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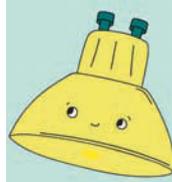
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# Kintyre restaurant scoops Scottish best in south-west

**Mark Davey**

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The proprietors of Campbeltown's Food for Thought toasted success when it was declared a Restaurant of the Year.

At a gala dinner in Glasgow's Crowne Plaza on Monday evening, Billy and Gillian Brodrick were stunned to beat central belt competition and take the Food Awards Scotland title for the south-west region.

Mr Brodrick, 48, the restaurant's chef, said: 'It was a real pleasure to receive the award. Two other couples on our table received awards in different categories, so we were stunned to find three winners at one table.'

Mrs Brodrick, who manages front of house, added: 'My heart was thumping really hard when we went up to collect the award in front of 350 other guests.'

'It is not just good for the restaurant,' said Mr Brodrick, 'it is great to put Campbeltown on the map for fabulous food.'

'It was a surprise to find we were in the finals in July.'

Mrs Brodrick added: 'I was really looking forward to attending the awards dinner but we were not expecting to win.'

'To win an award in our first year of trading is an amazing achievement.'

'My mum Jennifer Kelly and daughter Kelly Brodrick joined us at the awards dinner.'

Food for Thought, which opened on July 1 last year, beat eight other finalists in its category including last year's winner, Ayr's No 22 Bar and Grill and businesses from Lanark, Renfrew, Paisley, Motherwell and Shotts.

Neither of the Brodricks is aware of who made the nomination. They said that some of the other competitors had been asking patrons for nominations for months before.

To make the final award, an anonymous judge visits each restaurant.

A spokesperson from Food Awards Scotland organisers Oceanic Creative said: 'We were delighted to welcome such great finalists and winners at the Food Awards Scotland 2018 and celebrate the food industry with them.'

'These awards aimed to thank those who work hard in the Scottish food industry and contribute to making Scotland a great place to visit.'

'It is true that Scotland combines tastes and flavours from all over the world and our visitors can find different restaurants, gastro pubs and bistros.'

'These people enhance the country's reputation nationally and internationally, and we wanted to make sure that the hard work of Scottish food professionals doesn't go unnoticed.'

'It was lovely to be part of this celebration and we would like to congratulate all finalists and winners for their achievements.'

The awards supported Breast Cancer Care Scotland, a charity that provides support for anyone affected by breast cancer.

As the Brodricks began to text and post pictures on their Facebook page, just before midnight, following the award, there were more than 150 comments and many shares.

The last word should be left for one of Food for Thought's



Gillian and Billy Brodrick with their certificate on Wednesday morning. 25\_c34foodaward01

satisfied customers writing in the visitors' book.

Bern and Jeanette, from

Sydney, Australia, visited last month and said: 'Many, many thanks for your honest, pure

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**POLICE FILES** Sergeant Iain MacNicol**Hit and run**

A red Volkswagen Transporter van was hit by another vehicle, the driver of which failed to report the collision, between 11pm on Monday August 6 and 6am on Tuesday August 7, in Frederick Crescent, Port Ellen, Islay.

**Vehicle spray-painted**

Graffiti was sprayed on the side of a red van near The Roothing Garage, Campbeltown, between 8am on Thursday August 2 and 3pm on Friday August 3.

**Handbag theft**

A black leather handbag, containing cash, cards and a mobile phone, was stolen from the Victoria Hall, Campbeltown, between 12.05pm and 1am on Sunday August 12.

**Theft of tools**

A red Clarke generator and a blue Titan drill were stolen from Whitestone Farm, Saddell, between 5pm on Monday August 13 and Wednesday August 15.

**Abusive behaviour**

An 18-year-old man was arrested and charged after behaving in an abusive manner in Glenside, Campbeltown, at about 10.40pm on Thursday August 16.

**Vehicle seized**

A vehicle was seized and its 40-year-old female driver charged after it was stopped by police for a routine check at about 8.50am last Saturday on the A83 at Westport.

The vehicle, which had defective lights and an under-inflated tyre, had no insurance or MOT.

**Police are investigating the above incidents and are appealing for witnesses or anyone with information to contact them on 101 or anonymously through Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111.**

# MACC Challenge 2018 is cancelled

**Mark Davey**

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A watery fundraiser hailed as one of Kintyre's best has foundered before its fifth year.

The Machrihanish Airbase Community Company (MACC) Challenge, a Tough Mudder-style obstacle race, traditionally held in November, was conceived to raise funds for Kintyre Kidney Dialysis.

The event, which attracted about 190 participants last year, was developed by MACC marketing officer Claire McFadzean, working with James Murdoch and Elaine McGeachy.

Last year Fiona Irwin, of Wee Toon Warriors, took on the mantle of organising the MACC Challenge and created 10 extra obstacles.

In January, Ms Irwin announced a date change, to the middle of September,

which would have seen the Challenge taking place a week before the Campbeltown Highland Games.

There were also plans for a children's Mini-MACC Challenge and a Facebook post stated: 'After the fantastic success of our 2017 event we are very excited to announce our dates for 2018.'

'We are very aware of the saying "don't fix what ain't broken" but have decided to make a change to the dates this year.'

'We are also planning to expand this year by hosting two events.'

Last month a further post cancelled the event. Ms Irwin stated: 'I know this post will be met with great disappointment as last year's MACC Challenge was truly amazing. However, time constraints for myself and for other volunteers means I am unable to host MACC Challenge 2018.'

'Last year I relied heavily on a few volunteers and we were so short of people to marshal that the last wave marshalled all morning then went round the course.'

'MACC Challenge is a massive undertaking, the risk assessment alone for MACC

Challenge 2017 was 40 pages and requires a lot of time and effort from volunteers.'

'Nowadays we all lead such busy lives that we treasure our time off, being a part of a team, hosting an event such as this, means there is a lot of weekend and weeknight commitments.'

'I hope you all understand my apology, however I cannot give up so much of my time again this year.'

'Should you wish to help with future challenges phone the MACC office on 01586 551555 or enquiries@maccdl.co.uk to discuss.'

## Flower show's Carradale champion



Sandra Galbraith at Grianan with her two Ardrishaig trophies. 25\_c34roses01

Regal roses reaped a Carradale rosarian the top award at Ardrishaig Flower Show.

Sandra Galbraith is carrying the mantle for her late mother Grace, who passed away last year, and, after winning the Coronation Cup for roses last Friday, Sandra placed her bouquets on her mum's final resting place at Brackley cemetery.

Such is Sandra's love for the prickly flowers that she bought Grace's house and garden at Grianan – meaning a sunny house, adjoining her own plot.

Sandra, a nursing assistant at Lochgilphead, said: 'My heart is in the garden, there is half an acre, I cut the grass and grow the roses.'

Roses were not Sandra's only success. In addition, she took home the Archie J MacDonald Memorial Trophy for pansies.

Her green-fingered skill did not end there either and out of 17 entries Sandra won a total of 16 prizes.

For more on Ardrishaig flower show see page 52.

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# Demolition team razes old Grammar School

A building which was both reviled and held in affection by five generations of Campbeltown pupils has met its end.

During an in-service day, at the start of term last week, Campbeltown Grammar

School teacher Ron Wilson snapped some pictures as the wrecker's ball demolished the old school.

Another era started when staff and pupils moved into the new building on Wednesday February 21.



The final rooms are razed.



A view is revealed which has been hidden for at least 50 years.

## Ex-Rangers stars' Q and A session

Football fans will tackle a pair of ex-Rangers stars at Campbeltown town hall tomorrow evening.

Earlier in the afternoon, Barry Ferguson MBE and Lee McCulloch will show off their skills, on the 3G, during the Jimmy Taylor Memorial Trophy, which kicks off at 3pm.

The pair are visiting the town as guests of Campbeltown Loyal Rangers Supporters Club which has virtually sold out the town hall talk.

## MS Society fundraiser

A coffee morning including raffle and home baking will raise funds for Campbeltown MS Society.

The Campbeltown town hall event runs from 10am to noon tomorrow.

The MS Society holds a regular programme of talks at the Community Education Centre on Tuesday afternoons.

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## Live music @ Picturehouse rock

Movies will make way for rock when bands blast out at the Wee Pictures.

For this fix of live rock head to Campbeltown Picture House (CPH) on Saturday September 22.

CPH manager Ellen Mainwood has teamed up with promoter Whisky Mac's Lewis Nelson.

Nelson's line-up features Marc Rooney, the songwriter behind Scottish Album of the Year (SAYaward) long listed Pronto Mama's Any Joy.

Vocalist/guitarist Marc Rooney is bringing his Glasgow Coma Scale solo show to the gig.

Marc said: 'It's fantastic to be nominated for the album of the year and I never miss a chance to get down to Campbeltown.'

Marc will be joined by Under Smoke featuring Campbeltown trio Sam McPhee and Craig Nelson on guitars and vocals, with the infamous Andrew Black battering out the drums fresh from their MOK Fest Comm show. There will be some special flavouring with a dose of acoustics from Matt Spicer and Hope Strang.

Doors open at 8pm and tickets are available from CPH or online at [www.campbeltownpicturehouse.co.uk/movies/live-music/](http://www.campbeltownpicturehouse.co.uk/movies/live-music/)



Marc Rooney, centre, playing with Pronto Mama at the 2017 Kintyre Songwriters' Festival. 50\_c34cphmusic01



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# Whisky distilling re-opens the door to old courthouse

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A derelict building, where criminals were condemned for alcohol-related offences, has been saved through a distilling connection.

Campbeltown's Old Courthouse is to receive a make-over by new owner Kilkerran Developments Ltd.

The B-listed building has been unoccupied for many years and it is hoped that this rejuvenation will create a bright future for the property.

The newly-formed development company Kilkerran Developments Ltd was set-up by Springbank's parent company director, Hedley Wright, of J. & A. Mitchell and Company, Limited.

It is unknown what the future may hold for the Old Courthouse however, it is thought that the whisky trade will almost certainly be at the

centre of the building's new direction.

Argyll and Bute Council's policy lead for economic development, Councillor Aileen Morton, said: "The Old Courthouse has lain derelict for a long time and a number of unsuccessful efforts to secure its future have been launched.

"This is a huge step towards bringing this historic building back into use and we're very pleased to have helped with the change of ownership.

"There is still a long road ahead, but it will be great to see Kilkerran Developments come up with something that will be a real attraction for Campbeltown."

An investment of £2.2million to boost Campbeltown's historic town centre was launched in 2015 and runs until 2020.

The CARS (Conservation



Area Regeneration Scheme) follows on from an earlier CARS, which ran from 2007 to 2012, and the Townscape Heritage Initiative, in operation from 2009 to 2015.

A spokesman for Kilkerran Developments Ltd added: "The most important step in securing the building for the future is to secure the building itself.

"There is a lot of work to be done externally before we can even begin to work on the inside of the building and as such that will be the focus for the immediate future.

"Work has already commenced on clearing some of the debris from the courtyard so that we can then establish the next steps necessary."

**An aerial view into the rear of the Old Courthouse showing the extent of the dilapidation.**

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## Funding for MACC seawater pipe plan

Council cash will half fund research for a seawater intake pipe pumping system at Machrihanish Airbase Community Company (MACC).

The plan is that it may eventually serve a new aquaculture hub at MACC.

Argyll and Bute Council will give £25,000 to the study with a further £25,000 coming from Highlands and Islands Enterprise (HIE).

It comes almost a year after news leaked out about the failure of the much hyped Niri, on land system, in the Gaydon hanger, served with water from a borehole.

A report provided to councillors, at last Thursday's pol-

icy and resources committee meeting, outlined how developing a state of the art land-based aquaculture innovation hub at Machrihanish Airbase Community Company (MACC) may lead to further development.

### Improve

It is thought a variety of small business and research units may grow up around the site with the potential to improve employment and further investment opportunities.

Stirling University, which has its Marine Environmental Research Laboratory at Lossit Point, Machrihanish, has recently opened discussions between MACC, HIE and

Argyll and Bute Council on the development of the system.

Stirling researchers see it as a critical first step in the development of an aquaculture hub.

Following the committee's approval Councillor Aileen Morton, policy lead for economic development, said: "It is a key priority of this council to attract investment in Argyll and Bute.

"The development of an aquaculture hub at MACC is exactly the kind of thing that we believe can set us apart from other parts of Scotland.

"This feasibility study will give a clearer picture of what is possible at the site."



The wrasse hatchery at Lossit Point pumps water a short distance from the Atlantic.

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# Campbeltown's Justice of the Peace Court news

## Provisional driver fined

A learner driver who drove without a qualified supervisor and without displaying 'L' plates has been fined.

Victoria Deavy, of 19 Mill Street, Campbeltown, aged 25, also drove without insurance on Dalaruan Street, Campbeltown, on May 1 this year.

JP Margaret McDowall fined Deavy £200 and imposed six penalty points.

## Careless driver fined

A driver who caused another car to swerve to avoid a collision has been fined.

Colin Leslie Oman, of Drumfin House, Castlehill, Campbeltown, aged 59, was travelling north on the A83, near Glenbarr, in a line of slow moving vehicles behind a tractor, on January 26 this year, when he attempted to overtake on a bend in the road.

Procurator fiscal depute Eoin McGinty told the court that Oman told police officers, who had observed the manoeuvre and stopped him, that he was 'just having a look'.

'He admitted that perhaps on a bend was not the place to do it,' added Mr McGinty.

Mrs McDowall fined him £150 and endorsed his licence with four penalty points.

## Careless crash driver fined

A Tarbert man who crashed his car and injured himself and his passenger has been fined.

Thomas Mulholland, 28, of 51 Eastfield, Tarbert, pleaded guilty by letter to driving without due care and attention and without consideration for other road users after he crashed on June 17 this year.

Mulholland, who had no previous convictions, had been travelling with one passenger on the A83, half a mile north of Tarbert, when he lost control going round a corner.

His car skidded across the road and flipped onto its side.

Mulholland suffered a broken rib and cuts in the incident while his passenger received a cut to the head which required stitches.

Procurator fiscal depute Eoin McGinty said: 'There weren't any witnesses but the manner of his driving was certainly lower than would be expected given the crash that occurred.'

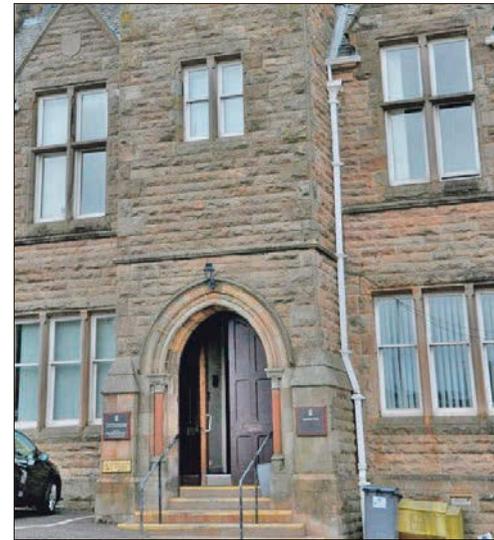
Mrs McDowall imposed a £250 fine and four penalty points.

## Speeding motorist fined

A man who drove 20 miles per hour above the speed limit through a Kintyre village has been

fined. John Jacob McNab, 23, of 30 Strathore Road, Thornton, Kirkcaldy, drove a van on the A83 through Muasdale at 60 miles per hour, in excess of the 40 miles per hour speed limit, on July 2 this year.

