in Cara Green from Ardrishaig the winner ahead of Zara Whyte and Chloe Hill.

Ruairidh Charnock from Lochgilphead was the boys' under 7 champion just one point ahead of Olly MacVicar from Tighnabruaich. Ruairidh won the two-lap race and long jump while Olly won the four-lap race and javelin throwing nine metres.

Lochgilphead's George

Balkeen dominated in the under 9s with a clean sweep of wins which included impressive performances in the two-lap race recording 27.9 seconds, four-lap in 61.6 and a 10.50 metres javelin throw. Luke MacVicar from Tighnabruaich was second overall and Ciaran Johnstone from Oban was third.

Roan MacVicar from Tighnabruaich was the under 11 champion thanks to wins in the two running events and finished four points ahead of Sam Gillespie from Lochgilphead who won the high jump and javelin throwing an impressive 14.25m. Third placed Robert Kerr from Campbeltown won the long jump in this section.

Two Kintyre boys excelled in the under 13s with Lewis Gilchrist from Tayinloan champion thanks to wins in the two-lap race in 22.9 and four-lap race in 48.2 seconds. Runner-up Ruairidh Campbell from Glenbarr won the shot putt throwing 9.76 metres and third placed Murray MacDonald also impressed winning the high jump with 1.31 metres and long jump.

The entry was disappointing in the two older age groups where Finlay MacLean from Oban won the under 15s ahead of Ewan Ferguson from Lochgilphead. Finlay won four events and Ewan won the high jump.



Lewis Hill from Minard in the under 9s. 08_a35MidArgyllAthletics01

Jake Gillespie from Lochgilphead was the under 17 winner ahead of Shaun Doy from Kilmichael Glassary. Shaun won the long jump and high jump clearing 1.55 metres. Jake recorded 22.1 seconds in the two-lap and threw an impressive

10.33 metres in the shot putt. Jake had a very successful summer season competing at Highland games in Argyll and ended the circuit at Oban Games the previous week winning the overall Argyll junior championship. The two annual trophies

in memory of the late Hugh MacArthur, founder member of the local club in 1984 who died in June 2015, were contested in the under 9 boys and under 9 girls.

The winners were Lochgilphead athletes Neve Bowden and George Balkeen.



The under 15 girls from the left Amy Gibson, Karis Kidd, Hazel Selfridge and Caryn Kerr.

08_a35MidArgyllAthletics04

Under 7 Girls: 1 Cara Green, Ardrishaig, 8 pts; 2 Zara Whyte, Lochgilphead, 8 pts; 3 Chloe Hill, Lochgilphead, 8 pts.

Under 9 Girls: 1 Neve Bowden, Lochgilphead, 15 pts; 2 Scarlett Speirs, Inveraray, 13.5 pts; 3 Abby Charnock, Lochgilphead, 7.5 pts

Under 11 Girls: 1 Jemma MacDonald, Lochgilphead, 12 pts; 2 Beth Johnstone, Tarbert, 9.5 pts; 2 Kirstie Renton, Castlehill, 9.5 pts; 3 Jorja MacDonald, Lochgilphead, 8 pts

Under 13 Girls: 1 Violet Campbell, Campbeltown, 20 pts; 2 Emma Plumber, Tayvallich, 12 pts; 3 Kyra Robertson, Ardrishaig, 7 pts.

Under 15 Girls: 1 Karis Kidd, Lochgilphead, 15.5 pts; 2 Amy Gibson, Oban HS, 14 pts; 3 Caryn Kerr, Campbeltown, 10 pts

Under 7 Boys: 1 Ruairidh Charnock, Lochgilphead, 14 pts; 2 Olly MacVicar, Tighnabruaich, 13 pts; 3 Ruairidh Johnstone, Park, 7 pts.

Under 9 Boys: 1 George Balkeen, Lochgilphead, 20 pts; 2 Luke MacVicar, Tighnabruaich, 12.5 pts; 3 Ciaran Johnstone, Park, 8 pts

Under 11 Boys: 1 Roan MacVicar, Tighnabruaich, 16 pts; 2 Sam Gillespie, Lochgilphead, 12 pts; 3 Robert Kerr, Dalintober, 11 pts.

