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# Kintyre nurse receives top honour in Australia

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A former Campbeltown woman who flies to some of the most remote parts of Australia has been rewarded for her nursing integrity.

Nurse and midwife Myra Graham, 60, who was born and brought up in Kintyre,

has worked with the Western Operations division of the Royal Flying Doctor Service of Australia (RFDS) for 11 years.

Myra was awarded the John Flynn Award for Integrity by the RFDS federation board, one of three awards created to mark the 90th anniversary of the organisation, which de-

livers life-saving aeromedical evacuations, transfers and a range of primary healthcare services.

The award recognises a member of staff with a genuine care for others and a spirit of service, who is consistently fair and honest in their actions and behaviours, and is authentic, with sound judgement and ethical conduct.

Chief executive officer of Western Operations Rebecca Tomkinson said: 'Myra stood out as she was nominated by a number of her colleagues who commended not only her passion and care for the people we service, but also for her colleagues.'

Myra, who said the award was a 'huge surprise', flew 1,919 miles, from Perth to Canberra, for a ceremony in the National Museum of Australia.

She said: 'I'm both humbled and honoured. I think it's important that someone from nursing was recognised and someone from Western Operations.'

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Myra Graham, right, with Australian federal minister for rural health, Senator the Honourable Bridget McKenzie.



A Campbeltown dancer's perfect poise helped her lift the top trophy at the Cowal Highland Games. Linzi Cameron won the Islay Trophy for first place in the adult Argyllshire Championship, which was introduced in 2012. Linzi is the first Campbeltown winner of the championship. With a total of six trophies and 16 individual gold medals, 2018 becomes the most successful year to date for the James McCorkindale School of Dancing. For more Highland dancing see page and 27.

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**POLICE FILES** Sergeant Iain MacNicol**Vehicle seized**

A vehicle was seized and its 31-year-old female driver charged when checks revealed it had no insurance after it was stopped by police at about 4.50pm on Tuesday August 21 in John Street, Campbeltown.

**No MOT**

A 26-year-old man was charged after the vehicle he was driving was stopped by police at about 9.35am on Wednesday August 22 and checks revealed it had an expired MOT.

**Window smashed**

The window of a ground floor flat in Burnside Street, Campbeltown, was smashed when someone threw a brick through it at about 9.50pm on Wednesday August 22.

**Vehicle damaged**

A red Ford Fiesta car had its rear window smashed at about 9.45pm on Friday August 24 in Saddell Street, Campbeltown.

**Woman assaulted**

A 47-year-old woman was charged after punching another woman at about 3.15am last Saturday in Hazelburn Business Park, Campbeltown.

**Drugs possession**

A 22-year-old man, who allowed people to consume drugs in his Kirk Street flat in Campbeltown, was found to be in possession of cannabis and charged after the property was searched by police at about 6.45pm last Saturday.

**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.**

# Kintyre Seasports meeting uncovers parking concerns

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Car parking and traffic access on Low Askomil were raised during a planning meeting at Campbeltown Sailing Club (CSC).

During a series of meetings, on Tuesday and Wednesday, consultants and architects, contracted to Kintyre Seasports Project (KSP), presented the public with four suggested locations for a sea sports centre to replace the existing sailing club.

The Courier attended the Tuesday afternoon session from 1pm to 2.30pm.

About 15 people attended including the chairman of Campbeltown Community Council, Alan Baker, a representative from Live Argyll, Councillor John Armour and a number of residents from Low Askomil.

The four possible sites for a new KSP building were listed as the old shipyard at Trench Point; the old lifeboat station



**The existing Campbeltown Sailing Club premises.**

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on Kilkerran Road; the existing CSC building alone or the fourth choice combined with redevelopment of Dalintober's foreshore.

A Low Askomil resident said that the project was a wonderful idea and an opportunity to improve the site which already exists.

He added: 'What you are proposing in terms of the sea centre is a brilliant idea and concept.

'There are negatives of this site but there are so many positives, it is great to see young people using the facilities.'

A number of people felt that the consultants were concentrating on Low Askomil and Mr Armour said: 'I get the feeling that you are trying to steer people away from the other two sites.'

Mr Baker said: 'Have you considered building on the

opposite side of Kilkerran Road opposite what we call the old paddling pool area, putting it on -one level and using the grassy level for parking?'

Councillor Armour added: 'I think the existing site is the best option but I think we have to do something to stop the problems that residents have with people parking outside their houses.'

'That is the problem which needs to be resolved.'

KSP chairman Campbell Fox said: 'The purpose of this exercise is to evaluate each site.'

## £29,000 benefits cheat caught

A fraudster appeared on indictment at Campbeltown Sheriff Court after falsely claiming tax credits.

Sentence was deferred on Joan McCallum, 47, of 19A Calton Avenue, Campbeltown, who pleaded guilty to obtaining payments of tax credits to the value of £29,000 by failing to report a material fact, namely that she was living with her husband.

McCallum was called first, last Thursday, in front of a packed public gallery.

The court was told that between April 6, 2011 and July 29, 2016 McCallum had obtained the child tax credits while her husband was in full time employment as a lorry driver.

Procurator fiscal depute Eoin McGinty explained that

working tax credits were a means tested benefit and that on October 27, 2015 HMRC received an anonymous call.

The caller said that



**Campbeltown Sheriff Court.**

McCallum was living with her partner between the specified dates and had been receiving payments.

The court was told details about where McCallum's husband had worked and the nature of the employment.

Mr McGinty said that in March 2011 a mortgage had been taken with Clydesdale Bank and repayments were paid from a joint account.

Mr McGinty said: 'McCallum was interviewed by HMRC officers and demonstrated considerable understanding of the benefits system.'

Sheriff Patrick Hughes said that he would hear mitigation at the sentencing hearing.

Sheriff Hughes said it was a serious matter and that custody would be a possibility.

He deferred sentence for a month, for a social work report and a restriction of liberty assessment.

Mr McGinty called for a confiscation order as part of McCallum's sentence.

## Nurse receives national honour in Australia

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Myra left Campbeltown, where her mother Moira still lives, for nursing training in Glasgow and a midwifery course in Aberdeen, qualifying in January 1979.

She did a further intensive care course before moving to Australia in 1986.

'I was only going to go for a year but nearly 33 years later, I'm still here,' she said.

Myra initially worked in cardiac surgery in Melbourne, then in intensive care in Perth.

She worked as an occupational health nurse in a gold mine and spent seven years on an oil

rig, before joining the RFDS. Flights, from five minutes to five or six hours, have just a pilot and a nurse, but occasionally a doctor is necessary, depending on the incident's severity.

**Think laterally**

Myra said: 'It can be anything from someone in premature labour to someone who has fractured their leg, or very serious accidents. You can be tasked with something then mid-flight it changes - you have to think laterally.'

Myra added: 'I love it. It's the best job I've ever had. We have the best office window in the world.'

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# BBC Radio 3 will air SSO Campbeltown concert

'We are excited to have the orchestra join us for a week in Campbeltown'

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A BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra (BBC SSO) concert at Victoria Hall in October will be broadcast on BBC Radio 3.

Following its run on The Proms, at London's Royal Albert Hall, the BBC SSO will take up a week-long residency, with many free events and recitals, in and around Campbeltown from September 29 to October 4.

The Victoria Hall concert features a live 80-piece orchestra.

The programme for the concert includes, Scottish composer Helen Grime's piece 'Snow from Two Eardly Pictures' inspired by a Joan Eardley painting, Britten's 'Four Sea Interludes' from Peter Grimes, and Mussorgsky's much-loved 'Pictures at an Exhibition' conducted by renowned Scottish conductor Rory MacDonald.