Mrs McDowall fined him £150 and imposed three penalty points.



The Campbeltown Court building.

## Police warn against iTunes scammers

Police are urging members of the public to be vigilant after an elderly Oban woman was duped out of hundreds of pounds in an iTunes scam.

The woman believed she was in an online relationship for several months with a man abroad who asked her to buy him iTunes gift cards and send him the codes from the cards.

An alert shop assistant was suspicious about the high value of the iTunes gift cards purchased and contacted police.

A similar scam is where victims receive calls or emails informing them that they have a HMRC tax bill that requires to be paid urgently. They are told that to collect the money, they must buy some iTunes or other gift vouchers and pass the codes on.

Sergeant Iain MacNicol of Lochgilphead Police Station said: 'I would urge people not to trust anyone who asks you to buy an iTunes gift card/voucher for them or to pass them the number from a card/voucher.'

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19 year old Ellie-May Bovill has spent the last two years studying HND Agriculture with Argyll College. "I don't have a farming background at all, dad was a lorry driver and mum managed a shop. I loved animals and being outdoors so started helping out on a neighbour's farm. I've now got a 5 year lease on Forestry Commission land through a scheme for young farmers, and have a flock of 40 sheep. My goal in 5 years' time is to have 2-300 hectares and at least 200 sheep."

Her advice to anyone who'd like to get into farming "put your mind to it and go for it. I had a lot of people telling me not to go into farming, but I just ignored them."

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## Blooms battered as baking booms

There is concern about the future for Argyll flower shows.

Carradale ended many years ago, Tarbert finished in 2017 and this year Oban's only went ahead at the last minute and its future may be threatened.

Perhaps this year's inaugural produce section at Kintyre Agricultural Show could be expanded into a flower show.

The small screen seems obsessed with cookery and produce, the latest Bake Off is about to start but there is little apart from traditional gardening programmes to encourage flower showing.

There is much interest in horticulture with open gardens packed. Peninver's An Ceardach has been very popular this season. Cultivating the perfect bloom has never been more popular.

Flower arranging is proving popular and numbers are up at Campbeltown Flower Club. The biennial Mairi Semple flower festival saw more than 30 arrangements this summer, but this is not a flower show.

Currently Ardrishaig may be the sole surviving show although tomorrow's inaugural Grow and Show at Whitehouse gives some hope for the future.

## Gigha issues addressed

Sir,  
It was great to be back on Isle of Gigha for yet another successful surgery.

I heard directly from the hard-working Gigha ferry crew about the challenges facing the island.

I also spoke to business owners as well as many other locals during my visit.

Once again the lack of any proper bus/ferry transport link-up has been brought to my attention.

This is something I strongly agree with – if we are to encourage tourism and overall business growth on the island then joined-up transport links are a must.

Other issues mentioned included high road-side verges leading to roads being flooded, BT cabling not being properly buried and being left exposed at the side of roads, slow internet speed, poor mobile phone signal and many other issues.

There has been some good progress with road repairs as many of the potholes that I had reported to our council's roads department are now fixed, though there is still more that needs to be done.

Also some of the much needed and long overdue association housing repairs have taken place but only after much pressure from tenants and myself and even then the wait was unacceptably long.

The sight of more and more of our Union flags on display each time I visit Gigha is fantastic.

As I said after my previous Isle of Gigha sur-

gery I will work tirelessly to make sure Gigha and the rest of the Kintyre and Islands ward is not sidelined as it has been in the past.

**Councillor Alastair Redman,**  
Islay.

## Not the views of EKCC

Sir,  
In the latest issue of the Campbeltown Courier (August 17) under the heading 'Carradale fish farm concerns', your correspondent identifies himself as a member of East Kintyre Community Council (EKCC).

I must stress that your correspondent's views on the subject are not the views of EKCC, which is keen to promote employment in the area.

**Ronnie Brownie,**  
Carradale,  
Member of EKCC.

## Former RAF gunner's scripture talk

Sir,  
On Friday August 31, Kintyre Christian Fellowship will meet in Lorne and Lowland Church new hall.

On this occasion the guest speaker is John Surtees, a representative from SASRA, the Soldiers and Airmen Scripture Readers Association.

Mr Surtees will be explaining about the work they do and outreach they have to army personnel.

Do join us if you can, as everyone is most welcome.

The meeting begins at 7.30pm and you don't need to be a regular church-goer to come along and share in the evening.

**Moreen Moller,**  
Kintyre Christian Fellowship secretary,  
Clachan.

## Grieving for a cat

Sir,  
In the run-up to Grief Awareness Day on August 30, Cats Protection would like to let readers know that it offers a grief support service called Paws to Listen.

For many, losing a cat can be a very traumatic experience and there can be a lack of understanding from family and friends about how deeply the loss can impact on a person.

A survey carried out for Cats Protection earlier this month highlighted that 73 per cent of pet owners feel it can be as difficult and upsetting grieving for a pet as it is grieving for the loss of a person.

Cats Protection understands just how much a cat means and what owners may be going through if their pet is missing, has had to be re-homed, nearing the end of its life or has recently passed away.

Cats Protection has a large range of resources, information and support to help at this difficult time, including ways to celebrate the cat's life.

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**Stuart Sheppard,**  
Cats Protection.

## School governance reform

Sir,  
Deputy First Minister John Swinney is now requiring local authorities to devolve powers and budgets to local schools.

If councils do not respond within the next year, he has vowed to legislate for improved school governance across the country.

The fear of making mistakes has led to an unwillingness to experiment and a total absence of diversity to suit individual communities.

Council authorities have prevented head teachers and staff from running their schools and classes in their pupils' true interests.

Councils have failed to recognise the very significant contribution which broadly constituted and empowered school councils could make to the overall education system.

Schools have had little incentive to cut back wasteful expenditure.

The shortage of resources being allocated to education is of course partly to blame for the mess we are in, but it is by no means the whole

story. We have an ideal opportunity to introduce governance reforms so as to ensure that policies are shaped to local circumstances; otherwise we could all well end up with more direction from St Andrew's House.

Is it too much to hope that councillors and education officials in every education authority will play their part in restoring Scotland's state schools to their once iconic world status?

**Angus Tulloch,**  
Longniddry.

## From our Facebook: 'Beautiful and impressive' sunflowers

Last week's Courier feature about the row of sunflowers greeting drivers at Glencaigs Farm, just outside Campbeltown, received a good response from the paper's Facebook followers.

Below are some of their comments.

**Jane Wykes,** from Dunoon, said: 'Loved this on our arrival. Road trips don't get better than this, a real smiley flowery welcome. Well done, not easy to grow. Mine, just a few in the garden, still on their way. Slugs also love them. 50p a flower, priceless. Well done.'

**Carole Johnson** said: 'A beautiful and impressive sight. Makes me smile every time I pass.'

**Margaret Elizabeth Mackay** said: 'Well done. A beautiful sight to see, hope the idea catches on.'

**Janet Huie Cassidy** said: 'A lovely sight as you approach the Wee Toon. My friends living in the town weren't aware of them.'

**Jo Goudie** said: 'They brightened my day. More should be sown.'

**Mhairi Finch** said: 'Saw them in the field as we were coming into town last week, beautiful...'



The Glencaigs sunflowers. 50\_c33sunflowers04

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# FROM OUR FILES

## TEN YEARS AGO

Friday August 22, 2008

### Wee Gregor's a wonder

If ever there was a time when Kintyre needed some good news and fighting against unbelievable odds and winning it is right now.

And no one sums up that fighting spirit better than wee Gregor Craig, the earliest and lightest baby ever born at Campbeltown Hospital to survive.

Gregor, who was born at 1.55am on March 31, 2008, at the hospital's maternity unit, weighing just 1lb 14 1/2 oz, is now safely home, weighing 8lbs 1oz, after 17 weeks in the Queen Mother Hospital in Glasgow.



Wee Gregor, pictured in 2008 with his proud parents Martine and Keith Craig.

their premises will be on the site of the former Campbeltown sawmill which has been bought from Campbeltown Town Council.

One of the partners in the firm, Mr Malcolm McFadyen, told the Courier that to start with, two or three men would be employed and eventually they hoped to employ 10 or more.

Orders were already coming in for concrete products and it is hoped that Argyll builders, individuals, and local authority undertakings would support this local enterprise and at the same time save themselves transport costs and time, awaiting deliveries from elsewhere.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

Friday August 27, 1993

### Tenants' first Mull of Kintyre Music Festival

Pubs and venues around Campbeltown burst into life over the weekend, as locals and visitors revelled in the atmosphere of the first Tenants Mull of Kintyre Music Festival.

The three-day musical extravaganza was a resounding success – the streets hardly stopped echoing with the sounds of the performers from Friday onwards, and it would not be surprising to see Tenants thirsting to back any future event.

The main event of that day was the gathering in the Community Centre, which went down

a storm. Kelly's Heroes, The Jura Ceilidh Band and Brian Miller and Charlie Soane were among those winning over fans on the Friday.

Many rated this event extremely highly, and it was wondered if it could indeed be topped in many quarters.

However, the proceedings really came to the boil at the Victoria Hall on Saturday night.

Six hours of top-notch entertainment – for just £10 – was hard to knock, and the hall was packed for the occasion.

The star draw had to be Capercaillie, on a bill oozing talent.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO

Thursday August 22, 1968

### Haulage firm in new venture

The Campbeltown haulage and contracting firm of Archd. McFadyen and Sons is moving into a new field next week.

It is starting production of concrete products such as building blocks, paving slabs, kerbs, fence posts, and reconstituted stone.

The firm has set up a subsidiary company, Kinloch Precast, to handle this business and

## ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO

Saturday August 24, 1918

### Grand carnival in showfield

In aid of the Comforts Fund of the Queen Mary Guild a grand fete and sport were held on Saturday last in the showfield.

A most attractive list of events was announced, and this, combined with the fact that the carnival had been organised in the interests of the Kintyre men on naval and military service, brought out a crowd that was worthy of the occasion.

Unfortunately the weather, which from early morning had not been too promising, and which was showery throughout the day, broke down completely ere the finish of the sports; but notwithstanding the discomfiting conditions all the events were pulled off. A fancy dress cycle parade at 1.30 reminded the townspeople that something unusual was afoot.

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An oil painting canvas mystery unfolded at Clachan's annual art show.

The provenance of every work on show was well known to the organisers, except one, which had been donated to help boost restoration funds for the village hall.

The painting, in a battered gold coloured wood frame, titled Village in the

Valley, by H Shapiro, priced at £50, caused much debate.

It was decided that the village looked most like Glencoe and due to the absence of television aerials it must have been pre-1965.

The artist's identity opened another discussion, with Arthur Duff taking centre stage.

Had the best known 1960s Shapiro, singer Helen, performer of 1961 chart top-

pers, You Don't Know and Walkin' Back to Happiness, been a secret painter as well as pop and jazz singer and actress?

Had the young star, who at 16 gave the Beatles a support slot in 1963, taken a Highland break?

It all seemed a bit unlikely but could have made the painting a bit more valuable.

Clues to the painting's age lay in the method of stretching the canvas. It was nailed to the stretcher rather than the modern method of stapling. At some stage a further bar of yellowed wood had to be added to keep the canvas taut.

Further internet research revealed a painter known as H Shapiro, who was born in 1933. Helen was born in 1946.

Unfortunately for those hoping for a massive price tag, the H stands variously for Hermon or Herman.

A painting with a similar style, titled Loch Long,

appeared recently on eBay and was described as: 'Oil on canvas, possibly an early work by the artist Herman (Hermon) Shapiro.'

'It is hand signed, lower right, with "H. Shapiro" and dated '52 (1952).'

It was estimated at 90 euros and Mr Shapiro is included on the BBC - Your paintings website and has some work in the Welsh national gallery.

A large collection of Mr Shapiro's other work, mainly of life studies of a distinctly different style is for sale with a gallery, named Hatfield Hines in Norwich.

One of the partners at the gallery said they had bought the paintings. Despite having much biographical detail the partner claimed they had no way of contacting Mr Shapiro.

That gallery states that Mr Shapiro was born in London and is settled in Scotland, which fits Clachan's picture.

He studied at Camberwell School of Arts and Crafts from 1949-54 where he was apparently influenced by Bloch, Minton and Vaughan and was associated with the acclaimed Camberwell Group.

By the mid-1950s he had started teaching in South



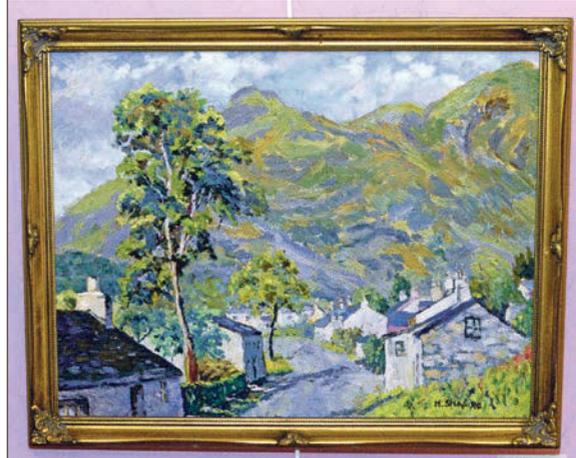
Arthur Duff displays the picture's framing.

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Wales schools and went on to lecture at Cardiff College of Art.

His paintings and sculpture are mostly based on

the female figure, more recently in a domestic environment. He also enjoys the open, figureless, landscape.



The painting Village in the Valley. 25\_c33clachanart17

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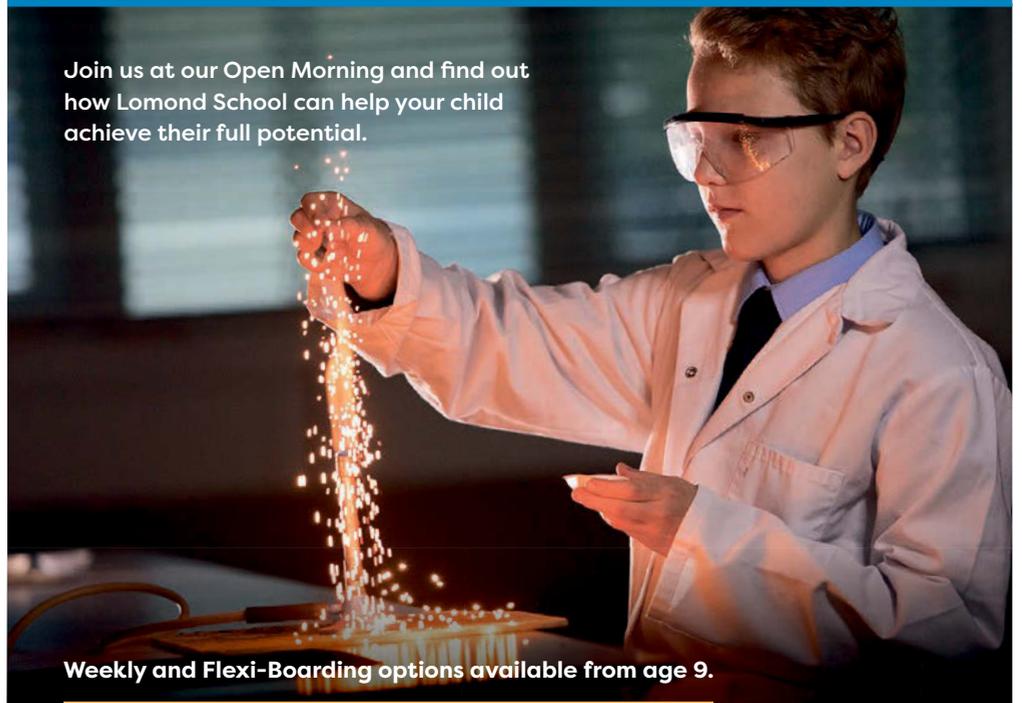
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# Big Bill's one week Land's End charity cycle

**Mark Davey**  
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A former Drumlemble primary pupil who first slung his leg over a cross bar this year begins an epic cycle trek on Sunday.