Under 13 Boys: 1 Lewis Gilchrist, Campbeltown, 16.5 pts; 2 Ruairidh Campbell, Campbeltown, 14.5 pts; 3 Murray MacDonald, Lochgilphead, 12 pts

Under 15 Boys: 1 Finlay MacLean, Oban HS, 9 pts; 2 Ewan Ferguson, Lochgilphead, 6 pts.

Under 17 Boys: 1 Jake Gillespie, Lochgilphead, 8 pts; 2 Shaun Doy, Lochgilphead, 7 pts



Under 11 high jumper Ruby Dunlop from Ardrishaig.

08_a35MidArgyllAthletics12

This is YOUR paper...

Send your photos and stories to editor@argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk

Shinty round-up

Glasgow Mid Argyll Bute	1
Marine Harvest South Division Two	1

The Glasgow Mid Argyll second team and the Bute second team drew 1-1 at Yoker.

Former Skye Camanachd player John Angus Gillies gave GMA the lead four minutes into the second half.

However, Bute travelled with a strong squad and Ryan Craig's goal 10 minutes from time ensured a deserved share of the points.

Bullough Cup Final – preview

Lochside Rovers and the Kyles Athletic second team contest what should be an exciting Bullough Cup Final at Strachurmore on Saturday September 8.

The sides are also challenging for the Marine Harvest South Division 1 title and Lochside were 1-0 winners in their recent league game at Tighnabruaich and they also beat Kyles 5-0 in this year's Sutherland Cup. But Kyles have been very consistent over the season and they currently top the league.

The Bullough Cup was the only trophy to evade Lochside boss Gareth Evans last season, losing to Inveraray in the semi-finals.

After getting a first round bye, Lochside beat Glasgow Mid Argyll and Glenorchy on their way to the final.

Kyles also received a first round bye before getting a quarter-final walk-over when SCOTS Camanachd were unable to raise a team. Kyles went on to see off Strachur in the last four of the competition.

Lochside's Connor Howe is an injury doubt as he nurses a hamstring problem whilst youngster Lennon Campbell is suspended.

Kyles Athletic will look to Brandon Wilson and Luke Thornton to be amongst the goals whilst youngster Jack Whyte is one for the future.

Throw up is at 3pm and Graham Fisher is the match official.



Last year's winning captain Inveraray's Allan Cameron.
06_a32shintybullough06

Mini Rugby players kick off season at Mull Festival

Mini Rugby players from Oban Lorne, Mid Argyll and Etive Vikings along with hosts Isle of Mull RFC kicked off the 2018/2019 Mini Rugby Dalriada season on Saturday September 1 at Garmony.

The festival was the first of this season's Dalriada festivals that involve rugby clubs throughout Argyll along with Highland visitors Lochaber RFC from Fort William.

Saturday's festival attracted a great turnout of players, parents and supporters with some fantastic rugby on show from all of the teams in attendance.

The scores from Saturday were as follows: P4/5 - Etive Vikings 4-3 Oban Lorne; Isle of Mull 5-6 Mid Argyll; Oban Lorne B 0-5 Etive Vikings; Oban Lorne 6-4 Isle of Mull; Isle of Mull 5-3 Oban Lorne B; Mid Argyll 1-4 Oban Lorne; Mid Argyll 5-5 Oban Lorne B; Isle

of Mull 1-5 Etive Vikings; Etive Viking 5-3 Mid Argyll; Oban Lorne 5-1 Oban Lorne B.

P6/7 - Oban Lorne 7-5 Oban Lorne B; Etive Vikings 6-5 Mid Argyll; Isle of Mull 6-8 Etive Vikings; Mid Argyll 6-3 Oban Lorne B; Mid Argyll 2-7 Oban Lorne; Isle of Mull 7-7 Oban Lorne B; Oban Lorne 6-5 Isle of Mull; Oban Lorne B 1-6 Etive Vikings; Isle of Mull 4-7 Mid Argyll; Etive Viking 7-5 Oban Lorne.

This season mini rugby clubs across the country will be trialling Scottish Rugby's new law variations that look to promote a faster, more skilful and enjoyable game. The new trails were used in Saturday's festival with fantastic results given the large number of tries awarded.