The residency will include community events plus school workshops in Campbeltown, the surrounding area and on the Isle of Gigha.

The orchestra's action-packed week includes a 'come and sing' session,

workshops and performances. Musicians from Campbeltown Grammar School (CGS) will receive performance masterclasses and workshops.

Pupils will also have the chance to perform alongside BBC SSO players, providing participants with valuable opportunities to work with professional musicians.

Pupils from primary schools including: Castlehill, Dalintober, Carradale, Drumlemble, and Gigha will receive creative music workshops, musical assemblies and a special performance from the orchestra.

In addition to this there will be sessions with BBC Scotland's L.A.B. digital education initiative.

James Murdoch, head of music at CGS, said: 'We are excited to have the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra join us for a week in Campbeltown.'

'In particular we are looking forward to learning and performing with the orchestra during the residency - certainly a one-off experience for our pupils.'

'Beyond the musical benefit is the wider creative and aspirational model which the orchestra promotes.'

'It will have an influence on anyone looking to progress in music and creative industries.'

Gigha primary head Julie Wilson added: 'Gigha Primary School and Pre-Five Unit are absolutely delighted to be welcoming BBC SSO to our isle of stories.'

'Children from Gigha, Rhunahaorine, Glenbarr and Clachan will gain unprecedented access to high quality arts input designed to inspire creativity and commitment to classical music.'

'This is an incredible opportunity, to raise their aspirations about careers in the arts sector and to open up new worlds of musical learning and enjoyment.'

Pupils from CGS will be working, with Templar Arts and Leisure Centre, Tarbert (TALC) and the BBC SSO, to create animations and posters for the residency, using a musical theme to explore their experiences of living in Campbeltown.

The residency is presented by the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra with support from Argyll and Bute Council and the Creative Arts in Schools Team.

For more on this story see page 22.



BBC SSO players group portrait. Photo by John Wood.

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# Bar fighter airlifted to hospital after brawl

## Court reporter

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An Ardrishaig barman was provoked by two customers, in an Islay hotel, before he rendered one of them unconscious and stamped on his head.

Blair MacDonald Johnston, 41, of 9 Brae Road, Ardrishaig, Lochgilphead, was attacked behind the Islay bar on November 8 last year.

Last Thursday, a Campbeltown sheriff was shown a CCTV film of the incident and a subsequent fight which led to a customer being helicoptered to hospital

in Glasgow, with multiple fractures and a bleed on the brain.

Johnston, who formerly leased Lochgilphead's Argyll Hotel, appeared on indictment and pleaded guilty, under provocation, to a charge of assault, severe injury and permanently disfiguring one of two men.

He pleaded guilty to a further charge, also under provocation, of assaulting a second man, knocking him to the ground and repeatedly punching him.

The court was told the two men had been working for Spie Alarms servicing the

system at an Islay police station.

They had come into the hotel bar at 8pm and continued drinking till 2am.

The man who was rendered unconscious said in a statement that he had no recall of the earlier part of the evening until he woke up in hospital.

The silent CCTV film opened with all three men talking at the bar in the early hours.

Johnston returned behind the bar to be followed by one man who knocked him to the floor. The other man also went behind the bar and attacked Johnston.

After some moments calm was restored and all three were seen talking by the bar.

After about six minutes the two men, led by Johnston, were seen to leave the bar by a door leading to the hotel foyer.

A scuffle erupts and they return fighting into the bar. Johnston lays one man flat

and stamps on his forehead before fighting the other man.

Eventually the two men stumble outside where one collapsed in the street and the other dialled 999.

He was seen by a consultant at 8.50am in Glasgow's Queen Elizabeth Hospital where it was established, through a CT scan, that, although there was no danger to his life, he had significant injuries including fractures to his cheekbone and eye-socket.

He had double vision and his driving licence was revoked because of the period in which he was unconscious.

Sheriff Patrick Hughes said: 'This is an extremely serious matter, as you are a first offender, there is a requirement by law to order reports.'

Sheriff Hughes deferred sentence for two months and added that one possible sentence would be custody.

## London play live in Campbeltown

'Julie', the play about a wild and newly single woman, will be beamed live from London's National Theatre next Thursday at 7pm.

During the National Theatre live season at Campbeltown Picture House each production is filmed and broadcast, as it happens.

Cameras are carefully positioned throughout the theatre auditorium to ensure that cinema audiences get the 'best seat in the house' view of each production.

Julie (Vanessa Kirby, The Crown) throws a late night party and initiates a power game with Jean - which rapidly descends into a savage fight for survival.

This new version of August Strindberg's play Miss Julie, rated 15, remains shocking and fiercely relevant, with strobe lighting, in its new setting of contemporary London.



A still from the play Julie.

## Bailed man damaged car

Sentence was deferred, at Campbeltown Sheriff Court on a teenager who punched a car windscreen so hard it cracked.

John Townsley, 18, of 20 Glenside, Campbeltown, who was on bail at the time, appeared from custody last Thursday and pleaded guilty to striking the car, in Cross Street on May 27.

Sheriff Patrick Hughes called for reports and bailed Townsley, warning him that if there was any further offending he would be jailed.

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# Man who threatened police officers is jailed

A Campbeltown man who made threats and repeatedly spat on a female police officer has been jailed.

Michael Coates, aged 56, 10C Burnbank Street, Campbeltown, pleaded guilty at Campbeltown Sheriff Court to behaving in a threatening or abusive manner and assaulting the officer on July 24 this year.

Procurator fiscal depute Eoin McGinty told the court that Coates, who has an extensive record of previous convictions in Scotland and England, was approached by police and asked to dismount the bicycle he was riding.

Mr McGinty said Coates immediately became aggressive and told the officers: 'You would never survive in Glasgow, you're too small.'

After he ignored warnings about his conduct and was arrested, he said: 'If these



Campbeltown Sheriff Court.

cuffs come off, I'll break your nose in two minutes.

'I'll find out where you stay and nail you off duty. You'll not see it coming.'

He repeatedly spat on the female officer's face and head and began hitting her.

At the police station, he remained aggressive and refused to answer any questions.

He made homophobic remarks to officers and threat-

ened their families, saying: 'This is a small town. I'll find out where you all live and on a cold winter's night when you least expect it, you're f\*\*\*\*\*.'

Defence solicitor Michael Foster told the court that although Coates had an extensive record of previous convictions, he had not offended for several years prior to this incident and there had been a 'substantial change' in his lifestyle.

'From being a habitual criminal, he has now been crime free for five years,' said Mr Foster. 'By way of explanation but in no way an excuse, Mr Coates feels that since he returned to the area, he has been subjected to unnecessary attention from the police.'

He said that in this instance, 'his state of anger persisted because there was a degree of force in restraining him' and he recognises that his behaviour was 'not justified'.

Sheriff Patrick Hughes said Coates' behaviour was 'wholly unacceptable'.

Sentencing him to six months' imprisonment, Sheriff Hughes said: 'The nature of this offence, the threats and repeated spitting in the face of a female police officer requires a custodial sentence, especially given your record of previous convictions.'

## Council budget overspend predicted

An extra £2.4million spend on social work services has caused Argyll and Bute Council to predict an overspend for 2018/19 of £3m.

Just a third of the way through the financial year a report considered by the authority's policy and resources committee reveals the predicted figures.

An overspend of £350,000 on education, due to increased demand for additional support needs (ASN), and an additional £83,000 being spent on customer services relating to cleaning and catering, is also forecast.

The document, compiled by the council's head of strategic finance Kirsty Flanagan, also details an underspend of more than £1.5m by the authority in the 2018-19 year to date.

Ms Flanagan says in her report: 'Steps will be taken to mitigate against this level of overspend continuing throughout the year.'