Building contractor William Neilson, 29, from Dunbeg, will ride the 737 miles from Lands End back to Oban for three Scottish charities: the Craighalbert Centre, the Beatson and Alzheimer Scotland.

The two-wheeled challenge has already collected more than £4,000 of a £5,000 goal on his gofundme page at: [www.gofundme.com/bigbillsbigcycle](http://www.gofundme.com/bigbillsbigcycle)

William plans to crack his challenge in just seven days after buying his first road bike earlier this year for the Oban Sportive.

William said: 'This year

instead of taking my annual leave to spend on a beach with family and friends, I will instead be taking it to start peddling my bike on my marathon journey.'

William came to Machrihanish, aged two, with his crofting dad, Billy Neilson, who is currently the crofting commissioner. William started school at Drumlemble and stayed there until P6.

The three charities are close to William's heart and were chosen in honour of various people in his life.

On his gofundme page William said: 'In 2017 my gran passed away after suffering from Alzheimer's disease. She lived in a nursing home for her own safety and well being.

'Going to visit her really opened my eyes to how this illness of the brain can rob

a person of their independence and their memories. After it affected our family I decided to raise money to donate towards Alzheimer Scotland funds.

'Today it is estimated that 90,000 people are living with dementia in Scotland.

'Alzheimer Scotland funds dementia nurses, dementia advisors, a 24-hour dementia helpline and the dementia research centre.'

William's sister-in-law Laura has cerebral palsy which influenced his second choice of charity.

William said: 'When Laura was growing up she went to a specialist school called the Craighalbert Centre.

'It provides educational and therapy services for children and young people throughout Scotland affected by cerebral palsy and other neurological conditions,

which result in disorders of learning, movement and communication.

'Laura really enjoyed her trips to this school which helped her education and also aided her development both mentally and physically.'

Also last year William's granny Jean, on his mother's side, was diagnosed with cancer.

She was admitted to the Beatson hospital in Glasgow.

William said: 'Thankfully, after her course of treatments there she was given the all clear early this year.

'I have been overwhelmed by the Argyll community support and sponsorship received.'



Cyclist  
William  
Neilson.

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# Lurchers lap up an Argyll cycling holiday

Words and photographs  
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Motorists may pause for thought when they spot a pair of hunting dogs and a family of bicycle tourists.

Rather than send their pets, three-year-old lurchers Zebedee and Wiggle, to kennels, the Bartholomew family, from Stratford-on-Avon, Warwickshire, have taken them on an Argyll cycling holiday.

Dad Jack Bartholomew celebrated his 51st birthday on the cycling-nuts family's first 33-mile day from Campbeltown to Kennacraig.

The two dogs, on leads, run and walk alongside Jack, his wife Rachel and sons Freddie, 11 and Harry, eight, as they pedal along.

After leaving Campbeltown's Argyll hotel just before 9am last Friday, by 10am they had conquered the first five miles, to Peninver and happily stopped at the village hall to speak to the Courier.

Despite the persistent drizzle, Harry and Freddie were in good spirits, as they spoke about their pets and Jack told of training long weekends in the Cotswold hills.

Jack said he reckoned the Cotswolds would be harder than the day's run on the B842 up the east side of Kintyre.

Jack added: 'We might be cycling but we will be eating posh nosh every day and plan to feed the dogs on fresh meat during the 10-day tour.'

'Lurchers would run forever if they had a deer in front of them.'

'This morning we tried plastic covers for their feet but have removed them as it seemed more of a hindrance.'

Having researched travelling to Scotland by train the Bartholomews found it simpler to drive to Ardrossan, park the car and take the ferry to Campbeltown.

Jack said: 'The Argyll hotel was described as dog friendly, but there was some consternation when we turned up on bikes with two lurchers.'

'Tonight we will be wild



Rachel, Harry, Freddie and Jack Bartholomew with their lurchers Zebedee and Wiggle. 25\_c34cyclists03

camping near Kennacraig as we aim to take the 7am ferry to Islay.'

After time on Islay the family intend to cycle the length of Jura before taking the Jura Passenger Ferry RIB to Tayvallich.

It will not be all cycling – the family were planning some fly fishing for brown trout, with a seven piece rod packed into one of the panniers.

Freddie said: 'We might be able to cook the fish on a driftwood fire on a beach.'

Each day one of the boys will take photographs for a log of the trip and Harry was keen to snap the Courier man in action.

Rachel added: 'Towards the end of the tour we intend to cycle round the Kilberry peninsula and if we are not too smelly have a slap-up dinner at the Kilberry Inn.'



The Bartholomew family and their lurchers travel up the B842 with Davaar island in the background. 25\_c34cyclists05

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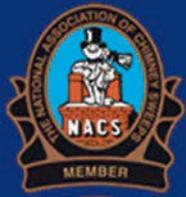
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# Top bands set for Inveraray festival

Mid Argyll's early autumn Best of the West Festival (Bowfest) has lined up some mighty music.

The Bowfest party, taking place in the grounds of Inveraray Castle from September 7 to 9, will close in style with Celtic rock giants and 2017 trad live band of the year Skipinnish.

There is plenty to come before though at the imposing, turreted castle on the shores

of Loch Fyne which provides a unique backdrop to the weekend festival, billed as mud-free and under cover.

Musical entertainment begins on the Campbell stage, on the Friday evening with Beinn Lee, a six-piece band from Uist, followed by New York-based Seven Nations playing their only UK gig and, finally, headliners Tide Lines. Throughout the weekend there will be an eclectic

mix of music to suit all tastes, including performances from popular west coast favourites Heron Valley, who are currently between US tours, Dr. Hip and the Blues Operation, and The Camans.

On the Loch Fyne Whisky stage, the mood will be more mellow with Project Smok, the Bar None Community Choir and The Coaltown Daisies.

Bringing their own Indian

twist to some classic songs, Glasgow-based Beatles tribute band The Bhangra Beatles will perform on Saturday.

Fresh from performing at Runrig's Last Dance on Saturday, Donnie Munro will bring some of the magic, experienced by more than 25,000 people in Stirling on Saturday, to the equally spectacular setting of Inveraray Castle next month.

Edinburgh indie/roots quartet Bwani Junction's take on Graceland, Paul Simon's hugely successful 1986 album on Sunday.

Eleanor, The Duchess of Argyll and Bowfest founder, said: 'This year's Bowfest will be fantastic with an enviable line-up of talented musicians, vocalists and bands.'

'The variety of music on offer is quite astounding and truly shows off the wealth of talent here in Scotland.'

# Grammar Lodge charity putting day

Golfers and non-players have clubbed together to make Grammar Lodge's charity putting day better than ever.

The fundraising event is next Sunday from noon until 4pm, on the Lodge's own putting green, at the former

schoolhouse, which Kirstin and Willie Ross converted to a guest house.

As well as prizes for the putting, there are some fabulous raffle prizes and all money raised will go to the Mairi Semple Fund.



Skipinnish playing at Billy and Yvonne Irving's wedding earlier this year. 25\_c13irving34



The doyenne of Scottish ladies' amateur golfing, Belle Robertson, at last year's Grammar Lodge competition. 25\_c33putting01



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# Supermarket colleagues Race for Life

Campbeltown supermarket workers, friends and a dog stepped out to raise charity cash on Westport Beach.

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The supermarket partners the national charity which fundraises for cancer research.

As three members of the 11 taking part were running the length of the beach, they were timed departing, at precisely 7.05pm, by organiser Jake Sanders.

On Monday Mr Sanders said that the event had raised more than £200.

## Golf charity challenge – 72 holes in a day

A pair of golfers teed off at 5.30am on the first of a 72-hole Machrihanish marathon.

Cameron (Cammy) McLennan and Gavin Brown completed the mammoth four rounds in one day challenge at Machrihanish Golf Club last Sunday.

Mr Brown said: We teed off in what can only be described as “still night time” and finished the marathon, quite literally if you look at the

figures in the photograph at about 7pm.

‘So far we have raised more than £1,000 for Cancer Research UK with donations still being received.

‘We wouldn’t have been able to do this without the support of Machrihanish Golf Club, Jennie and Anthony in the pro shop, and Ewen and Ian at Machrihanish Holiday Park, not to mention all the kind people out there who have sponsored us.’

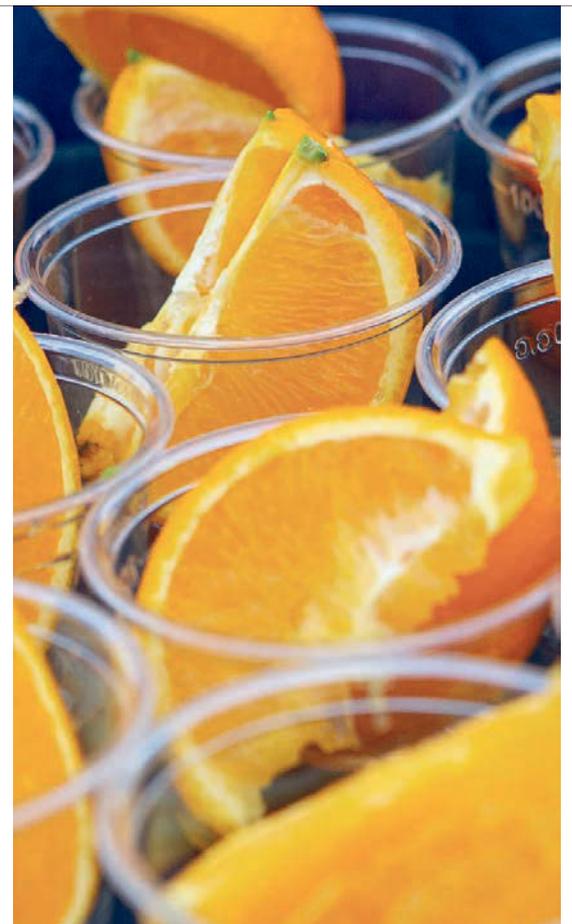


Gavin Brown and Cammy McLennan on the 72nd green with sore feet and a cold beer plus a graphic from Fitbit of the stats for the day.

The sponsored walkers and runners at 7.05pm on Westport Beach. 25\_c34sponsored01



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With an August 30 deadline, organisers, including NHS Scotland and the Scottish Government, are urging people across



Nurses Elsie and Mairi go to war.

the country to make their choices.

As the NHS celebrates its 70th anniversary, there is never been a better time to pay tribute to NHS Scotland staff, support workers, volunteers and specialist teams.

Every year, thousands of Scots owe their wellbeing and even their lives to the commitment and passion of healthcare professionals whose extraordinary efforts often go unrecognised.

Patients, their families, work colleagues and members of the public have the chance to help them get the recognition they rightly deserve at the 17th annual awards this November.

There are 17 award categories: Support worker sponsored by UNISON Scotland; innovation for an individual, a group or

a team developing ways to improve the quality of healthcare; volunteers; optometrist, sponsored by Optometry Scotland; midwife, sponsored by the Royal College of Midwives; therapist; care for long-term illness; young achiever: for an individual aged 30 years or younger on November 1 2018; unsung hero, sponsored by GSK; care for mental health, sponsored by Healthcare Improvement Scotland; integrated care for older people; healthier lifestyle; leader of the year, sponsored by NHS Education for Scotland; dentist; nurse, sponsored by Unison Greater Glasgow and Clyde; doctor sponsored by BMA; top team sponsored by Unison Lothian.

To nominate, go to [www.scottishhealthawards.com](http://www.scottishhealthawards.com).

# Nursery's outdoor play recognised

Campbeltown Nursery Centre has been shortlisted for a national Play More award.

Play More was set up to help deserving nurseries improve their outdoor play areas with financial support or murals.

It is an initiative which was set up by nappy cream manufacturers Sudocrem to encourage parents and children to get back in touch with nature and explore the

greatest playground on earth—the outdoors. As part of the campaign a survey asked 200 children, between the ages of four and eight years old, to identify some of the creepy crawlies in Britain.

The survey revealed that nine out of 10 children were unable to recognise a butterfly even though there is an abundance of native British insects, with around 27,000

insect species calling the UK home.

Moreover, 51 per cent did not know what a bumblebee looks like. And, surprisingly, one in three did not realise that bees make honey.

As part of the campaign, Play More asks parents to nominate a deserving nursery and Campbeltown Nursery Centre has been shortlisted to receive support for their outdoor play area.

One parent who nominated the nursery said: 'This nursery should win because they work so hard to give the best environment possible for the children. They encourage the children to be outside in all weathers and give them the support to take risks through play.'

'They are constantly trying to raise funds to continue to develop the outside area.'

'However as we are a rural area – there is only so much you can ask of the local community.'



Outdoor play at Campbeltown Nursery Centre. 20\_c15nursery04

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# New principal sponsor for Scottish Rural Awards

## Last year's event drew more than 250 nominees

The Scottish Rural Awards are delighted to confirm the Royal Highland and Agricultural Society of Scotland (RHASS) as headline sponsor for 2019.

RHASS, which has been a patron of the Scottish Rural Awards since early 2016, will work with the awards' founding partners – Scottish Field magazine and the Scottish Countryside Alliance – to deliver the awards, the ultimate benchmark of success in rural Scotland.

Principally known for its flagship event, the Royal Highland Show, RHASS was established in 1784 to promote the trade, agriculture, poetry, language and music of the Highlands and Islands of Scotland.

In addition to recognising skills, achievement, innovation and excellence through a

series of awards and grants, the society has a strong educational role in promoting all aspects of rural life in Scotland, including agriculture, horticulture and forestry.

The RHASS will be sponsoring the Rural Enterprise and Innovation Category for the 2019 awards.

Alan Laidlaw said: 'The Rural Awards are now well established in the events calendar and represent an excellent opportunity to highlight, showcase and celebrate all the great work, and innovation taking place, in rural Scotland.'

'I encourage anyone that knows either a well-established or newly founded business to nominate them for the 2019 awards.'

A set of 13 categories are open for nominations,

including the coveted Rural Hero award, which recognises those whose contributions to their rural communities have gone above and beyond the call of duty.

Last year's awards drew more than 250 nominees from across the country, with previous award-winners including Glenwyvis Distillery, Wild Hearth Bakery and Xanthella.

Nominations for the 2019 Scottish Rural Awards are now open, with businesses across Scotland's countryside encouraged to get involved.

The full list of awards categories and criteria, along with nomination forms, are available from the Scottish Rural Awards website – [www.scottishruralawards.org](http://www.scottishruralawards.org). There is no cost associated with making a nomination.

## Songwriters Festival picks future stars

A spring music festival has proved it is the place to see up-and-coming Scottish acts.