Mid Argyll RFC host the next festival on Saturday September 8 at the Ropework Park in Lochgilphead from noon.

Scottish Amateur FL results and fixtures

Last Saturday's results: Scottish Amateur Cup, first round - Gartcosh United 2, Oban Saints 3; Dunoon 2, Stewarton United 4; Campbeltown Pupils v Winlinton Wolves, unfulfilled; Southside 4, Lochgilphead Red Star 4; Ardencaple 2, Tarbert 1.

This Saturday's fixtures: Scottish Cup replay - Lochgilphead Red Star v Southside; Premier Division - North Glasgow Colts v Oban Saints; St Joseph's v Dunoon; Premier Division One - Campbeltown Pupils v FC Argyll; Premier Division Two - Tarbert v Villa Park.

SPOT THE BALL

THIS WEEK'S JACKPOT £3300

We have removed the football from the photograph opposite. Now look carefully at the position of the players and use your skill and judgement to place a cross at the exact point where you think the centre of the ball was. You may have a maximum of 10 attempts on this coupon at a cost of £1.

If you wish to have more attempts, you must enter on separate coupons.

The game starts with a jackpot of £250 and will increase by £50 per week until it is won outright. To win the jackpot, the centre of your cross must be in the exact centre of the ball. If the crosses overlap the entry will be void.

If no correct entry is received, two 'near miss' prizes of £25 will be awarded. When the jackpot is won, no other prizes will be awarded that week.

Easy to enter

Cut out your completed coupon and put your entry plus £1 per 10 attempts into a sealed envelope and post it to reach "Spot the Ball" Competition, The Campbeltown Courier, Courier Centre, Main & Longrow South, Campbeltown, Argyll PA28 6AE by 4pm on Tuesday. No refunds will be given for entries received after the deadline. You may hand it into The Courier Centre, Main & Longrow South, Campbeltown by the same time. Otherwise all entries must be posted.

Competition rules

No responsibility will be accepted for entries which are delayed, mislaid or lost, and proof of posting cannot be accepted as proof of delivery.

The company's decision will be final on all matters relating to the competition and no correspondence will be entered into. The final decision rests with the Company.

In the event of more than one correct entry, the jackpot will be shared equally between all winning entries. Any decision regarding the awarding of a prize is entirely at the discretion of the Company. The Company reserves the right to declare the competition null and void at any time, subject to its discretion and to make full refund of the price of the coupon to any person who has entered the competition at that time.

Employees of The Oban Times Limited, their immediate relatives and any persons otherwise connected with the competition are ineligible to enter.



Please remember to enclose £1 for 10 crosses. The maximum number of attempts on this coupon is 10, but you may enter on separate coupons as many times as you wish. No photocopies allowed. You agree to abide by the rules. How to enter: Mark your crosses using a ballpoint pen. Ten crosses may be put on this coupon for £1. Crosses must not overlap. Send to 'Spot the Ball' Competition, Campbeltown Courier, Courier Centre, Main & Longrow South, Campbeltown, Argyll PA28 6AE

Name

Address

Tel No.

Please tape your £1 coin here (only if posting)

LAST WEEK'S BALL WAS HERE...



This week's nearest the ball winners, who each receive £25 are:
W Park Meadowpark, Campbeltown
P Wilson Meadows Avenue, Campbeltown



INSIDE THIS WEEK:
 Mid Argyll Athletics Club holds an open sports day

Rocky start for Mid Argyll RFC in first round of schools cup

The team scheduled to play Mid Argyll Rugby Club's under 16s in the first round of the Scottish Schools Cup pulled out on the morning of the game – but local school pupils saved the day.

Duncanrig School should have played the Mid Argyll youngsters at Lochgilphead Joint Campus, but cancelled



Charlie Maxwell-MacDonald. 08_a36rugby07

at the last minute. A team made up of Lochgilphead High, Tarbert Academy, Campbeltown Grammar and Islay high schools was quickly formed to play as South Argyll Schools (SAS) for this cup competition.

Coach Lee Buckley said: 'As the Islay school boys were already on the ferry over for the fixture, we decided to play a development game between the 22 SAS squad members at the joint campus.