'The [social work] overspend is across a number of services within social work but in the main relates to unidentified savings for the year.'

### Additional savings

'Work is ongoing to identify additional savings/underspends to cover off the unidentified savings figure of £2.345m.'

'This is a very early estimate at this stage and will be monitored closely going forward with every effort being made to mitigate this overspend.'

The report also states that the underspend of more than £1.5m so far this year is partly because the council has spent less on staffing in education.

## Backing sought for rural growth deal

The case for Argyll and Bute's rural growth deal has been boosted after council leader Aileen Morton met David Mundell, Secretary of State for Scotland, in Lochgilphead on Tuesday.

It was the latest in the council's series of high-level meetings with both the Scottish and UK governments, making the case for additional investment in the area.



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## Autumnal airs

Kintyre musicians of all genres are already talking about the late September and early October residency by the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra.

News of the visit started to appear late last week and it promises to be an almost unprecedented cultural event.

Workshops are promised with every Kintyre school and the grand finale concert in the Victoria Hall has a very low ticket price for an 80-piece orchestra of this calibre.

## New chapter in book festival

Kintyre detective writer Denzil Meyrick has made headlines at the Edinburgh International Book Festival.

The BBC reported on Denzil's own days with the police as a beat constable for three years and dredged up a smudgy photograph of the young officer.

During the festival he has spoken to government ministers and backed the concept of a Kintyre book festival, which the Courier revealed in June. Denzil is convinced a festival may garner high level support. Although Denzil will not be involved in the organisation, behind the scenes he is sounding out other writers. He has reported that there is a groundswell of support.

## Intandem mentoring needs your help after sad loss

Sir,  
We recently held an information day at Campbeltown Co-op and it was great to chat to so many lovely locals about the 'intandem' mentoring service for children and young people in and around Campbeltown, Kintyre and Islay.

Thanks to an initial article in the Courier last month, some local interest was quickly generated.

However, very sadly last week and just a month before our first training session, one of our treasured volunteers suddenly passed away leaving a massive hole in the lives of his family but also in the potential for our service.

We now urgently need mentors to apply and take part in training sessions on September 21 and 22 in Campbeltown Picture House.

Children 1st's intandem is part of the Scottish Government's unique scheme to support and mentor 'looked after' children, who are living at home, aged eight to 14 across Scotland, with Argyll and Bute one of their target areas.

A 'looked after' child is one who needs the regular support and assessment of the local authority professionals to ensure their safety and wellbeing.

People can be any age and from any background to become an in tandem mentor but will always need the willingness to help a

child express their hopes and dreams and rebuild their confidence.

Importantly you will need to believe in children's rights to have an equal life to their peers regardless of their circumstances.

We have all had a role model who believed in us either at work, in the family or wider school or community.

If you feel you could spare two to three hours per week we would massively appreciate your support.

We also think that the compassionate mentor we sadly lost so suddenly would be really proud that Campbeltown folk had risen to the challenge he has left us with.

For more info and application packs, visit [www.children1st.org.uk](http://www.children1st.org.uk) or email [maggie.farrell@children1st.org.uk](mailto:maggie.farrell@children1st.org.uk) or [volunteer@children1st.org.uk](mailto:volunteer@children1st.org.uk)

**Maggie Farrell,**  
Mentor coordinator,  
Children 1st.

## Still the wrong H Shapiro

Sir,  
The painting featured in last week's Courier is by the late Hyman Shapiro, who had a holiday house at Dippen Cottage, by Tarbert.

His wife, Gretel, was a potter.

They hailed from Glasgow and had three children, a boy and two girls, who attended the same school as I did.

**Molly Smith,**  
Tarbert.

## Tarbert iCentre concerns

Sir,  
In Tarbert I am still hearing justifiable anger about Visit Scotland's plan to close Tarbert's iCentre.

This will not only affect those directly employed at the iCentres but may also have a negative effect on the employment created through tourism.

I will continue to offer full support to the Tarbert and Skipness Community Trust in its talks to ask for an asset handover and take over the iCentre building.

There is also a need for more social housing to be built in Tarbert.

I am pushing housing associations to act and build houses where they are needed.

Not just with large scale developments in towns but with more smaller builds in villages and hamlets across the Kintyre and Islands ward.

Living in social housing, myself I know, all too well, the challenges in persuading housing associations to act on any complaints.

Budgets are limited and front line housing association staff can only do as they are instructed from central management.

I would remind the management of some of our housing associations that hodgepodge repair work with sealant and paint is not even an adequate short term solution to rotten door and window frames.

Many of my constituents feel that their current housing is not meeting that standard.

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**Councillor Alastair Redman,  
Portnahaven,  
Islay.**

## Double the exposure, half the effort

Sir,  
I note that Councillor Redman has taken to writing different letters to the Courier and the Advertiser.

It sounds like a lot of effort, but it isn't really of course.

He only has two letters, or thoughts.

One is 'look at me, aren't I good, I've spoken to somebody, been to a meeting and filled in potholes'.

The other is some variation on 'SNP bad, Scotland too wee, too poor and too rubbish, and Union wonderful'.

He simply takes one from each pile and alternates them between the papers.

I am astounded that the editors allow themselves to be used so blatantly for such self-publicity.

**Tony Williams,  
Nauseous Old Man,  
Muasdale.**

## Dogs are not sensible cycling accessories

Sir,  
I was interested at your article about the Bartholomew family and their cycling exploits.

As one who cycles up the B842 almost daily, I never fail to be amazed at the number of drivers who try to squeeze past me on this single track road, particularly if they are driving a 10-ton lorry.

Swift evasive action like cycling into the nearest blackthorn hedge is often the safest response - not so easy for a family of four with two dogs.

Apologies to my very courteous regulars!

Equally, a recent, very short-lived trial involving me, the bike, the reasonably well-behaved dog and a quiet section of forest road ended up with me and the bike upside down in a ditch and the dog last seen streaking up the hill, lead flying, chasing a deer.

Cycling around here is not a gentle amble up a country lane. Many roads are relatively narrow, traffic travels fast, and cyclists are few and far between so often unexpected.

Bright clothing, bright rear lights, and a mirror are sensible accessories - two dogs are not.

**Trish Hurst,  
Carradale.**

**The Bartholomew family cycle on the road to Peninver. 25\_c34cyclists01**



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# FROM OUR FILES

## TEN YEARS AGO

**Friday August 29, 2008**

### We've got three times the joy

For at least 30 years there is no record of triplets being born in Campbeltown, but this was broken when Kelly Maguire gave birth to a new set in June.

Kelly, who is originally from Campbeltown, moved back here with her partner Alec Souden and their three newborns Eva, Warren and Saraya Souden, who were born in the Queen Mother's Hospital in Glasgow.

Kelly said: 'At first when I heard I was having triplets I was really, really happy then I started to think about it a bit more and I just got worried.'

'But we are delighted and all three of them are getting on fine, although it is hard work.'



Proud parents Kelly and Alec, pictured in 2008, with, left to right, Eva, Warren and Saraya.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

**Friday September 3, 1993**

### Sailing adventure in the wind

Time will seem to roll back today (Friday), when the square rigged ship 'Eye of the Wind' sails into Campbeltown Loch.

Built in 1910, but now completely refurbished as a training vessel, the sailing ship is making a special call at Campbeltown to bring Greg McGeachy, 20, and 18-year-old James Allan back to their home port.

Before they step ashore, Greg and James will welcome other Kintyre youngsters aboard and tell them of some of their experiences crewing in the Tall Ships Race from Newcastle to

Norway and back.