In the past five years Kintyre Songwriters Festival (KSF) has showcased an amazing five of the 20 nominees for this year's Scottish Album of the Year Award.

Pronto Mama, who headlined in 2017, Martha Ffion the 2016 headliner, Outlines,

featuring Kathryn Joseph, who headlined in 2015, Siobhan Wilson and Best Girl Athlete, who both performed in 2014, have all reached the final stages of the prestigious national competition run by Creative Scotland.

KSF organiser, Mark Johnson of Campbeltown band Twisted Melons, said: 'We have had some incredible performances over the years from Scott Hutchison of Frightened Rabbit playing completely acoustically through to Roddy Woomble of Idlewild prompting a mass singalong this year.'

'The festival is especially known for supporting up-and-coming female talent.'

'The fact that so many have gone on to national success so quickly shows that Kintyre is capable of attracting the best of the best.'

Pronto Mama's Marc Rooney appears at Campbeltown Picture House on September 22. For further details, turn to page three.



2016 KSF headliner  
Martha Ffion.

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# Walk with the Courier: Knock



Climbing out of the 'U' shaped valley with Davaar island and Ailsa Craig just visible in the haze. 25\_c34courierwalk16

## Words and photographs Mark Davey

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Steep on all sides, Knock Scalbert hill occupies a commanding position about two miles from Campbeltown.

It is easy to see why ancient peoples would have built a fort on top of its slopes, which dominate views north from shore-side in the town.

There are two relatively simple approaches to the hill, which gives its name to a Campbeltown Grammar School house.

The approaches can be combined, for an approximately three-and-a-half hour hill walk from Campbeltown, which can be completed in either direction depending on the time of day and season.

The walk combines urban, man-made wild landscape and a remote summit with outstanding views to the Isles of Arran, Davaar and Ailsa Craig, as well as distance views into Campbeltown.

Taking the route anti-clockwise, late on an August Sunday afternoon, during the walk up High Askomil, mowers can be heard buzzing and

a few cars pass till the turning point, up the tarmac road, to the radio aerial.

Leaving the aerial, heading slightly west of north, a steep descent leads to a marshy valley, where a surprised deer headed away uphill.

Gorse and green ferns, just turning colour, cover the ground, interspersed with wild flowers, such as Grass of Parnassus, Parnasia Palustris.

Beyond a steep pull, taken initially on the right to the edge of a burn and across right leads back onto the ridge.

There are spectacular views in all directions except north where the summit slopes appear as a continuation of the ridge.

This is deceptive as there is a steep sided 'U' shaped valley with about a 75-foot drop before a re-ascent to the summit cone.

An Ordnance Survey trig marker crowns Knock Scalbert's highest point 216m (708ft) from which there are magnificent views in all directions.

Piles of stones seem to indicate the hill's previous role as

a fort but may be the remains of walls.

Below, two reservoirs, Aucha Lochy and Knockruan Loch are visible.

The route continues down the west ridge to a Landrover track which leads to the Balegreggan Scottish Water treatment works.

There is a stile in the fence just in front of the Aucha Lochy dam. Despite two days and a night of rain last week the water level remains well down.

The dam is crossed to reach the track to Whitehill farm, which is derelict, and on to the Ballywilline lane and the route's end at the A83 pavement.

In an emergency the simplest descent from the summit would be south-east, leading to a dip and due west to the Knocknan loch track and the Balegreggan waterworks.

No doubt hill runners will race up Knock Scalbert but stout boots, a waterproof, picnic and a drink would make for an enjoyable walk, plus a map and compass, and the ability to use them.

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# Scalbert fort



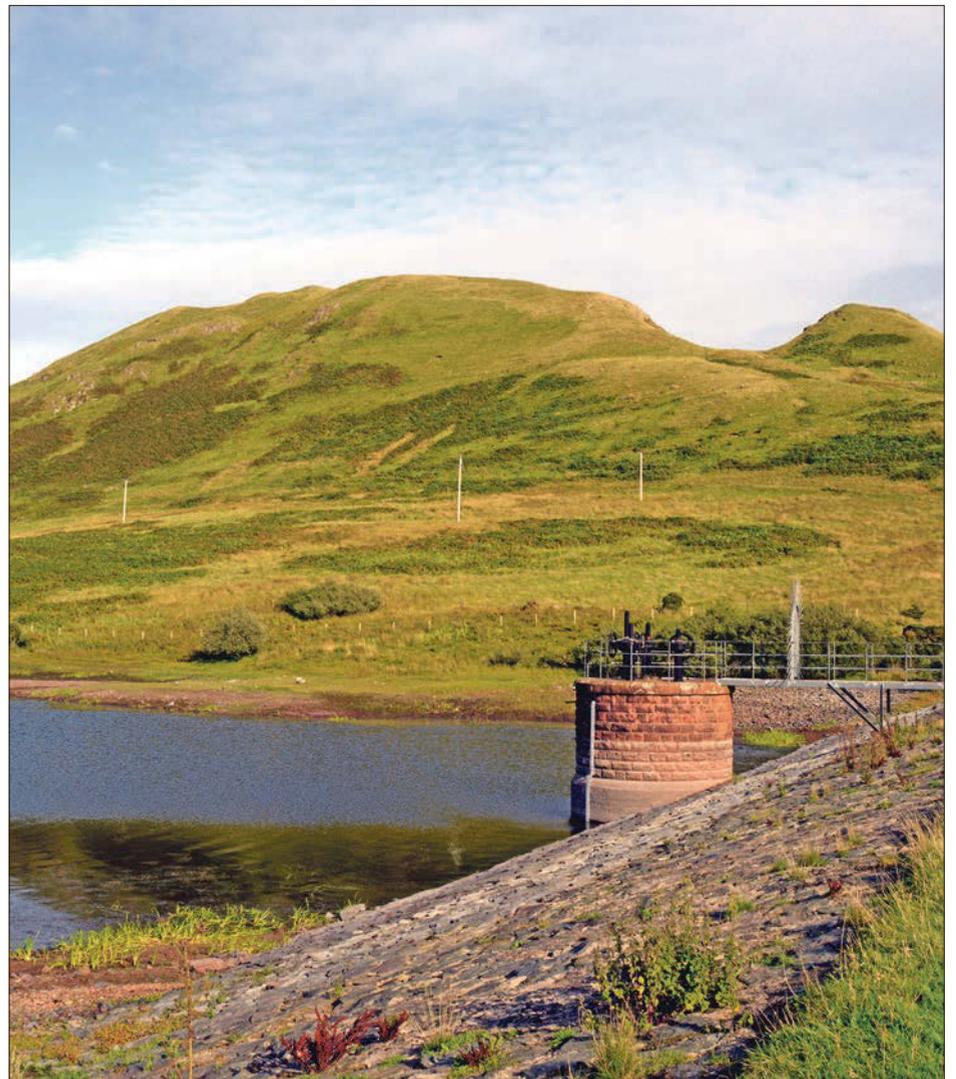
The view north east, from Knock Scalbert summit, across Kilbrannan Sound to the Arran mountains. 25\_c34courierwalk14



A spider, fly and flying ant were almost hidden in the splendour of this wood sorrel - Grass of Parnassus, Parnasia Palustris. 25\_c34courierwalk21



Seasonal fungi were liberally dotted on the ground. 25\_c34courierwalk15



Knock Scalbert 216m (708 ft) across Aucha Lochy reservoir. 25\_c34courierwalk04

## Award-winning building contractor at the heart of the community



Supporting the local community and taking care of its industrious workforce are two main priorities of a Kintyre contractor responsible for many prestigious Argyll building improvements. Family-orientated firm, McKinven and Colville Ltd, was established in Campbeltown in 1962, primarily offering joinery services, and has expanded greatly under its current owner, Barry Colville.

The contractor carries out all aspects of general building, renovation and refurbishment work including new builds, extensions, conversions, fitting windows, doors, bathrooms and kitchens, plus joinery, electrical, decoration and tiling work for commercial and domestic clients - everything from replacing a single pane of glass and fitting double glazing, to fixing locks and putting up shelves.

Barry said: 'We offer a range of trades within our company now, and would like to let existing and new clients know about our services, which also includes a 24/7 emergency call-out service to deal with any building emergencies.'

It is important to McKinven and Colville to trade locally whenever possible, from buying and servicing their vans in Campbeltown, to purchasing as much materials and equipment in Kintyre as they can, which in turn supports the local economy as well as employing local people.

'Although the company was created more than 50 years ago, we have moved with the times,' Barry added, 'Improving things like our environmental awareness, and work practices and methods is very important to us.'



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# Veteran takes Gone But Not Forgotten competition

A veteran golfer took the trophy in Dunaverty Golf Club's annual Gone But Not Forgotten competition.

The Heidbangers contest, created in 2006 and held in memory of the 15 members

who have passed away over the years, is sponsored by Robert Allan Jr.

First man out, John Nutt, compiled 20 points on the front nine but fell to 16 on the back nine finishing two

points clear of John Brown. Veteran Sandy Watson played a very canny game on the way out and scored an excellent 22 followed by 19 on the inward half to put him firmly in the lead.

Ken MacMillan racked up a very creditable 39 to occupy second place but was relegated to third by Danny Halliday, who is well known for his straight tee shots, playing in the last group and coming in with great score of 40.

An unusual end to the event had the participants engaging in a 'nearest the pin' at the 18th.

Pitching in from 100 yards, only three players found the green and John McDowall emerged the victor, winning a box of Srixon golf balls kindly donated by Mr Allan's mother Jean Kelly.

A club spokesperson said:



The Heidbangers before teeing off in this year's Gone But Not Forgotten competition.



Left to right: Danny Halliday, Sandy Watson, Robert Allan Jr and John McDowall.

'Thanks again to green-keepers David Scullion and Robert Irvine for having the course in superb condition.'

Result: 1 Sandy Watson	41, 2 Danny Halliday 40, 3	Ken MacMillan 39, 4 John McDowall 37, 5 John Nutt 36, 6 John Brown 35.
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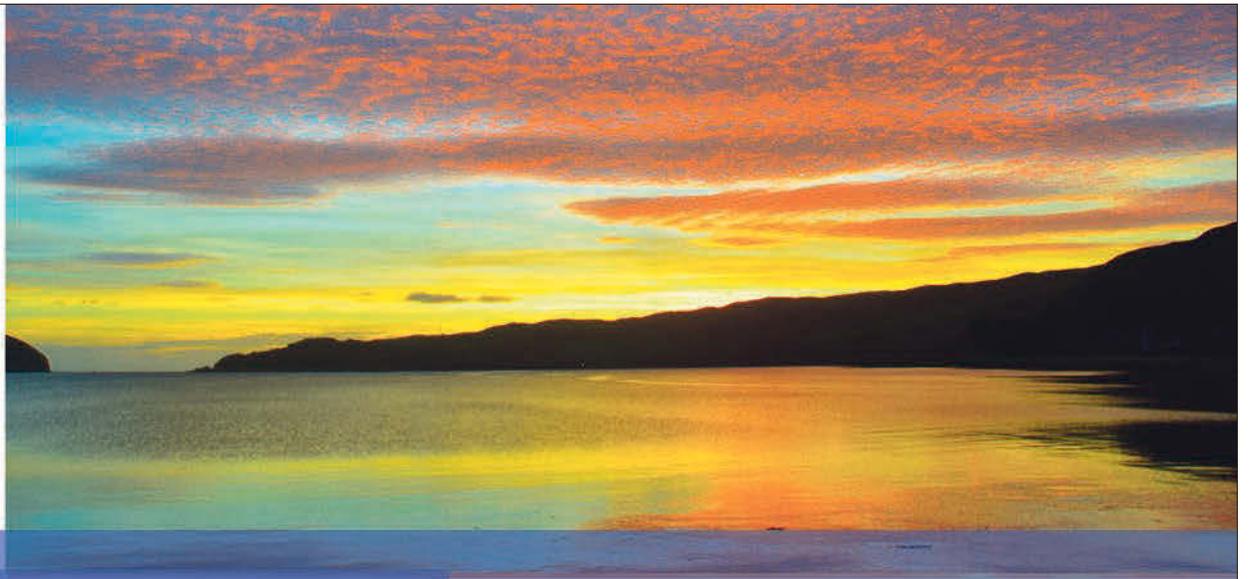
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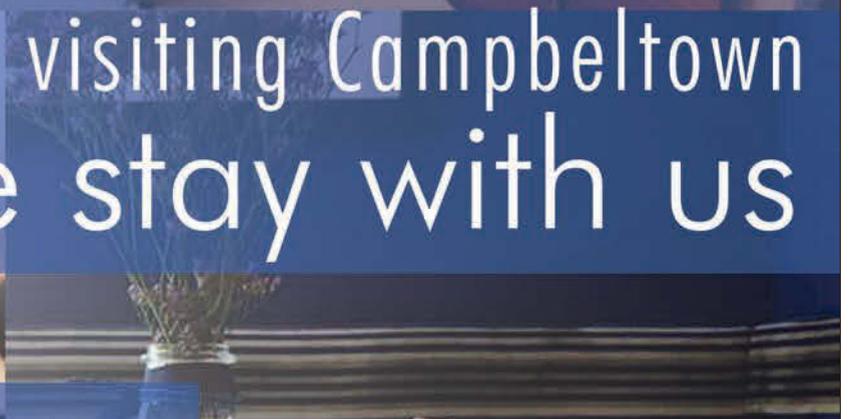


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# Would you like a side order of art and sculpture with your meal?



It's the Artmap Argyll Open Studios weekend and Tayvallich is brimming with wonderful artists – fill up on culture at the Tayvallich Inn!

Visitors to Tayvallich will have the chance to see some of Argyll's top artworks for free when the village's acclaimed artists open their studios to the public later this month. The Tayvallich Inn showcases local artist's work that adorn the walls of the restaurant and bar all year round, but this weekend, there is even more to discover.

The settlement sits amongst some of Scotland's most beautiful scenery, so it is no wonder creativity flows through the area - and now, as part of the Artmap Argyll project, visitors can tour the local studios and meet the artists who work there.

The project's Open Studios Event will run all over Argyll from the 24th to the 27th, before reopening on the 1st and 2nd of September. Artists across the region are opening their studio doors to promote local talents and ensure art is accessible to everyone with an interest.

A small fishing village with a population of fewer than 200 people, Tayvallich is nestled cosily in a small bay on the shores of Loch Sween. The village marks an ideal place to experience truly stunning Scottish artwork, with seven of Argyll's top artists living in the area.

Painters Caroline Hunter, Libby Anderson, Caroline Plummer, Susan Berry, Jane Smith, Lottie Goodlet (23) and sculptor Melanie Chmielewska will all be available to meet at their studios around Tayvallich during the Open Studio event, giving a fascinating insight into the lives and practices of rural Scottish artists.

With displays ranging from watercolours of swirling sea shores to intricately detailed stone carvings, the local talent is as diverse as it is impressive.

The Tayvallich Inn marks the obvious starting point of any tour of the studios. Situated right by the entrance to the village, it will also showcase art from all seven local artists, as well as work from a number of guest artists.

Not far from the Tayvallich Inn is painter Caroline Hunter's (4) studio. After growing up in Orkney, Caroline began painting in 1994. She won the James Torrance Prize from the Royal Glasgow Institute of the Fine Arts in 1999, just before moving to Argyll, and she has become well known for her seascapes and still life paintings.