'Everyone put in an amazing effort and this session could be key when the team plays Marr College in the second round of the cup.'

The team also struggled to find a pitch to play another home game on recently as there are no suitable rugby pitches in Mid Argyll.

But Kilmory Shinty club



Ewan McArthur with the ball being chased by James Campbell, Nick Weatherhogg and Archie McColl-Smith. 08_a36rugby05

agreed to let the team use their field, which Mid Argyll RFC thanked them for.

Mid Argyll RFC's second round of the Scottish Schools Cup will be on Monday September 10 in Troon.

Sports club lotteries

Tarbert Football Club's lottery numbers were 12, 18 and 20.

The £1,000 jackpot was split between Margaret Barclay, Jo Maccuish and Alastair Kernachan, so next week's prize will be £100.

Also drawn on Monday, Kilmory Camanachd

Club's lottery numbers were 5, 6 and 8. There were no winners so next week's jackpot will be £400.

Inveraray Shinty Club's lottery numbers were 2, 10 and 17.

No-one won the £100 jackpot so next week's prize will be £200.

Red Star 2004s dominate Ardencaple

Red Star 2004s faced an early start on Sunday September 2 when they headed to Helensburgh for a 10am kick-off against Ardencaple in a league cup group game.

The Lochgilphead youngsters dominated possession from the start. They played nice football and created chances but struggled to get the ball in the net. Eventually a goal came to give Star a 1-0 lead at half time.

The second half continued in a similar vein to the first, although the goals came more easily with the Lochgilphead boys scoring a further five goals whilst Ardencaple managed a consolation goal.

The game ended 6-1 in favour of the Red Star youths with four goals from Keiran Caskie, one from Conner McMurchy and a goal directly from a free kick by Craig Aitken.

The boys are still waiting on details of their next Glasgow League games but face Ferguslie Star Youths from Paisley in the first round of the Scottish Cup at the Astro on Sunday September 16, kick-off 1pm.

Star battle back to force cup replay

Lochgilphead Red Star	4
Southside	4
Scottish Amateur Cup	

Red Star secured a replay in Lochgilphead in the first round of the Scottish Amateur Cup after putting a shambolic first half against Southside AFC behind them on Saturday September 1.

The first half at Nethercraigs started well with the visitors getting a couple of early shots but Southside opened the

scoring after Star lost possession in the middle of the park. The forward found himself in space and beat Kalache to put the hosts ahead after 12 minutes.

Southside doubled their lead when Star once again failed to clear their lines.

Kalache stopped the initial effort but the ball fell to the following striker who netted for 2-0.

The home side looked to have the tie wrapped up

inside half an hour when they added a third, this time from 30 yards.

Thankfully Star grabbed a lifeline on the stroke of half time. Kyle Selfridge's long throw in was flicked over the keeper and into the net by Ben Forbes to put Star back into the contest at 3-1.

After some stern words at half time, Star went out knowing they had nothing to lose in the second half. The visitors came out with more

purpose in the second half and the match came alive when Innes Meikle fired his shot into the bottom corner to pull the Lochgilphead side to within a goal at 3-2 with half an hour still to play.

It wasn't long before Star levelled the contest after Kyle Selfridge delivered a long free kick. The bounce beat the Southside keeper and Ben Forbes levelled the tie at 3-3.

Although visibly rattled, Southside edged back in front

with 10 minutes remaining with a ball into the bottom corner to restore the lead at 4-3.

There was late drama, however, as captain Aaron Moore got on the end of a Ben Forbes cross to head the ball into the bottom corner to force a replay after a 4-4 draw.

The sides will meet again on Saturday September 8 at the Ropework with the game being played to a finish. Kick off 2pm.

This is YOUR paper...

Send your photos and stories to editor@argyllshireadvertiser.co.uk



NEWGROVE FURNITURE

38/46 LONGROW CAMPBELTOWN

Tel: 01586 554498

newgrovefurniture.co.uk

UNBEATABLE PRICES

Over **5,000** carpet and vinyl samples to chose from **BUY NOW pay nothing until Autumn 2019**

12 MONTHS FREE CREDIT

DELIVERING THROUGHOUT ARGYLL AND BEYOND