About a hundred people are expected to attend a reception on board, organised by Kintyre Youth Club, with the support of the South Kintyre Working Group of Argyll and the Islands Enterprise, Wm Low and the Royal Bank of Scotland.

The club organised Greg's trip, arranging for him to fly to Bergen for the final leg of the race.

James, a trainee at the Campbeltown Training Centre, had been aboard from Newcastle.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO

**Thursday August 29, 1968**

### A whale of a fright

A quiet night's fishing ended in terror for a group of Port Charlotte fishermen on Thursday.

The group – led by Mr Iain MacIndeor, a 54-year-old shepherd from Nerabus – was fishing from a dinghy in Glen Bay – mid-way between Port Charlotte and Portnahaven

– when a 50-foot whale suddenly broke the surface and almost capsized the boat.

The whale quickly submerged, however, and the frightened fishermen hurriedly made for the shore and beached their dinghy.

## Multi-headed marigold discovered

A horticultural rarity has been discovered in a Campbeltown garden – a 30-headed marigold.

The discovery was made by Mr Angus Morrison, a keen amateur gardener, of 32 Crosshill Avenue, Campbeltown, on Monday.

The marigold calendula flowered normally at first. When the flower died off, Mr Morrison thought that was the end of the marigold but the 30 small heads sprang from the seed pod.

## ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO

**Saturday August 31, 1918**

### Union Jack Club

On Saturday evening last a party of a hundred army men was entertained to a knife-and-fork supper and smoking concert by the committee of the Union Jack Club.

The hall of the club was tastefully decorated for the occasion, and the men were not slow in showing their appreciation of the substantial fare provided for them by the ladies' committee.

After supper, Sheriff Macmaster Campbell, president of the club, who was in the chair, in the course of a brief speech extended a cordial welcome, on behalf of the club, to the officers and men present.

The company then settled down for an hour and a half of cigarettes and music.

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## DOWN MEMORY LANE



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Golden and diamond wedding anniversaries are a staple of regional newspapers.

The cut-off point is at 50 years, and many whose marriages have survived half a century, seem a bit shy about sharing and it is a rare ruby wedding that makes it into print.

Couples at Sunday's 150th anniversary of Lorne Street church whose marriage years were below the magic 50 seemed happy to share a few memories.

Fiona (née Short) and Alasdair McPhee, feature on page 13 and have been married 42 years.

Mr McPhee remembered it being slightly different times in the mid-1970s when he asked Fiona's father for her hand in marriage.

Mrs McPhee said: 'I was home on holiday from nursing in the Channel Islands when we met and the rest is history.'

Roselyn (née Farmer) and Calum MacLean were taken back to their wedding day on July 20 1973, when Calum's golfing pals formed an arch with clubs on the steps of Lorne Street church.

Mr MacLean joked that marriage had been good for his golf. He said: 'In 1971 I won the



The Lorne Street Church spring fair in 1972. 25\_c35heritage17

championship at Machrihanish but 11 years later, after being married nearly a decade, I won the county championship.'

Mrs MacLean said: 'Forty-five years I have had him and I would not swap him.'

Many other snippets feature in the exhibition including this extract from a meeting of the Lorne Street church conveners, on December 1 1970, which details of some of the events to come in 1971:

Coffee Morning: To be held in the town hall on a Saturday in January; if at all possible the 30th. The clerk was instructed to write to the Town Chamberlain on this point and to book the upper hall and kitchen from 9am to 1pm. A charge of two shillings (10 pence) per person was suggested and approved.

Tea was clearly more expensive as the extract below shows:

Afternoon tea: Mrs W Jones suggested that an afternoon tea should be held in the church hall, the date to be fixed in relation to that secured for the coffee morning. This was approved as was a charge of three shillings (15 pence) per person.

Mr Donald Shaw intimated that he was hopeful of having a 'Men's Night Entertainment' on Wednesday February 17 and if it was considered practicable could be carried into a second performance on February 18, the ladies being asked to provide the teas or other suitable refreshments. The clerk was instructed to obtain the Deacon's Court permission for the use of the hall.-



Roselyn and Calum MacLean beside a board showing their wedding photographs.

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It was eyes down at the Jimmy Taylor Memorial Trophy presentation for Greg Sargent, Taylor Black and Keelan Black with mum Arlene Black (nee Taylor) just able to see against the low late afternoon sun. 25\_c35loyal08



Barry Ferguson, Jennifer Maguire, Diane Gillon and Dillon McCulloch sold signed Rangers balls for the Fernando Ricksen MND appeal. 25\_c35loyal07

# Capacity crowd at Loyal's town hall fundraiser

## Question and answer session in the town hall

**Words and photographs Mark Davey**  
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Dedicated football fans, determined to help Rangers FC, set up a club in 2009 which has gone from strength to strength.

Campbeltown Loyal Rangers Supporters Club's annual charity fundraising evening, arranged by Billy Gilchrist, packed the town hall last Saturday.

The sell-out, 150-ticket event left standing room only for a question and answer session with legends Barry

Ferguson and Lee McCulloch. Earlier McCulloch had led the Blues to victory in the Jimmy Taylor Memorial Trophy in front of a near capacity crowd, on the town's 3G pitch.

At the start of the evening Loyal's treasurer and kit sponsor Calum Semple said some thank yous to sponsors including: Archie Mathieson, Cathy at Café Bluebell, McFadyens Contractors, McFadyens Transport, Glenside Tractors, Andrew Smith Tyres, D McNair and Son, Campbeltown Motor

Company, Jewsons and Kintyre Hire.

In addition Mr Semple praised Zena Coffield and her team at Campbeltown Town Hall for all their help, especially in sorting out the licence for the venue at very short notice.

He also thanked Loyal stalwarts Roger Sargent and Ronnie Souden, who sold 2,000 raffle tickets.

The most poignant moment of the evening came when Mr Ferguson spoke about a fundraising stall run throughout the event.

Signed Rangers footballs at £20 and a guess-the-number-of-crystals-on-a-bottle-of-vodka competition, were being sold for a charity, set up by former Rangers player Fernando Ricksen who has Motor Neuron Disease.

Mr Ferguson became very emotional as he spoke about the disease afflicting his friend and said: 'Fernando was always hyperactive, he can hardly speak but up in his head he knows what is happening, he's still fighting on but has just months to live.'



The teams lined up before the match. 25\_c35loyal04



Tackling a star: Barry Ferguson in action. 25\_c35loyal05



Gregor Semple, Kriss Brown, Barry Ferguson and Ellis Robertson. 25\_c35loyal06



It was all laughs for the stars Barry Ferguson, MC Stan Gordon and Lee McCulloch at the Q and A session. 25\_c35loyal09



This was not a hand ball for Lee McCulloch, sometimes the camera lies. 25\_c35loyal02

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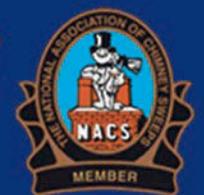
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# History in the making at 150th anniversary

## 'Lorne Street was very much a family church'

**Words and photographs**  
**Mark Davey**  
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A formal 39-page pamphlet marked the centenary of a Campbeltown church in 1968.

Fast forward half a century and much has changed at the former Lorne Street Free Church, which became Church of Scotland in 1929 and continued until its closure in 1991.

The building still looks like a church but inside it has been transformed into the museum called Campbeltown Heritage Centre (CHC).

What has not altered is its purpose, to record and celebrate the lives and memories of the families that were its glue as a church and to

continue to be a repository for that heritage.

This seemed to be Elizabeth Kelly's concept for the bedrock of last Sunday's 150th anniversary party executed by diligent and time-consuming scanning of more than 300 photographs by Marlyn Moffat.