A few hundred metres further inland sits the home and studio of Libby Anderson(25). A graduate of the Glasgow School of Art, portraiture has always been Libby's first love. She pursued her passion by painting passengers' portraits on cruise ships all around South America and the Caribbean. She has settled in Tayvallich, where she considers the surrounding landscape and islands a 'constant source of inspiration'.



Libby Anderson

Another artist now based in Tayvallich, Caroline Plummer (29) was born in Poland and still paints under her maiden name Wytrazek. She particularly enjoys painting flowers and has had some of her work turned



Caroline Plummer

into greetings cards, many of which are available from local shops. On painting in Argyll, she remembers: 'From my first visit to its rugged coastline, islands, and empty golden beaches with seapinks clinging to the rocks, it's wildlife and dramatic skies have drawn me in.'

Watercolour artist Susan Berry (30) is also drawn to the shore for inspiration. Her landscapes of brooding waters are lush with colour, as are her detailed paintings of the natural wildlife found around the coasts of Scotland.

Wildlife artist Jane Smith (27) also has a passion for capturing Scotland's native species in her art. She uses a painting technique called

screen printing to do so, and will be demonstrating the style to visitors during the Open Studio event.

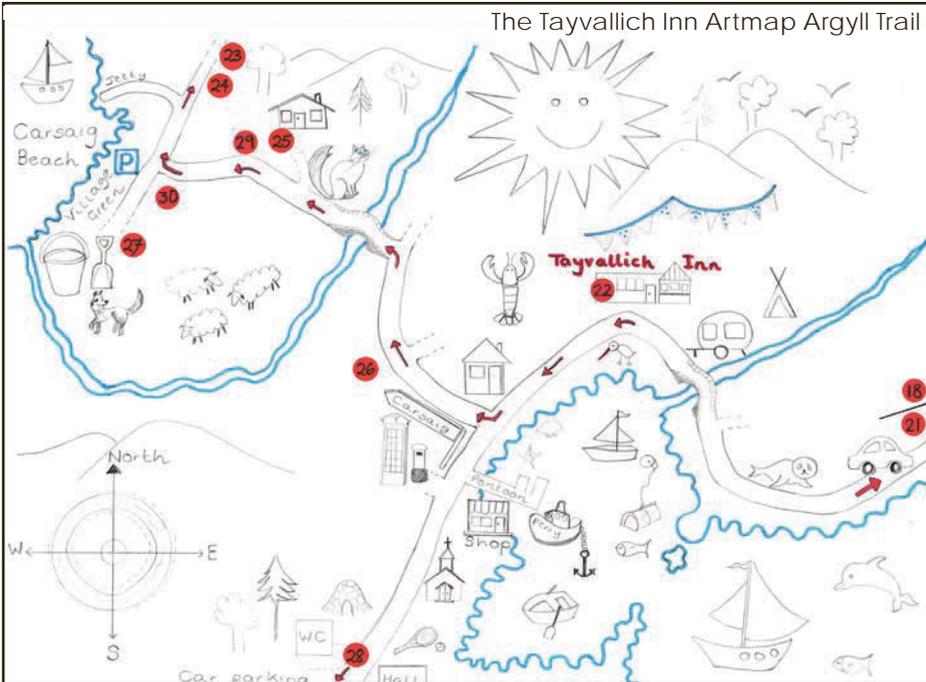
Argyll's natural beauty has been depicted not just on canvas, but also in stone carvings courtesy of sculptor Melanie Chmielewska (24). After studying in England, Melanie lived in Poland before moving to Scotland in 2005. Melanie has sculpted many people and animals from her base in Argyll, and explained, 'My approach to stone carving is very meditative. Carving has a quality which can transform a transient moment into an eternal one, where a sleeping child or a bird in flight can take on a symbolic meaning. I take great inspiration from the beauty and wildness of Argyll.'



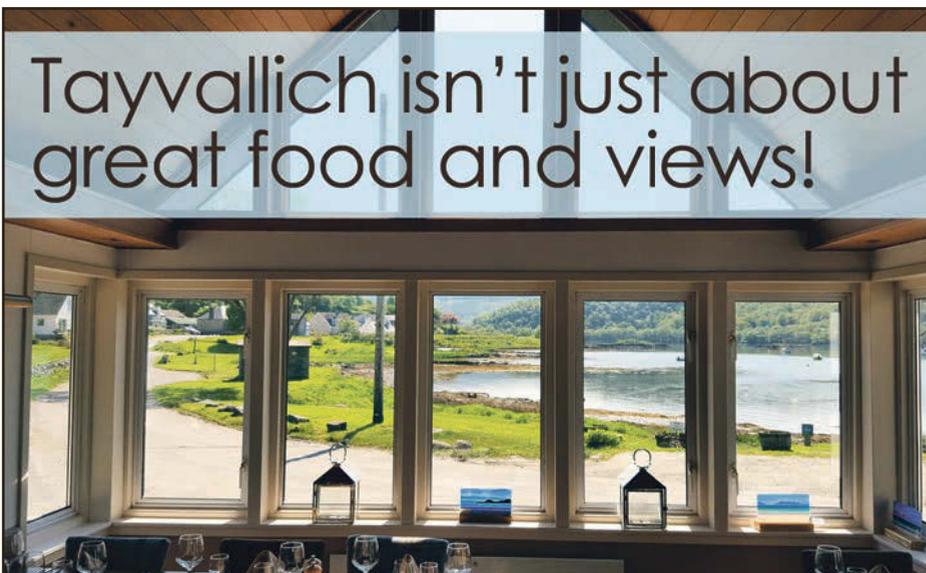
Lottie Goodlet

The Tayvallich Inn is also home to a wonderful exhibition of art from Catherine Blay, Kate Macdonald and Jill Stewart. Catherine of Highland Heads also has some of her wonderful sculptured stag and highland cow heads made from fabric and other materials on display at the Inn.

**The Tayvallich Inn really is the place to fill up on art and culture**



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## SUBARU SHOWS GROWTH BUCKING NEGATIVE INDUSTRY TRENDS

- Subaru new car sales show growth across first quarter of 2018 by 5.5 per cent
- Industry new car sales down by 12.4 per cent in first quarter of 2018
- Launch of all-new XV model in January 2018 proved successful for network
- Class leading safety credentials, accolades and fresh brand campaign aid in building brand trust and awareness

Subaru UK has shown growth in new cars sales across the first quarter of 2018, countering the negative industry new car sales trends as reported by the SMMT in March. With growth for the safety-focused SUV brand, Subaru UK shows positive progress in a competitive new car market which has

seen the manufacturer grow by 5.5 per cent compared to the first quarter of 2017. This shows a stark contrast to the industry as a whole, as sales fell by 12.4 per cent in the first quarter. Surpassing first quarter targets by 19 per cent, Subaru sales have been bolstered by the launch of the all-new XV model which accounted for

more than a third of Subaru sales overall in the quarter. The all-new XV, underpinned by the iconic boxer engine and symmetrical all wheel drive partnering, garnered success early on in the quarter, being awarded Best In Class Safest Small Family Car 2017 by Euro NCAP. The successes continued as the all-new XV received a high commendation from WhatCar? in the 'Safest Car Of 2018' segment of the annual awards, truly showing that Subaru is 'Better Where It Matters'. Chris Graham, managing director for Subaru UK, said: 'Subarus are about safety, reliability and capability at their core, which is what customers know and expect. We've invested a lot of time,

effort and resource into showcasing those core elements this year and it's great to see that our hard work is paying off. 'The new product is going down positively with customers, our loyal network is growing and thriving, and it's only the end of the first quarter. 2018 has already proved a successful year for Subaru UK and with exciting prospects still to come, we're delighted that we're out-performing the UK market in terms of growth in 2018 so far.' Subaru UK continues to push for growth throughout the remainder of 2018, a stance taken to revive the manufacturer's presence in the UK and build on brand awareness amongst customers.



Subaru UK is also benefiting from forward orders taken for the second quarter, a position the network have not experienced in 10 years or more. The brand also announced, earlier in April, the addition of four new appointments to the Subaru network, with sites based across the UK. 'Better Where It Matters'

is the guiding ethos for all Subaru models in the UK, with safety, capability and reliability at their core. Armed with a sturdy SUV line-up and the safest small family cars in Europe, Subaru is pushing against the UK new car sales trend. For more details on the Subaru range contact Argyll dealer S&S Services on 01292 880080

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# PEUGEOT 3008 SUV WINS GOLD IN CAR OF THE YEAR CATEGORY IN THE AUTO EXPRESS DRIVER POWER SURVEY

- **Peugeot 3008 SUV wins gold in overall Car of the Year category at the Auto Express 16th Driver Power 2018 awards with an overall satisfaction score of 93.88 per cent**
- **The Peugeot 3008 SUV was also awarded gold in the Mid-Size SUV category**
- **Peugeot 3008 SUV rated the highest across all vehicle classes in the 'exterior' category and 'safety feature' category**
- **These accolades mark the 45th award the Peugeot 3008 SUV has won globally since it was launched in late 2016**

The Peugeot 3008 SUV has added to its collection of accolades and scooped gold in the Car of the Year and Mid-Size SUV categories in the Auto Express 16th Driver Power survey. Driver Power is the UK's largest and most in-depth

automotive customer satisfaction survey, with participation from more than 80,000 UK car owners. The owners ranked the Peugeot 3008 SUV as the best performing Mid-Size SUV in five of the nine Driver Power judging categories: exterior;

practicality and boot space; ride and handling; safety features and reliability and build quality.

The victory did not stop there as the 3008 SUV was rated as the best vehicle in the 'exterior' category and the 'safety feature' category, across all of the vehicle classes.

Since it launched in late 2016, the 3008 SUV has been a huge success for Peugeot, with 350,000 sold worldwide and 23,000 in the UK. It demonstrates the latest technology with the state-of-the-art Peugeot i-Cockpit®, a more intuitive and engaging driving experience with a compact multi-function steering wheel, 12.3ins head-up digital instrument display and 8.0ins capacitive touchscreen with Mirror

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The Peugeot 3008 SUV has a five-star NCAP safety rating and offers a host of safety features as standard on all trim levels, including: AEBS – automatic emergency braking system, CDS - dynamic stability control and ASR - electronic anti-skid system and a driver attention alert system.

Steve Fowler, editor-in-chief of Auto Express and Carbuyer said: 'This is a fantastic result for Peugeot and the 3008 SUV.

'It's a car that has already won multiple awards from both Auto Express and Carbuyer, and now owners have confirmed what we've been saying all along - it's

a great car that's really satisfying to own.'

Wesley Lang, senior research manager at Driver Power, added: 'The Peugeot 3008 SUV is the best performing mid-size SUV in five of the nine Driver Power judging categories: exterior; practicality and boot space; ride and handling; safety features; and reliability and build quality.

'The 3008's performance proves that SUVs can excel in many categories long thought to be the domain of smaller vehicles.

'What is especially notable is that overall the 3008 SUV ranks third in ride and handling and fifth in reliability and build quality across all ranked vehicles.'

David Peel, managing director at Peugeot UK,

said: 'It is an outstanding achievement for the Peugeot 3008 SUV to have won gold in the Car of the Year and mid-size SUV categories in the UK's largest car satisfaction survey.

'With the addition of these two accolades, the Peugeot 3008 SUV has now won an incredible 45 awards globally since launch.

'In a segment with fierce competition, these accolades are especially meaningful as they are decided by our valued customers and are a real testament to the hard work and innovation of our talented teams of designers and engineers. I'd like to thank Auto Express and the entire Driver Power team for their support and hard work in bringing such a valuable survey to the industry.'

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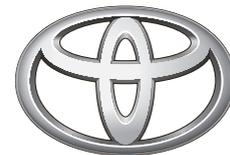
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1. Is the vehicle being offered for substantially less than other similar models?

2. Does the number ring out or go to voicemail, prompting you to 'email the seller'?

3. Are you then offered a vehicle that is abroad but can be 'shipped to you'?

Mark Bailey, head of CDL Vehicle Information Systems, which owns mycarcheck.com, said: 'The sheer volume of online scams is off the chart this summer, with seasonal favourites like convertibles, camper vans and motor homes being

targeted. The staff at our Glasgow call centre speak to used car buyers every day, often when they're about to transfer money, so we have our finger very much on the pulse when it comes to the latest scams. From early this year we saw a significant rise in fraudulent online adverts, but from May onwards it really ramped up, not only for the usual cars, vans and bikes, but for plant and agricultural vehicles, every sector you can think of.

'Sophisticated con artists, often operating in organised criminal gangs, can create scam adverts very quickly and on an industrial scale, even setting up whole fake dealer websites. At first glance, they look realistic; they cut and paste wording from genuine adverts and

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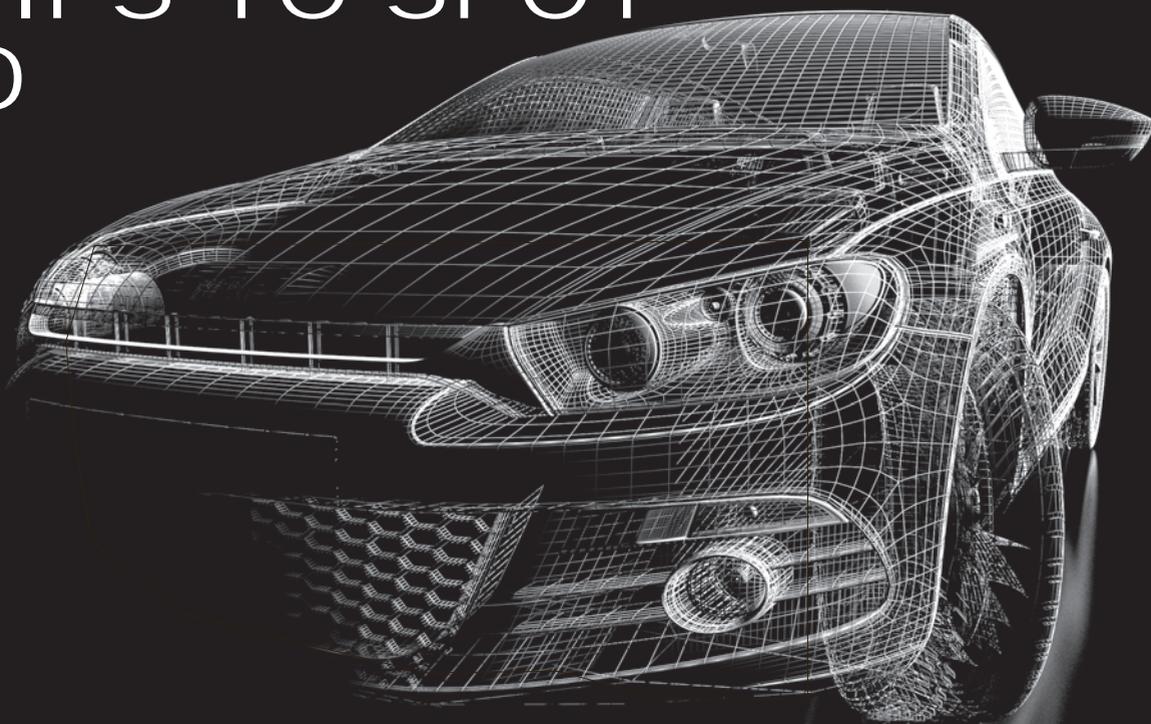
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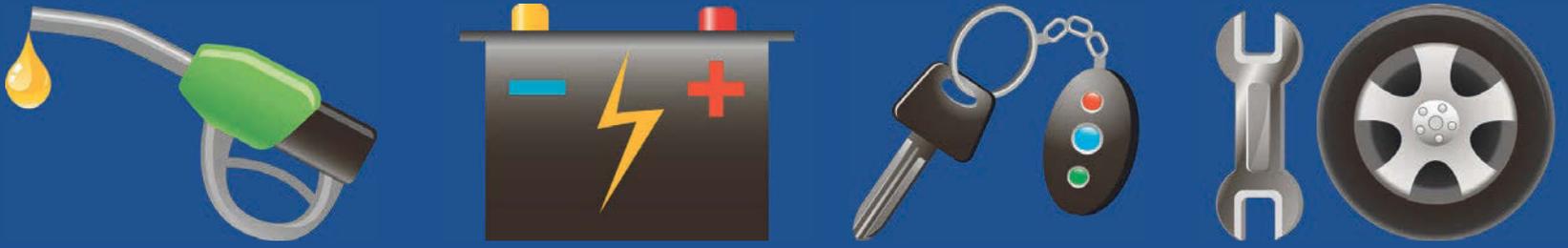
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- tyre tread wear. Look out for tread wear indicator bars on tyres – small bumps in the main grooves which indicate the minimum tread. Change your tyres well before your tread gets to the legal minimum (1.6mm in the UK). Brake recommends replacing at 3mm, as tyres can be dangerous in wet conditions with less than this. If you drive with tyres worn down to below the legal limit, you could face three penalty points and a £2,500 fine, or it could cause a deadly crash.

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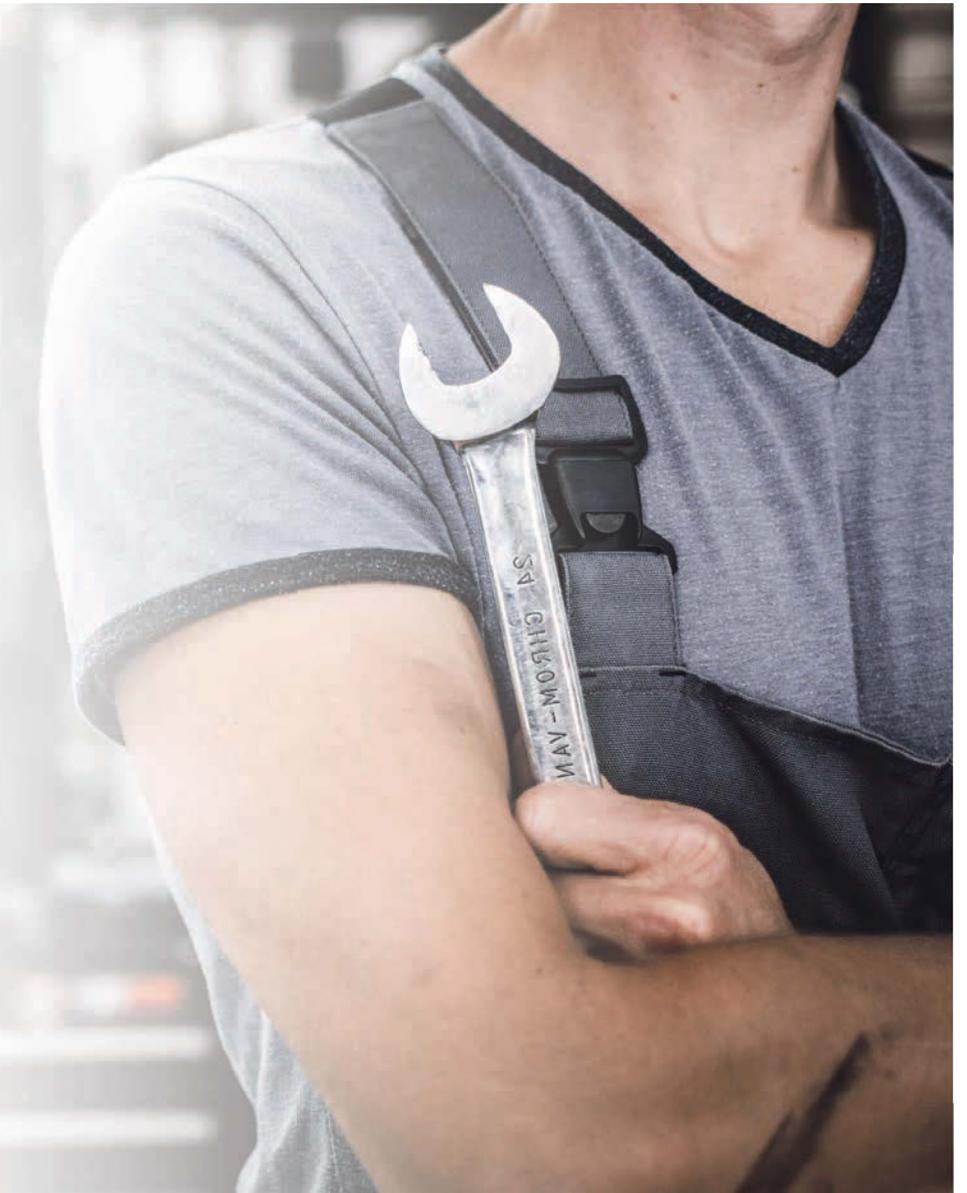
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# LEISURE & ENTERTAINMENT

WHAT'S ON IN CAMPBELTOWN AND KINTYRE

## Traditional music talent tantalises festival-goers



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The Mull of Kintyre Music Festival, from which many may still be recovering, caters for a plethora of musical tastes but it always remains true to its Scottish roots.

And it seems that is what revellers want, for although every event was well attended this year, the Festival Ceilidh and Traditional Concerts were sell-outs.

A capacity audience also packed the Seaford Hotel's Ceol music venue for the Gaelic Night, which kicked off the five-day extravaganza.

BBC Radio Scotland Young Traditional Musician of the Year 2017 finalist and Oban girl, Kim Carnie, accompanied by multi-instrumentalist Innes White, headlined the Wednesday night Gaelic event.

They were joined by local musicians, including singers Iain MacPherson, Raibert MacCallum and Bethany Kelly, and accordionist Alec MacKinnon.

The Festival Ceilidh, on Friday night, featured four top ceilidh bands from home

and away – Kintyre's Rhuvaal and Kintyre Schools Pipe Band, the Grouse Ceilidh Band, with members hailing from across Scotland, and Dalriada Connections Band, made up of a core group of experienced musicians, supplemented by Campbeltown Grammar School students and artists from across the Celtic world.

Iconic dances, including the Gay Gordons and the Dashing White Sergeant, quickly got people up off their chairs and on to the dance floor.

Saturday's Festival Club, which moved to the Kirk Street Hall this year, featured songs by one of Kintyre's newest folk groups, Western Sound, and Hope Strang as well as other artists from across the globe who came together for a jamming session.

Saturday Night's Traditional Concert, headlined by festival favourites Aly Bain and Phil Cunningham, who have been dubbed 'probably the best traditional musicians you are ever likely to hear', also featured Outer Hebridean four-piece Hecla.

The night's compère, Arthur



Four-piece Hebridean band Heda played the Saturday night trad concert.

Johnstone, famed for his clear, strong and passionate voice, returned to keep things

running for a staggering 26th time. Sunday's Dalriada Connections Concert completed

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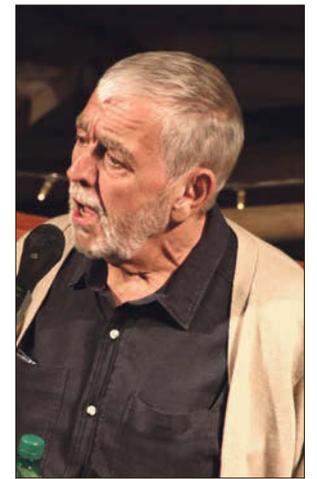
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Festival favourites Aly Bain and Phil Cunningham.



Cousins Jean MacDougall and Craig Smith enjoyed Rhuvaal's ceilidh set. 50\_c33ceilidh04



Arthur Johnstone has compèred all 26 Traditional Concerts.



Maura Macdonald, Beckie Shields, Hannah McPhee and Abbie McGougan at Saturday's Ceilidh Night. 50\_c33ceilidh03



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Kintyre musicians Raibert MacCallum, Bethany Kelly and Iain MacPherson join Kim Carnie, second right.



The Festival Club featured a jamming session.



The Dalriada Connections Band performed at the Ceilidh Night. 50\_c33ceilidh01



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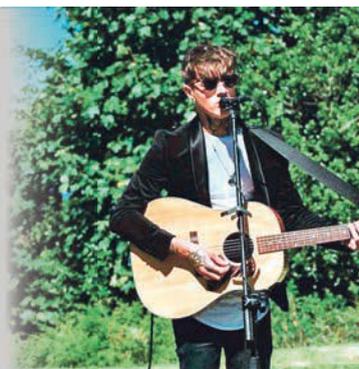
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# Christmas came early at fundraiser

It might be four months till the festive season but tree decorations featured at the Salvation Army (SA) coffee morning.

Baubles created by the SA's Wednesday evening craft group, which runs in the Burnside Street hall from

7pm, were some of the items on sale at last Saturday's monthly event.

The only coffee morning in town was mobbed on a drizzly Saturday but takings at £233.10 were £15 down on July. One holidaymaker from Tayinloan suggested

advertising a week earlier, in the Courier's Community Noticeboard, to allow for planning.

The SA's Jim Raeside said: 'Both months have given good results as we just rely on crafts, home-baking and coffee sales.'

'This summer we have entertained quite a lot of visitors at the coffee mornings.'

The next SA coffee morning is on the third Saturday in October as during September, from Monday 10 to Saturday 22, the national organisation holds its 'Big Collection.'

Mr Raeside added: 'The Big Collection is a door-to-door fundraiser. In the past, Campbeltonians have been very generous.'

'Funds from the collection pay for the Army's detoxification programmes, life houses, day centres for the elderly and go towards helping the homeless.'



Ladies on a morning out are from front left: Margaret Wilson, Mary Wood, Elma McLean, Bobby Robertson, Christine McKellar, Catherine Spence, Joyce Gardner and Irene O'Neill. 25\_c34salvationarmy02



Major Ruth Russell models a pair of baubles.

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Kathleen Smith, 10, and her granny Jean Smith buy some home-baking from James McKerral.

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# Great War airships exhibition lands in Campbeltown



One of the cabinets featuring Jim Struthers' belongings. 16\_t30\_FirstWorldWar02

An exhibition showcasing 'one of the best collections' of Great War artefacts will fly into Campbeltown this month.

The Airships of the Great War exhibition features belongings of the late Jim Struthers, a First World War airship captain and former owner of Ardmaddy Estate, near Oban.

Major Struthers, who spotted and attacked U-boats and hunted for submarines during the war, collected many items, including photographs, log books and diaries.

His son Charles mentioned to Eleanor MacKay from Live Argyll, which organised the exhibition, that he had 'a few things at home' belonging to his father from the war which he had looked after for decades.

The 'few things' turned out to be eight boxes full of photographs, medals, goggles, a pistol, uniforms, flags, notes, and even a dummy shell.

'It's one of the best collections from the First World War that we have seen,' Ms MacKay said.

Charles will say a few words when the exhibition, which was launched in Oban in July, opens at Campbeltown Library at 11am on Thursday August 30.

It will remain in Campbeltown until September 29, before continuing its tour of Argyll.



Campbeltown's Patrick Stewart, who is the Lord Lieutenant of Argyll and Bute, second right, at the exhibition's Oban launch, with Archie, Beatrice and Charles Struthers, Mid Argyll councillor Donnie MacMillan and Oban councillor Elaine Robertson.

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Charles Struthers and Live Argyll's Eleanor MacKay in conversation.

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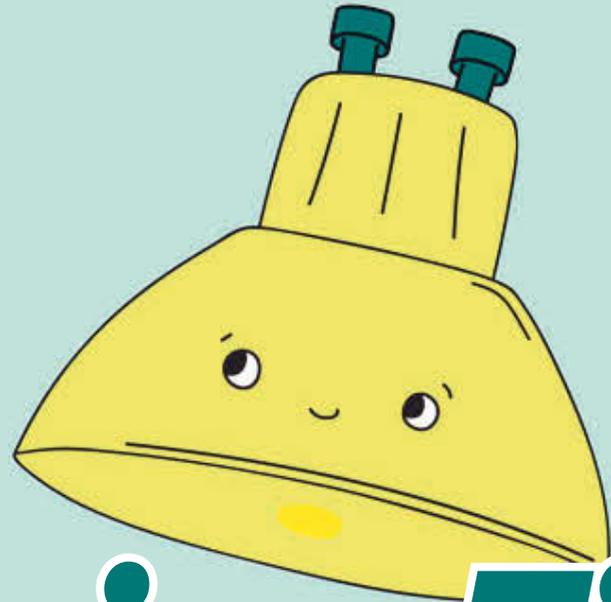


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# Energy Saving Tips

## Ground source heat pumps

Ground source heat pumps (GSHPs) use pipes which are buried in the garden to extract heat from the ground. This heat can then be used to heat radiators, underfloor or warm air heating systems and hot water in your home.

A ground source heat pump circulates a mixture of water and antifreeze around a loop of pipe, called a ground loop, which is buried in your garden. Heat from the ground is absorbed into the fluid and then passes through a heat exchanger into the heat pump. The ground stays at a fairly constant temperature under the surface, so the heat pump can be used throughout the year.

The length of the ground loop depends on the size of your home and the amount of heat you need. Longer loops can draw more heat from the ground, but need more space to be buried in. If space is limited, a vertical borehole can be drilled instead.

The benefits of ground source heat pumps

- Could lower your fuel bills,

especially if you replace conventional electric heating

- Could provide you with income through the government's Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI)
- Could lower home carbon emissions, depending on which fuel you are replacing
- No fuel deliveries needed
- Can heat your home as well as your water
- Minimal maintenance required

Unlike gas and oil boilers, heat pumps deliver heat at lower temperatures over much longer periods. During the winter they may need to be on constantly to heat your home efficiently. You will also notice that radiators won't feel as hot to the touch as they might do when you are using a gas or oil boiler.

Air source heat pumps are usually easier to install than ground source as they don't need any trenches or drilling, but they are often less efficient than ground source heat pumps. Water source heat pumps can be used to provide heating in homes near to

rivers, streams and lakes.

Find case studies and examples of homeowners who have installed a ground source heat pump using our Green Homes Network.

How do ground source heat pumps work?

Heat from the ground is absorbed at low temperatures into a fluid inside a loop of pipe (a ground loop) buried underground. The fluid then passes through a compressor that raises it to a higher temperature, which can then heat water for the heating and hot water circuits of the house. The cooled ground-loop fluid passes back into the ground where it absorbs further energy from the ground in a continuous process as long as heating is required.

Normally the loop is laid flat or coiled in trenches about two metres deep, but if there is not enough space in your garden you can install a vertical loop down into the ground to a depth of up to 100 metres for a typical domestic home. Heat pumps have some impact on the environment as they need

electricity to run, but the heat they extract from the ground, the air, or water is constantly being renewed naturally.