Church bells rang out at 2.15pm as guests arrived and many were surprised to discover the authentic sound came from a large slightly hidden speaker.

Inside, drinks were served as a line processed through to the main exhibition space, many pausing to look at the large-scale models of the town.

A series of exhibition panels running round the room created a time-line from the church's construction

in 1868 approximately to its closure.

Many of these highlighted joyous family occasions such as baptisms, marriages and the life of the 2nd Campbeltown Boys' Brigade.

One table was devoted to colour photographs of church picnics and summer outings to the beach between 1962 and 1965.

Kintyre Amenity Trust administers CHC and its chairman Alan Milstead, made a short speech.

Mr Milstead praised trustees Marlyn Moffat, for her work in creating and designing the exhibition and Elizabeth Kelly, for suggesting the idea.

He introduced Reverend Catriona Hood whose father, Reverend James W Hood, accepted the call to Lorne

Street in May 1961 and was the minister when the church closed 30 years later.

Rev Hood said: 'Lorne Street was very much a family church.'

In the 100th anniversary pamphlet published by the Oban Times, Rev Hood wrote: 'History is always in the making and, for Presbyterians at any rate, it is seldom more interesting than when centred round the church.'

'This is all the more true if it is the particular church and congregation with which they have long been associated, 'their ain Kirk' - in other words.'

'I want to thank everybody who has made this exhibition come to life - it is really beautiful,' added Catriona on Sunday afternoon.



Folk have a wee blether as they look round the boards.

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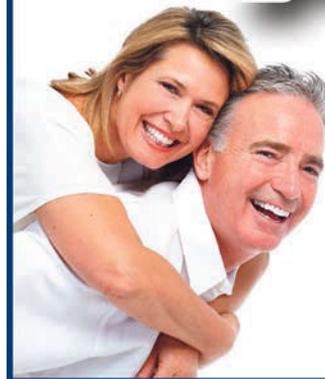
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Fiona, née Short, and Alasdair McPhee's wedding photographs from 1976 were on display. 25\_c35heritage20



Food lay untouched as guests scanned the archived photographs and memorabilia assembled by Marlyn Moffatt. 25\_c35heritage04



Campbeltontians travel back in time to 1950. 25\_c35heritage10



There were many fascinating stories. 25\_c35heritage11



Identified in this photograph, from Dunaverty Beach in May 1964, are Reverend James Hood, Mhairi MacDougall and Pat McDougall. 25\_c35heritage30

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# Jenna is crowned 'woman of the year'

**Hannah O'Hanlon**

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A slimmer who lost five stone and dropped five dress sizes has been crowned woman of the year.

Jenna Campbell, 33, from Carradale, was nominated for the Slimming World honour by her fellow members at the group's lunchtime slot.

Jenna admitted that she was 'in shock' when she found out, adding: 'It was a nice surprise.'

Despite her busy schedule, working at Kintyre Recycling and attending Woodlands Resource Centre, Jenna is one of the group's most regular attendees.

Class leader Rhona Galbraith said: 'Jenna's done so fantastically, she's an inspiration to the group, she's there every week and she takes everything on board that we say to her.'

'She's absolutely fantastic and the whole group just admires her.'

Jenna's mum, Christine, who prepares most of Jenna's meals, said: 'The family is so proud of her. She enjoys going to the classes because they have taster days, making and trying new things.'

'She has lots of friends who give her tips and encouragement.'

Sister Hayley added: 'She puts us all to shame.'

Jenna, who had her first ever weigh-in on July 27 last year, was encouraged to join the group by Jayne Gillies, her key worker at Woodlands at the time.

Jayne said: 'I suggested it as I thought Jenna would love being part of a club and the other members are very supportive and get behind you and I knew Jenna would really thrive in that situation.'

'She has done amazingly well and could actually teach me a thing or two about self control when it comes to food. I'm so proud of her and she absolutely deserves her title of woman of the year, she looks amazing.'

Jenna says she will keep going to the lunchtime class, which welcomes between 50 and 60 members each week.

Christine shares weekly updates on Jenna's progress on her Facebook page and the 'likes' and comments give Jenna a lot of encouragement.

The woman of the year title was bestowed on two others, Lucy West and Kelly Brown, one from each of the Campbeltown branch's evening classes, which receive between 50 and 75 members.

Classes, all led by Rhona, meet every Tuesday at 1pm, 5.30pm and 7.30pm in the Masonic Recreational Lodge, St John Street.



Jenna Campbell:  
Woman of the year.  
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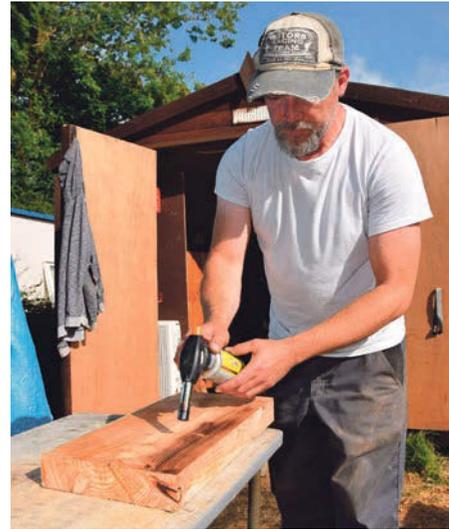
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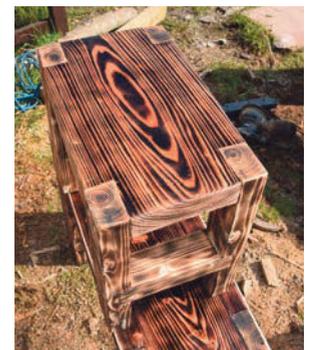
# Woodworkers ingrain top skills at Clachan Smallholders' Gathering



The blow torch gives the wood a beautiful scorched effect.



A piece of reclaimed wood is cut to size.



The scorched effect leaves this stool looking like a mint humbug.

A trained classical instrument repairman, who uses his fine woodwork skills to make one-of-a-kind furniture, will share his expertise at Clachan Smallholders' Gathering.

Terry Russell, 43, who studied musical instrument technology at Merton College in London, will provide a woodworking demonstration at tomorrow's jam-packed Clachan Village Hall event.

Originally from West Sussex, Terry now lives in Tarbert and said there were 'too many trees in the area not to do something with them'.

He creates unique benches and stools from scratch at Blarbuie Men's Shed in Lochgilhead, each a little different from the rest.

Where possible, Terry uses reclaimed wood which would otherwise be burned or discarded.

'I'm giving it a bit of extra life,' he said. 'It might become part of the family furniture when it could just have been the end.'

He uses larch, soft pine or whatever he can get his hands on, and is keen to source some hard wood.

He finishes some pieces by scorching the wood with a blowtorch, giving it a unique finish, dependent on the grain of the wood, while others are left natural.

At the Smallholders' Gathering, Terry will demonstrate his scorching technique as well as sharing some other basic woodworking skills including making wood joints, sanding the wood and finishing off the products.

With limited jobs available in the very niche industry in which he trained, Terry feels lucky to be able to transfer some of the skills he learned at college into creating something beautiful for others.

'It's just a hobby but I would love if it became a job.'

Terry will take around 10 pieces to Clachan to sell, and if his products and advice prove popular, he wants to attend other shows and events around Argyll.

Also at the Smallholders' Gathering, Diane Thomas, who runs the 'Branching Out' course in Oban, will demonstrate 'green' woodworking, using human power to create all her items.

The woodworkers will form just a small part of the entertainment over the course of the afternoon and evening.

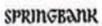
In addition to the demonstrations, from 1pm until 4pm there will be a bucking broncho competition, face painting, haircuts and massage, Wild West games, line dancing and Samba drumming workshops and more.

From 7pm, musicians from across the country will join local artists to provide the soundtrack as festivalgoers enjoy a barbecue, games and dancing until midnight.

Tickets for the main events cost £10 per adult and supervised children are £3.50.

For haircuts, massage, line dancing and Samba places, there is a £5 charge plus a ticket reservation.

The gathering is expected to be a hit, so call 01880 740660 as soon as possible to guarantee yourself a ticket!



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# Serving soldier tried to bite police constable

A Campbeltown soldier, serving at Leuchars, Fife, pleaded guilty at Campbeltown Sheriff Court to threatening and abusive behaviour and trying to bite a policeman.

Fintan Rochford, 25, of 32A Barochan Place, Argyll Street, Campbeltown, was on leave in the town on August 3 and had been out with his girlfriend, an Austrian student.

## Argument

When they returned to his parents' house, an argument developed and Rochford accused the woman of cheating on him.

During the argument, at about 2am, he threw things round the room, shouted, swore and tore the doors

from a wardrobe.

Police were called and, when they arrived, Rochford was uncooperative. As he was arrested Rochford attempted to bite one officer on the hand.

Defence solicitor Christian Kane said that Rochford accepted he had drunk far too much. Mr Kane said that the relationship was at an end. Mr Kane added that Rochford was 'embarrassed and ashamed of his behaviour.'

Sheriff Patrick Hughes said: 'This was an unpleasant incident which appears to be out of character.'

Sheriff Hughes fined Rochford £700 as a direct alternative to custody.

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## Somewhere over the rainbow



Courier reporter Hannah O'Hanlon searched for a pot of gold after snapping this complete rainbow crossing Campbeltown Loch. 50\_c33rainbow02

## Academic to speak at Yes Kintyre's Brexit meeting

A Green Party academic will speak at a Yes Kintyre meeting on Scottish Independence.

The group will host a public meeting with Dr Craig Dalzell, head of research at think tank, Common Weal, focusing on Brexit and the road to Independence, at The Argyll Arms, Campbeltown, at 2pm on Saturday September 8.

Dr Dalzell has written detailed papers and books on the policy options for an

independent Scotland, covering currency, debt, taxes, growing the economy and Europe.

### Practical steps

His recent book, How To Start A New Country, exploring the practical steps Scotland should take the day after a 'yes' vote, has been well received.

Yes Kintyre organiser Ron Wilson said: 'Craig Dalzell brings a fresh and compelling perspective to the independ-

ence debate, and will be of great interest to people in these uncertain times, dealing with both the challenges and opportunities of independence for our country.'

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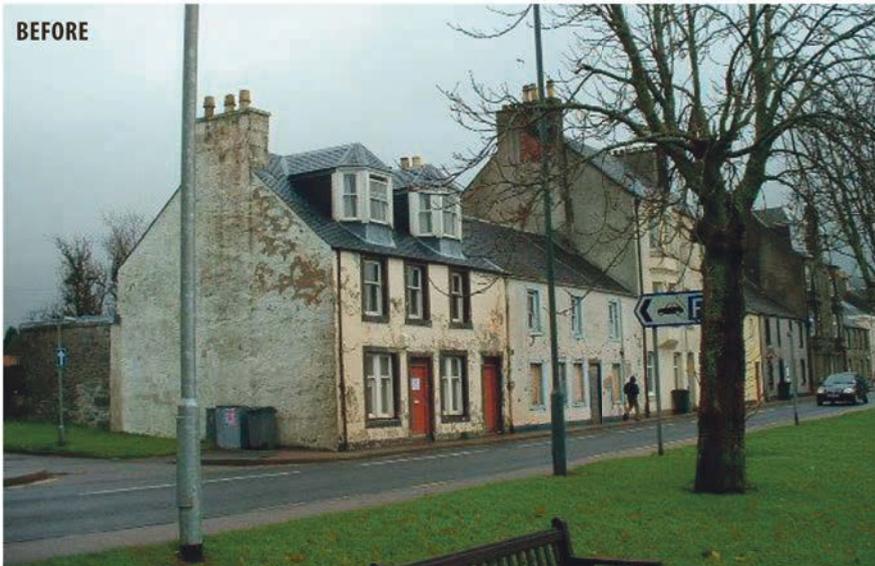
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# Council plans to cash in on blockbusters

Jurassic World's filming on Loch Long has inspired Argyll and Bute Council to try to make mega money from production teams.

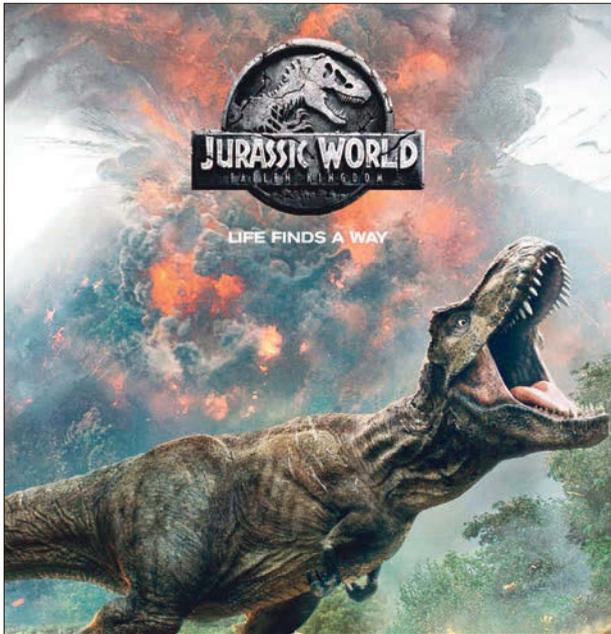
The council will cash in on the area's popularity as a filming hotspot by charging film and TV crews more to shoot on council property.

Proposals for a film location charging schedule were approved by the authority's policy and resources committee after several blockbusters were shot in the area.

These included Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom and Craig Ferguson's screenplay Love Me To Death.

A report recommended that film makers should be charged up to £1,260 plus VAT per day to film on council property, depending on their budget.

Makers of TV shows and adverts should pay up to £660 and £600 plus VAT per



The Jurassic World poster.

day respectively. The report also estimates that had the charge schedule been put in

place last year, the authority would have made thousands of pounds.

Councillor Aileen Morton said: 'We frequently receive requests for filming on council land, usually small-scale productions undertaking filming on footways.'

'However, there has been a recent increase in demand for council-owned property/land for filming purposes or to facilitate filming.'

'We compared the value we quoted previously of £15,000 with the value which could potentially be generated with the implementation of the proposed charging schedule, which totalled approximately £39,900.'

The report also says that other elements may incur additional charges from film and TV production companies, including the removal of street furniture.

The report's recommended charging schedule was approved by the committee.

## Deferred sentence for Islay man who kicked woman

Sentence has been deferred on an Islay man who kicked a woman in the stomach, causing her to double over in pain.

Scott Kevin McGurn, aged 24, 11 Bayview, Port Ellen, appeared at Campbeltown Sheriff Court and pleaded guilty to assaulting the woman on August 6 this year.

Procurator fiscal depute Eoin McGinty told the court that McGurn, who had been drinking alcohol, was at the woman's address when an argument broke out.

He became verbally aggressive and kicked the woman in her stomach, causing her to double over in pain and cry.

When the woman continued to cry, McGurn said: 'You're lucky I've not booted you in the face yet.'

Police were called and when they arrived, more than an hour later, the woman was still crying and in pain.

They found McGurn sleeping with a half empty bottle of vodka.

Defence solicitor Stephen MacSporran said that McGurn was 'horrified' by his behaviour, which was exacerbated by his alcohol consumption.