Is a ground source heat pump suitable for me?

To tell if an air source heat pump is right for you, there are a few key questions to consider:

- Is your garden suitable for a ground loop? It doesn't have to be particularly big, but the ground needs to be suitable for digging a trench or a borehole and accessible to digging machinery.

- Is your home well insulated? Since ground source heat pumps work best when

producing heat at a lower temperature than traditional boilers, it's essential that your home is well insulated and draught-proofed for the heating system to be effective.

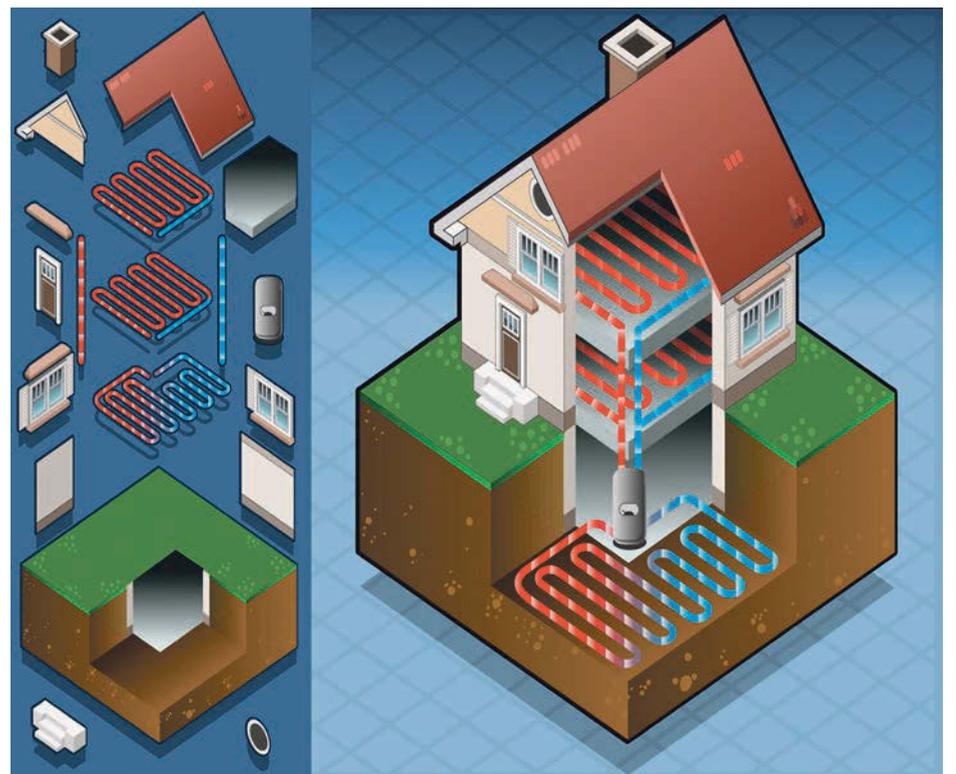
- What fuel will you be replacing? The system will pay for itself much more quickly if it's replacing an electricity or coal heating system. Heat pumps may not be the best option for homes using mains gas.

- What type of heating system will you use? Ground source heat pumps can perform better with underfloor heating systems or warm air heating than

with radiator-based systems because of the lower water temperatures required.

- Is the system intended for a new development? Combining the installation with other building work can reduce the cost of installing the system.

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# Campbeltown Airedale terrier's Mid Argyll win

Airedale terrier Baloo has had a successful run at the shows.

Last week the 16-month-old, who was champion dog at Kintyre Agricultural Society's (KAS) show, took

top honours and the Flauden Cup for the best pedigree dog at Mid Argyll.

His owner, Scottish SPCA Argyll and Bute auxiliary inspector Enid McMurchy,

said: 'I'm in great order winning this. I never thought we'd get anything else after winning at Kintyre show.'

'When Baloo was a puppy he won his class at Mid Argyll.'

Enid is no stranger to show success and had a KAS champion Jack Russell, Stella, as well as another Airedale, Callie, which was a reserve champion.

## Mainland buyers flock to Tiree sale

United Auctions held its annual sale of 4,503 lambs at Tiree Auction Mart last Saturday.

Lambs were shown in good bloom and, like other centres, they lacked flesh which resulted in a drop of 1.2 kilos on the year.

Trade was firm and all classes sold to a good turnout of mainland buyers.

Lambs averaged 33 kilos and levelled out at £56.28, recording a drop of 11p per head on the year while being 6p per kilo up.

Principal lots and prices: Top prices per head: SUFFx: £84.50 Heylipol Farm; £83.50 2/15 Balevullin; £81.50 9 Barrapol; £81.00 Mannal;

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Top prices per kilo: SUFFx: 206p Garaphail; 205p Salum; 198p 6 Barrapol; 195p Garaphail; 192p Lochphuill; 189p Druimasaidh; 189p 15 Crossapol; 188p Hillcrest; 187p 31 Balephetrish; 187p Croish; 186p 2 Heylipol; 185p Heylipol Farm; 184p Clachan; 184p Druimasaidh;

182p Scarinish Farm; 181p Salum; 180p Benview and Heylipol Farm. TEXx: 205p Crofthouse; 200p 2 Kilkenneth; 195p Dunbeag; 186p 8 Kilkenneth; 183p 2/15 Balevullin; 182p Benview, Crofthouse and Lochphuill. BELTx: 245p Ruaig; 231p Heylipol Farm; 223p Heylipol; 214p Drumaglea; 210p Heylipol Farm; 207p Ardmay; 203p Drumaglea and Ruaig; 201p Heylipol Farm; 200p and 199p Ardmay; 198p Garaphail; 194p and 190p Ruaig; 188p 34 Balephetrish. CHEV: 200p Ardeas. CHARx: 183p 34 Balephetrish. CROSS: 175p Garaphail. MULE: 164p Lochside; 162p Braeside.

## Unions issue warning over no deal Brexit

Livestock representatives from NFU Scotland, the Ulster Farmers' Union and NFU Cymru say the prospect of the UK leaving the EU with no trade deal would have serious implications for the beef and sheep sectors.

The comments were made following a recent meeting in Belfast. NFU Scotland livestock committee vice-chairman Jimmy Ireland said: 'A no deal Brexit could have unthinkable consequences on Scottish farms and crofts.'

'The UK currently exports more than £380 million of lamb and sheep meat, with the vast majority being exported

to European markets. Any imposition of barriers to trade as a result of Brexit will impact thousands of sheep and cattle farming businesses across Scotland.

'We also need to see the UK government secure future protection of our food names, such as Scotch Beef PGI and Scotch Lamb PGI. These names are synonymous with quality and we need to see them protected from imitation, both in the United Kingdom and the European Union.'

'Future support for the food and farming sector must deliver on-farm profitability that ensures there is a crit-

ical mass of cattle and sheep to drive productivity across the supply chain.'

Wyn Evans, chairman of the NFU Cymru livestock board, added: 'The government in its trade talks with the EU must ensure we have measures in place that continue to allow tariff-free and unfettered access to export markets in Europe. This is vital to maintaining the already tight margins in this sector.'

The UK unions are committed to working together to highlight this to decision-makers over the summer and autumn as the UK enters a critical period in the Brexit negotiations.

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Enid McMurchy with Baloo in the champion of champion's judging at Kintyre show. 25\_c34baloo01

## Kintyre exile takes sheepdog trial title

A Kintyre exile took first place in the open class of Skipness and District Sheep Dog Trial.

Cameron Dickson, now shepherding in Coldingham, Eyemouth, won the class with his dog Star, at the competition held at Chapel Park, by kind permission of Skipness Estate, on Saturday August 11.

The confined class was won by Kenny Grieve, with Jade, who had a clean sweep of the local trophies.

The judge was Duncan Robertson, from Langholm, Dumfries.

An event spokesperson said: 'Some lots of the mule ewes were challenging but overall the work was a high standard.'

'The weather was kind and there was a good turnout of spectators and competitors.'

Open results: 1 Cameron Dickson with Star 94 pts, 2 A Mackenzie with Jess 93 pts, 3 Craig Davidson with Cap 93 pts, 4 Stuart MacFarlane with Gem 91 pts, 5 Will Welsh with Cap 90 pts, 6 S MacCulloch with Risp 89 pts.

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JANE HELEN MILLAR

Graduated from UWS, Paisley with a 2:1 BA Hons in Business, and has taken up a position with a property management company in Glasgow. Jane is the daughter of Robert and Myra Millar, Machrihanish.



BRIGITTE STEPPER

Graduated from Glasgow Caledonian University with a BA Honours in International Business and Marketing. Brigitte is the daughter of Elaine, and granddaughter of Eileen and the late Archie McArthur, 88 Davaar Avenue, Campbeltown.

CARRADALE

**Heritage centre embraces iconic corrugated red roofs**

A Carradale restoration group reckons the west coast's iconic red tin roofs may be a positive feature in the internet age.

Members of Carradale Community Trust chose red when repainting the village's heritage centre to ensure it stands out on Google Maps.

On Monday a group of volunteers, including Malcolm Trott, Alasdair Bennett, Tony Leighton, Stuart Hosie, Alan Walker and Alan Milstead, started work on a project to liven up the museum.

During the scheme, funded by East Kintyre Wind-farm Trust, items covering the history and economy of Carradale through the years will be re-displayed.

A trust spokesperson said: 'It is hoped to finish the work by next spring.'

'The colour scheme chosen was subject to considerable debate and it is anticipated that the new colour will be clearly seen on Google Maps.'



Volunteers Malcolm Trott, Alasdair Bennett and Stuart Hosie prepare the roof.



From left: Stuart Hosie and Alasdair Bennett apply the red paint.

ARDRISHAIG



Neil John MacLean with his prize-winning veg. 08\_a34ArdrishaigFlowerShow03



Fiona MacLachlan with her prize-winning asters. 08\_a34ArdrishaigFlowerShow24

**Ardrishaig Flower Show bursts with colour**

Beautiful begonias were just some of the fabulous flowers on display at Ardrishaig Horticultural Society's annual show.

Carradale's Sandra Galbraith had a successful show winning the Coronation Cup for roses as well as the Archie J MacDonald memorial trophy for pansies and 15 other first prizes.

The main prize, the Coronation Cup for the most points overall, was won by Hugh McLeod with 62 points, as well as the Crawford Cup for the best exhibit and the Tommy Tyson Memorial Cup for best begonia.

Earlier Neil John MacLean, who won the Thompson Cup for the best fuchsia, opened

the flower show with James McLellan. It was not all about flowers and there were some notable winners in the produce and craft sections.

Elizabeth Scott won the President's Cup and the Coronation Cup for most points in baking and preserves as well as the Anderson Cup for the best sultana cake and Alexis McLellan won a cup for the most points in preserves.

Kay Ballantine's adorable rabbit was just one of many contributions that gained her the rosette for the most points in knitting alongside Betty Rhodick.

The younger generation also did well.

Shaun Doy won the Balliemore Youth Trophy and the Colin Wilson Memorial Quaich for carnations, Gavin Small won a rosette for most points in the children's section, and Nathan Jackson won the Crawford Cup for school art for Achahoish School.

For full details of Sandra Galbraith's success, see page two.



Heavenly hydrangeas. 08\_a34ArdrishaigFlowerShow23

**Thought for the Week**

with Marilyn Shedden

I am reading again one of my favourite books called Mister God, This Is Anna. It is set in the 1930s in the east end of London.

It is a delightful book and probably the best book on theology you will find, and it is by a four-year-old.

The story is about a wonderful relationship between a little girl, who had run away from an abusive home life, and Fynn, a 19-year-old student who takes her into his heart and home.

Anna's favourite topic of conversation is about Mister God, and she has a very special relationship with him. Fynn is amazed at her knowledge and spirituality, and he delights in her mischievous sense of fun.

After many conversations, Fynn says this: 'Anna had distilled centuries of learning into one sentence, "And God said love me, love them, and love it, and don't forget to love yourself."

'The whole business of adults going to church filled Anna with suspicion. The idea of collective worship went against her sense of private conversations with Mister God.'

'As for going to church to meet Mister God, that was preposterous. After all, if Mister God wasn't everywhere, he wasn't anywhere. For her, churchgoing and "Mister God" talks had no necessary connection.'

'For her, the whole thing was transparently simple. You went to church to get the message when you were very little. Once you had got it, you went out and did something about it.'

The book draws us in to Anna's innate love of God, and is such a refreshing reminder of God's relationship with children.

No wonder Jesus said about children: 'Of such is the Kingdom of Heaven.'

GIGHA

**Salmon company shortlisted**

An Isle of Gigha salmon farming and processing firm is a finalist at the 2018 Highlands and Islands Food and Drink Awards.

The Scottish Salmon Company (SSC) has been shortlisted for its ongoing achievements in export and sustainability.

The winners will be announced at a ceremony on October 5 in Inverness hosted by STV presenter Jennifer Reoch.

SSC is one of 44 businesses to have been shortlisted for awards in 14 wide-ranging categories.

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## TEXT FOR THE WEEK

'Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his love endures for ever' (Psalm 107:1).

## BIRTHS



### MCMILLAN

Alistair and Lynette are delighted to announce the birth of their beautiful daughter, Hallie Mary, on July 3, 2018, at Royal Alexandra Hospital, Paisley. A wee sister for Khloe. Thanking all midwives at home and away.

## ENGAGEMENTS



### MCCULLOCH - CAMERON

Both families have pleasure in announcing the engagement of Lynn McCulloch and Kevin Cameron. Lynn is the granddaughter of Harry and May McIver, Campbeltown.

## DEATHS

**GILLESPIE** - Peacefully, at the Campbeltown Hospital, on August 22, 2018, Rodger Gillespie, in his 82nd year, 33 Dalaruan Street and formerly of Main Street, Campbeltown, dearly beloved

husband of Flora MacCallum, much loved father of Lorraine and a loving granda of Kerry. Funeral service will be held in the Lorne and Lowland Parish Church, on Monday, August 27, 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 Kidney Dialysis Campbeltown and the Acute Ward, Campbeltown Hospital.

**HARRISON** - Suddenly but peacefully, at the Kintyre Care Home, Campbeltown, on August 21, 2018, Alma Louise Harrison (Louie), in her 99th year, dearly beloved wife of the late Lennox Harrison, much loved mum of Harry, Louise and the late Nixon, loving gran of Stefan, Laura, Joanne, Jemma and Claire, and a much loved great gran. Funeral service will be held in the Clydebank Crematorium, on Monday, September 3, 2018 at 1.30pm, to which all friends are respectfully invited. Family flowers only please.

**IRWIN** - Peacefully at home, Rockferne West, North Shore Street, Campbeltown, on August 19, 2018, David Irwin, in his 63rd year, dearly beloved partner of Sheena Robertson and a much loved brother and uncle.

**MACKENZIE** - Suddenly, at the Mid Argyll Hospital, on August 16, 2018, John MacKenzie, aged 74 years, of 14 Hillview Terrace, Ardrishaig, beloved husband of Val, much loved father of Heather, Alex and Donald, a dearly loved and adored grandpa, dear brother of Angus, Anne, Flora, Margaret and the late Jean, and a cherished brother-in-law, uncle and cousin to all the family. Funeral service was held at Cardross Crematorium, on Wednesday, August 22, 2018. Sadly missed.