Mr MacSporran said: 'This has given him a warning that he can never touch alcohol again because of how it affects him.'

Sheriff Patrick Hughes said: 'This is one of the most scandalous things I have heard in a long time.'

'This comes a fortnight after you were last in this court - very little seems to be getting through to you.'

He deferred sentence until September 20 for a criminal justice social work report and a psychiatric assessment.

He added: 'You have to stop drinking - if you can't stop that, you will have to be locked away where you can't hurt people.'

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# West Coast shines at Food Awards Scotland



## THE WINNERS OF THE FOOD AWARDS SCOTLAND 2018 ARE ANNOUNCED

The fifth annual Food Awards Scotland welcomed over 300 guests at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Glasgow on Monday August 20 in a memorable celebration of the Scottish food industry.

Several of the awards were split into local regions to ensure the diverse range of businesses from across Scotland are recognised.

A spokesperson of the Food Awards Scotland, said: 'We are very delighted to have welcomed such great finalists and winners at the Food Awards Scotland 2018 and celebrated the food industry with them.'

'These awards aimed to thank those that 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.'

The Oban Times would like to shine a spotlight on some of our local restaurants that were shortlisted in the finals of the Food Awards Scotland 2018. Congratulations to each of them on their nomination and for being recognised for their food, service and reputation.



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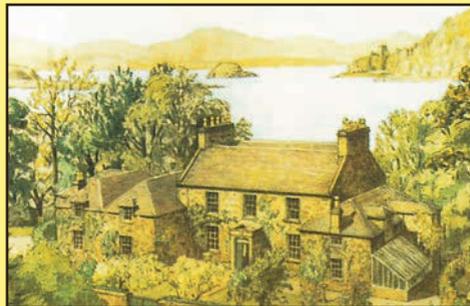
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### NOMINATED FOR RESTAURANT OF THE YEAR – CENTRAL

The team at The Hawthorn Restaurant in Benderloch were absolutely thrilled to hear that they had been nominated for Restaurant of the Year – Central.

Having been taken over earlier this year by Tam and Mary-ann Murray, the team have been very busy creating and adding new dishes to the menu. The Hawthorn is a cosy cottage restaurant that boasts a wonderful relaxed atmosphere making it the perfect place to stop for a light bite or romantic meal. Family friendly and welcoming of all

parties the Hawthorn prides itself in serving some of the best traditional Scottish dishes in the area. Make sure to pop along and visit!



### NOMINATED FOR HOTEL RESTAURANT OF THE YEAR – CENTRAL

Nominated for Hotel Restaurant of the Year, Oban's Manor House has had an exceptional reputation for food for a number of years. Managed by Gregor MacKinnon and head chef Gerard McCluskey, the team at Manor House are dedicated to providing outstanding service and fantastic dishes.

Gerard commented, 'I am extremely proud of the team and very excited for what the future holds. The feedback we get from local regular diners and guests from around the world is always positive and encouraging. I believe that the passion and skills set possessed by my team

is reflected in the quality of the food we produce. Being recognised by the Scottish Food Awards for all our hard work and ingenuity has been great news for myself and the team and has motivated us to carry on expressing ourselves with the food we produce.'



### NOMINATED FOR BEST FISH & CHIPS OF THE YEAR – CENTRAL

Oban Fish & Chip Shop were thrilled to be nominated again for Best Fish & Chips of the Year – Central.

The busy fish and chip shop on George Street, Oban, thrives to serve the freshest and tastiest traditional fish and chips, along with homemade specials and desserts. The popular take-away and 40 seater restaurant has been highly commended by chef Rick Stein, who said he had the best fish and

chips he had ever tasted. Owner Lillian said, 'We are absolutely delighted to be nominated for the fourth year running for this award, we would like to thank our regular customers as well as visitors to the town who continue to show us support by visiting us.'



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# NFUS fires broadside at Brexit statement



Andrew McCornick.

The National Farmers' Union of Scotland has blasted the technical notices released by the UK Government detailing the preparations in place for the possibility of a 'no deal' Brexit.

NFUS Andrew McCornick said: 'The announcement has not told farmers or crofters anything new and has only left us with the same questions as we had before.'

'The government needs to start giving details of what life is going to be like on the other side of Brexit.'

'We realise that governments cannot make commitments beyond their lifetime, but without confidence about the future of farm payments

beyond 2022, Scottish farm and croft businesses have no clear steer on how they should prepare beyond this time - particularly if, in the wake of a no deal Brexit, trade flows are significantly disrupted.'

'There is still not enough clarity in regards to what farm support the UK Government is planning on continuing up to 2022.'

'NFU Scotland has repeatedly asked the UK Government to define which schemes under Pillar 1 and 2 will be funded up to 2022 but continues to get no answer.'

'This is particularly concerning in terms of Pillar 2 schemes. Pillar 2 support cov-

ers multi-annual agreements such as Agri-Environment Climate Schemes, the Beef Efficiency Scheme and advisory support via the Farm Advisory Service. Pillar 2 also encompasses lifeline payments such as the Less Favoured Area Support Scheme.'

'Although time is running out for negotiations to produce the best possible outcome, it is the union's opinion that the Chequers agreement, which would uphold the principles of free and unfettered trade in agri-foods between the UK and EU, is far better than a no-deal Brexit, which would be hugely destabilising for the farming industry.'

## Kilchiaran calf is Islay show and sale champion

United Auctions (UA) held its annual show and sale of suckled calves at Islay Auction Mart last Friday.

A good offering of quality calves was available, lighter on the year.

The show was judged by Iain Maxwell, Halket Leathes, Castle Douglas and his awards were as follows: Bullock calf: 1 Kilchiaran, 2 Ardbeg, 3 Claggan. Heifer calf: 1 Ardbeg, 2 Kilchiaran. Champion calf: Kilchiaran (bullock). Reserve champion: Ardbeg (heifer).

Bullock calves sold to a top price of £1,230 from Kilchiaran and averaged £958 per head or 254 pence per kilo while heifers sold to a top price £1,110 from Ardbeg and levelled out at £795 per head or 223 pence per kilo.

On the same day, UA held its opening sale of 2,215 lambs and sheep on Islay.

Consignors opted to hold on to the longer keeping type lambs resulting in the offering of lambs averaging 37.2 kilos against 35.4 kilos last year.

Sale average was £60.72 per head or 163 pence per kilo against £57.15 or 162.1 pence per kilo last year.

A good offering of quality bred lambs was on offer and sold to a strong force of mainland buyers.

Octofad led the prices per head at £85 while Blackrock sold its consignment to 216 pence per kilo.

Sheep, principal lots and prices: Top prices per head: Lambs: SUFFx: £83.50 Octofad; £82.00 Ardbeg; £79.50 Daill Cottage; £77.00 Bola Na Traigh; £75.50 Octofad and Starchmill; £74.50 Bola Na Traigh; £74.00 Octofad; £72.50 Ballachlaven; £72.00 Claggan; £70.50 Smaladh and Ardbeg; £70.00 Duich. TEXx: £85.00 Octofad; £84.00 Ardbeg; £82.50 Blackrock; £80.50 Leorin; £78.50 Blackrock; £78.00 Starchmill; £73.50 Blackrock. BFL: £73.50 Blackrock. CHEV: £62.00 and £60.50 Duich. CROSS: £51.00 Glenegedale Lotts. MULE: £80.00 Bola Na Traigh; £62.50 Ardnave. BF: £45.50 and £39.00 RSPB Oransay.