**MCISAAC** - Suddenly, but peacefully, at the Queen Elizabeth University Hospital, Glasgow, on August 13, 2018, Katherine Margaret McIsaac, née Wotherspoon, in her 80th year, 1 St Columba's Way, Southend, beloved wife of Duncan McIsaac.

**POPE (LANG)** - Peacefully, at the Campbeltown Hospital, on August 19, 2018, Erika Agnes

Lang, in her 64th year, 15 Roading Cottages, Campbeltown, dearly beloved mum of Kylie, Eden, Layla, Connor and the late Roby, much loved granny of Nyla, Adam, Efa, Ethan and Corey and a special friend to many. Funeral service will be held in the Lorne and Lowland Parish Church, on Friday, August 24, 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 Kintyre Cancer and Palliative Care.

**WILLETT** - Peacefully, at the Campbeltown Hospital, with his family by his side, on August 15, 2018, Peter Alexander Willett, aged 74 years, Longstop, Witchburn Road, Campbeltown, dearly beloved husband of Marion Lenke, much loved dad of Karen, Jane and Peter, loving granda of Iona-Marie, Jay, Conner and Solana, and great granda of Esmie and Lyle. Funeral service in Cardross Crematorium, on August 28, 2018 at 1.15pm, to which all friends are respectfully invited. Family flowers only please. Donations, in lieu of flowers, may be made to any animal charity of your choice.

## IN MEMORIAM

**GARDNER** - Edwin Paul, died August 23, 2015. Always loved, Always remembered. Treasured and cherished memories.

- Christine, Jamie, Angie and family.

**MACFARLANE** - In loving memory of Alastair, who died in Sri Lanka on August 24, 2013.

A dearly loved son and brother, remembered every day.  
- Mum and Malcolm xx.  
Treasured memories of all our loved ones gone before. Forever in our thoughts.

**MCKERRAL** - Neil, a loving and much loved son, brother and uncle, who died August 28, 2008. Missed every day.

- Mum, Iain, Marie and Phil.  
Miss you lots, Uncle Neil xx.  
- Hannah and Liam.

**MCNEILL** - In loving memory of my wife, May, who passed away August 24, 2012. You left a heart full of memories.  
- Don x.

**MOTHERWELL** - In loving memory of our dear husband, father and grandfather, Martin, who passed away on August 26, 1998. Always in our thoughts.  
- Love, Mary and all the family.

## CHURCH NOTICES

### CHURCH OF SCOTLAND WEST LOCHFYNESIDE

**Sunday 26th August 2018**  
Cumlodden Lochfyneside and Lochgair

Charity No. SC016097  
Joint morning service with Glenaray and Inveraray  
In Inveraray church  
At 11.30am

In connection with the laying up of the Scots Guards' old colours  
Minister:

Rev Dr Roderick Campbell  
ALL WELCOME

### 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 (SCO002876)

### SCOTTISH EPISCOPAL CHURCHES

**Christ Church Bishopton 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**



**CHURCH OF SCOTLAND GLASSARY KILMARTIN and FORD PARISH CHURCH**

**Sunday 26th of August**

10am Glassary

Rev C Acklam

All welcome

SC0 02121

### NORTH KNAPDALE PARISH CHURCH

Charity Number SC001002

**Sunday 26 August**

11:30am Inverlussa Church

Rev C Acklam

**Saturday 25 August**

10:30am Achnamara Hall

Cafe Connect

**Tuesday 28 August**

12.30-2.30pm The Manse

Worship Workshop

7.30pm Tayvallich Church

Kirk Session

All welcome

Enquiries 01546 606926

www.northknappdale.org

### SKIPNESS LINKED WITH TARBERT LOCHFYNE AND KILBERRY

**CHURCH OF SCOTLAND Sunday 26th August 2018**

Skipness Service 10.00am

Dr John L Morrison OBE

Tarbert Service 11:30am

Mrs Angela Stather

Kilberry Service 2.00pm

Mrs Margaret Sinclair

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

## CHURCH NOTICES



**CAMPBELTOWN COMMUNITY CHURCH**

**Sunday 26th August**

**FAMILY SERVICE**

11.00 am

Speaker - Andrew Chalkley

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

SC043322

### KINTYRE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Meeting will be held on

**Friday 31st August**

at 7.30pm in Lorne &

Lowland (New) Church

Hall, Campbeltown

**Guest speaker:**

**Mr John Surtees**

**from SASRA**

**Tea/coffee served after**

**meeting**

Tea/coffee served

after the meeting

Everyone most welcome



**free church of scotland**

George Street, Campbeltown

**Sunday 26th August**

11.15am Worship Service

Rev Rodger Crooks

11.15am Sunday School

5.00pm Free @ Five

**Wednesday 29th August**

12 noon Bible Study & Prayer

**All Welcome**

All Rodger Crooks' sermons can be

found through our website:

www.campbeltownfreechurch.co.uk

Scottish Charity Number: SC046745



**Argyll Street, Campbeltown**

St Kieran Episcopal Church:

Campbeltown

Scottish Charity No SC023277

**Sunday 26th August**

Pentecost 14

Holy Communion 10.45am

**Enquiries Tel: 01586 551141**

The Scottish Episcopal Church is a Province of

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### ARDRISHAIG AND SOUTH KNAPDALE PARISHES

(The Church of Scotland)

**Sunday Services**

Services in

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and 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)

### Highland Parish Church



SCO02493

**Sunday 26th August 2018**

The service will be conducted

by Kelvin Moller and will be

held in the church at 11.15am.

Sunday School starts again on

Sunday 26th August.

All welcome.

### LORNE AND LOWLAND PARISH CHURCH

Scottish Charity Number

SC011686

**Sunday 26th August**

11.15am Morning Worship

Creche

Rev W Crossan

**Monday 27th August**

Board Meeting 7.30pm

New Hall

Followed by a Session

Meeting

**Tuesday 28th August**

9.45am Tiny Tots

New Hall

Anchor Boys 6.00pm

Junior Section 7.00pm

Company Section 7.15pm

Church Hall

**Wednesday 29th August**

Choir Practice 7.00pm



Campbeltown Corps

Church and Community Centre

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Burnside Street, Campbeltown

01586 552046

**Sunday Services**

10.30am Morning Service

(Army Kidz)

6.30pm Evening Worship

Majors Ben & Ruth Russell

All welcome

### SPRINGBANK EVANGELICAL CHURCH



75 Longrow, Campbeltown

**Sunday 26th August**

Family Communion Service

11.00am

Pastor Steve Davies

All welcome

**Wednesday 29th August**

Bible study

7.30pm at the manse

Enquiries 01586 551200

www.springbankchurch.co.uk

SC014646

### ST. KIERAN R.C. ST JOHN ST, CAMPBELTOWN

**01586 552160**

Rev Tony Wood

**Sunday 26th August**

**Holy Mass 10am**

(only)

All Welcome (SCO02876)

## WEDDINGS



### ANDERSON - MCGOUGAN

On July 21, 2018, at Peninver Village Hall, the marriage took place of Peter, third son of the late John and Isobel Anderson, to Louise, younger daughter of Stewart and Heather McGougan. A fantastic day, celebrated with close family and friends, with memories made to treasure forever.

## Iain and Heather take the lead in MacNab Cup

Dismal conditions met those competing in the second round of Tarbert Golf Club's Archie MacNab Memorial Cup on Saturday.

Despite heavy rain the previous few days, the Glenralloch course held up well with the greens running nicely.

The difficult weather conditions did not deter Iain Macalister from taking the honours with a fantastic 68, giving him 40 Stableford points and an overall total of 80 points and first place.

He was in total control all day, with 16 pars and two bogeys in his round.

In second place was James Smyth with 37 points and third was Peter Cupples on 36. Peter scooped the magic birdie pot with the only two of the day at the eighth.

In the ladies' championship Heather Brownlie strengthened her position with an 86 to take a commanding lead into next weekend's final round.

This Saturday the club looks forward to hosting the Tarbert Hotel-sponsored Am-Am, which is open to both ladies and gents.

Entry fee is £30 per three-person team and spaces are still available. Please contact the clubhouse on 01880 820565.

A club spokesperson said: 'Members were saddened to hear of the passing of Steven Barclay earlier in the week.

'Steven held the position of greenkeeper for several years and was a long-standing and valued member of the club.

'Everyone at Tarbert Golf Club extends their sympathies to the Barclay and MacFarlane families at this sad time.'

## Scottish AFL results and fixtures

Last Saturday's results - Premier Division - Oban Saints 8, Dunoon 1; Premier Division One - Campbeltown Pupils no game; Lochgilphead Red Star 3, Fergulzie Star 1; Premier Division Two - Tarbert v Glenburn Athletic, postponed.

This Saturday's fixtures - Premier Division - Barrhead Arky v Oban Saints; Premier Division One - Campbeltown Pupils v Lochgilphead Red Star; Premier Division Two - Tarbert no game.

## Junior rugby registration

Mini tacklers, from P1 to P7, should head to the Meadows on Sunday at 11am for rugby registration for this season.

Play and training kicks off on Sunday September 2 also on the Meadows at 11am.

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co.uk/photos

# Hard fought cup tie for 'Dale's season's starter

Carradale	3
East Kilbride YM	6
GGFL President's Cup	

Carradale faced a tough test in their president's cup match against Great Glasgow premier league side East Kilbride YM.

A win was always going to be a tall order, against a side one league higher, but for nearly sixty minutes the McFadyens Transport sponsored 'Dale battled hard and maintained a 1-1 score sheet, which showed how even the two teams seemed.

Eventually though EKYM's comfirt and efficient movement of the ball proved a winning combination and in a short spell, between the hour mark and about 77 minutes, the visitors piled on the pressure and gained four goals.



Daniel Docherty congratulates Ryan Blackstock after his second goal. 25\_c34dalevekym02



Maciej Romanowski's ball skills were on display. 25\_c34dalevekym05



One of Neil McMillan's great first half saves. 25\_c34dalevekym03

After 10 minutes a rash tackle saw 16-year-old Elliot Gemmill taken off. Ryan Blackstock, possibly the shortest man on the park, came on to score on virtually his first kick.

'Dale were ahead and with some superb goal keeping, from man of the match Neil McMillan, managed to stay that way almost right through the first half.

EKYM were constantly through in 'Dale's half and forced corner after corner till they scored from the left side with McMillan blind to the threat till it was too late.

EKYM scored early in the second half and were awarded a penalty moments later to go 3-1 up.

In a short spell 'Dale took their eye off the ball and conceded a further two.

Robert McGarrie in the unfamiliar left wing back began to work harder and at 5-1, after Johnny McCormick's red card, with 10 men 'Dale seemed revitalised.

In no time Blackstock scored his second followed by a powerful 'Dale third from a Maciej Romanowski long ball.

There was no time left and despite desperate defending 'Dale were unable to stop the East Kilbride outfit

adding to their woes, with a sixth, in the closing minutes.

It was a good natured encounter and both sides smiled as they shook hands.

The team coach Hecor McMurchy and stand-in for manager, Nonnie Macalister away golfing in Portugal, was quietly encouraging and paced the sidelines with team tips.

The match ball was sponsored by Neil Galbraith Electrical Services.



Moments after this tackle, which resulted in a red card for Johnny McCormick (front), EKYM scored from a free kick. 25\_c34dalevekym04



Runner-up Jane Gallagher and ladies' singles champion Catherine Dobbie. 25\_c34ladiesingles02

## Juniors coach is ladies' singles champion ace

A long summer of tennis at all levels paid off in Campbeltown's ladies' singles final.

Catherine Dobbie will add her name to the Campbeltown Lawn Tennis Club's shield after defeating the current holder Jane Gallagher.

Dobbie has been on court playing and coaching juniors all season.

Gallagher, who won the trophy in 2014, 2015 and 2016 – the match was not played last year – looked set for another win, taking the first set 6-2.

On the way to that triumph though there were many games to deuce and Dobbie showed her strength taking the first three of the second set.

Gallagher, whose neat serving impressed Scottish coach Colin Hanbidge last Monday, was not going down without a fight and came back to level at 3-3 and 4-4, before Dobbie took the set 6-4 to set up the decider.

The third set went the way of the second with Dobbie winning the first three games. Gallagher kept her nerve but was only able to win two going down 6-2.

It has been a good season so far for Dobbie, as well as winning the singles title she also saw her hard work rewarded with the opening of the new pavilion.



Catherine Dobbie is off the ground for this powerful forehand. 25\_c34ladiesingles03

Further CLTC competitions were the ladies' doubles last night and the rescheduled mixed doubles for the HMS Platypus Cup on Thursday August 30.



Runner-up Jane Gallagher plays a back-hand volley. 25\_c34ladiesingles05

# SPOT THE BALL

THIS WEEK'S JACKPOT  
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This week's nearest the ball winners, who each receive £25 are:  
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**INSIDE THIS WEEK:**  
Juniors coach is ladies  
singles champion ace



Gregor Campbell (634) chases down Ross O'Brien (401) coming onto the finishing straight. Photograph: Bobby Gavin.

# Campbeltown schoolboy wins national 1500m title

A Campbeltown schoolboy ran the race of his life to take national honours in Aberdeen.

In the most exciting race of the day, Gregor Campbell threw himself across the line in a final effort to win Sunday's Scottish Under-15 1500m boys' race by 5/100s of a second after a nail-biting run.

The Blue Riband event came down to the last 100m after Campbell chased down his rival Ross O'Brien.

Campbell had O'Brien 'on his shoulder', as they pulled away from the rest of the field in the home straight.

Former Scottish international, Graham Crawford, who helps Campbell's father Donald Campbell coach his children, said: 'The 3.30pm 1500m final proved the most exciting race of the afternoon.'

'The pair broke clear on the last bend and it was head-to-head all the way to the line.'

'They both dipped and Campbell went crashing to the ground to take the title in 4:22:90 and O'Brien recorded 4:22:95.'

'It was so close I had to walk round from the other side of the track to find out who had won.'

Donald, who filmed the final 100m on Campbell's phone, said: 'I really appreciate Graham's involvement.'

'He has pedigree and is a great motivator.'

The win caps a great season for the Glenbarr schoolboy, who trains with Shettleston and won the West District U15 1500m title and Scottish schoolboy's title in June, when he beat O'Brien by four seconds.

Two of Campbell's siblings also achieved personal bests during the weekend. In the girls' U13 800m Violet Campbell finished in 2:47.92 and in the boys' 200m Ruairidh Campbell ran 28.50 in the final.

## Ex-Rangers stars to captain for charity match

A pair of ex-Rangers legends Barry Ferguson MBE and Lee McCulloch will captain sides in this year's Jimmy Taylor Memorial Trophy tomorrow.

The game, organised by Campbeltown Loyal Rangers Supporters Club, kicks off at 3pm on the Kinloch Green all-weather pitch.

Donations will be taken at the gate for the Campbeltown Hospital Sunshine Room and the James McCorkindale Dance School.

Ferguson was capped 45 times for Scotland and in 431 Rangers' games scored 60 goals.

McCulloch was capped 18 times for Scotland in a playing career which included spells at Rangers, Kilmarnock, Motherwell and Wigan Athletic.

## Mach lotto results

There were no winners in Machrihanish Golf Club's three-number lottery draw on Monday.

The winning numbers were 7, 8 and 14.

The date of the next draw, for a jackpot of £900, is August 27.

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