Ewes: MULE: £58.50 Octofad; £48.50 Tallant. Top prices per kilo: SUFFx: 185p Smaladh; 179p Sanaigmore; 179p Ardtalla Estate; 173p Octofad and Bola Na Traigh; 172p Smaladh; 169p Ballachlaven, Starchmill and Daill Cottage; 168p Glenegedale Lotts; 167p Octofad, Islay Estates and Bola Na Traigh; 166p Claggan and Octofad; 165p Octofad and Smaladh. BFL: 193p Blackrock. TEXx: 216p, 214p, 212p and 194p Blackrock; 178p Leorin; 170p Starchmill and Ardtalla Estate; 167p Blackrock; 165p Daill Cottage. CHEV: 156p and 153p Foreland No2; 153p Duich. CROSS: 147p Glenegedale Lotts. MULE: 154p Carrabus Farm; 153p Ardnave; 152p Foreland No2; 151p Ardnave; 150p Carrabus. BF: 134p RSPB Oransay.

Cattle, principal lots and prices: Top prices per head, bullocks: AAx: £955 (2) Ballimartin. CHARx: £955 Blackrock. LIMx: £1,230 Kilchiaran; £1,155 (4) and £1,145 (3) Ardbeg; £1,130 (4) Kilchiaran; £1,125 Ardbeg; £1,115 Tallant; £1,105 (2)

Blackrock; £1,105 Ballimartin; £1,085 (2) Kilchiaran; £1,085 (6) Ardbeg; £1,055 Claggan (5) and Kilchiaran; £1,045 Lossit; £1,035 Ardbeg (4) and Claggan (2); £1,025 (3) Claggan; £1,015 Ballimartin (2) and Ardbeg (2); £1,000 Ardtalla Estate. Heifers: CHARx: £965 Ballimartin; £900 Tallant. LIMx: £1,110 Ardbeg; £1,025 and £975 (3) Kilchiaran; £965 (3) Ballimartin; £955 Kilchiaran; £925 Claggan. Top prices per kilo: Bullocks: AAx: 243p (4) Tallant; 238p (2) Ballimartin. CHARx: 301p (2) Tallant; 254p Blackrock. LIMx: 308p and 296p (2) Claggan; 293p (6) Ardbeg; 287p Claggan; 284p Lossit and Claggan (3); 283p Kilchiaran (4) and Claggan; 281p Ardbeg (3) and Kilchiaran; 276p Kilchiaran; 273p Tallant and Blackrock (3); 271p (2) Ardbeg; 265p (2) Kilchiaran; 263p Lossit; 261p (7) and 258p Ardbeg; 253p (2) and 251p (2) Blackrock. Heifers: CHARx: 265p Tallant; 260p (2) Blackrock. LIMx: 268p Ardbeg; 256p (3) Blackrock; 249p Lossit and Ballimartin (3) 242p (3) Kilchiaran.

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# BBC musicians are 'really excited' by Kintyre visit

The BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra will up the musical tempo when it visits Campbeltown next month.

A wide range of events are planned from free workshops to a full-scale Victoria Hall concert.

With the visit just four weeks away, BBC SSO director Dominic Parker, said: 'It's just around the corner, we're really excited.'

'It is not an area BBC SSO has been to before, and we've had so many great conversations across the community as we've planned the work.'

'I hope we'll be able to meet as many people as possible during the week, and that they will enjoy the music.'

On Saturday September 29 there will be a community event for early years and families, called 'Tunes for Tots,' at Campbeltown Town Hall.

The event runs from 9am to 11am and although it is free

the BBC SSO recommends signing up in advance at: [www.bbc.co.uk/events/epfxp6](http://www.bbc.co.uk/events/epfxp6)

The morning sessions include an opportunity for families with babies and toddlers to hear the different instruments that make up the orchestra, plus a chance to explore music from Mussorgsky's Pictures at an Exhibition through an interactive jam and dot painting.

The sessions are led by renowned music presenter and singer Lucy Drever.

On Sunday September 30, she also presents a relaxed afternoon of choir singing called Songs and a Scone.

People of all ages and abilities are welcome to take part and sing a range of folk, pop and classical songs accompanied by members of the BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra.

As well as singing in a

group there will be a chance to socialise, meet the BBC musicians and enjoy tea and a scone.

Once again the Campbeltown Town Hall workshop is free but participants must sign up in advance at: [www.bbc.co.uk/events/ecmbc8](http://www.bbc.co.uk/events/ecmbc8)

The week also includes intimate performances for residents, including Campbeltown Old Pals group and pop up performances, from BBC SSO musicians in the streets of Campbeltown.

Top right: BBC SSO at a previous Tunes for Tots.

Right: A BBC SSO Songs and Scones afternoon.



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# LEISURE & ENTERTAINMENT

WHAT'S ON IN CAMPBELTOWN AND KINTYRE

## Whitehouse garden growers' superb show

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Beautiful blooms, fabulous fruits, varied vegetables and intricate floral art graced Whitehouse's inaugural Grow and Show.

Blessed by fine weather, last Saturday's event from noon until 4pm, both in and outside the village hall, was packed with Kintyre folk and visitors from further away.

Opening the show, secretary Dorothy O'Donnell said: 'Thank you all for coming to Whitehouse's very first Grow and Show.'

'It is a community event to which we have invited all

the villagers to take part and show things they have grown in their garden.'

At the door show visitors were able to buy a programme for 50 pence. It listed the four show classes and explained the system for the people's vote which was the chosen method for selecting the winners.

Everyone was given a little booklet of voting slips and once completed they were posted in a box on each section table.

There were three specific garden gurus on hand to answer questions: horticulturalist Bill McHugh from Skipness, former Tarbert

Flower Show judge Bobby McColl and Iain MacLachlan, who hails from Islay where he has judged its flower show many times.

The full results of the people's vote were as follows: Flowers: Best of my garden by Iain MacLachlan; Floral art: miniature garden: Zoe Quinn; Vegetables: beetroot: Wendy Spy; Fruit: blueberries: Margaret Pratt.

Grow and Show spokeswoman Dorothy O'Donnell added: 'It was a very successful community event and we achieved our aims.'

'We made a small amount of money and the weather of course was in our favour.'



The organisers of Grow and Show wore special sashes. From left they are: Margaret Pratt, Dorothy O'Donnell, Iain MacLachlan, Linda McCrae, Mary Kenny, Lynda Wyatt, Evelyn Montgomerie, Heather Brownlie, Amanda Curley, Hilary Sinclair, Suse Coomes.

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# Whitehouse garden



Part of the miniature garden section. 25\_c35growandshow08



Vegetables including beetroot from Wendy Spy, which were best in section. 25\_c35growandshow18



Beautiful beans. 25\_c35growandshow19



A further selection of blooming beautiful flowers. 25\_c35growandshow11



Zoe Quinn, 10, from Preston was visiting her aunt Amanda Curley and won the floral art: miniature garden section. 25\_c35growandshow08



Marrows and tomatoes. 25\_c35growandshow18

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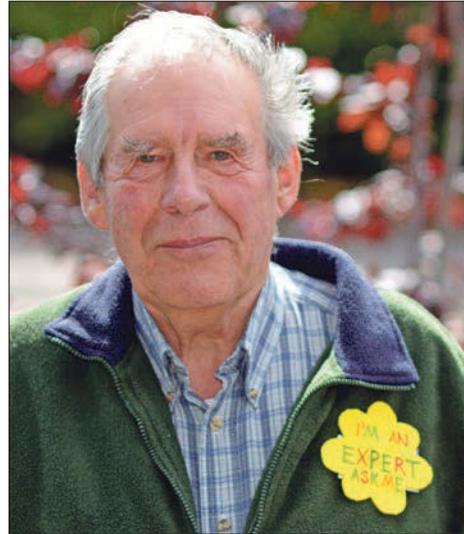
# growers' show



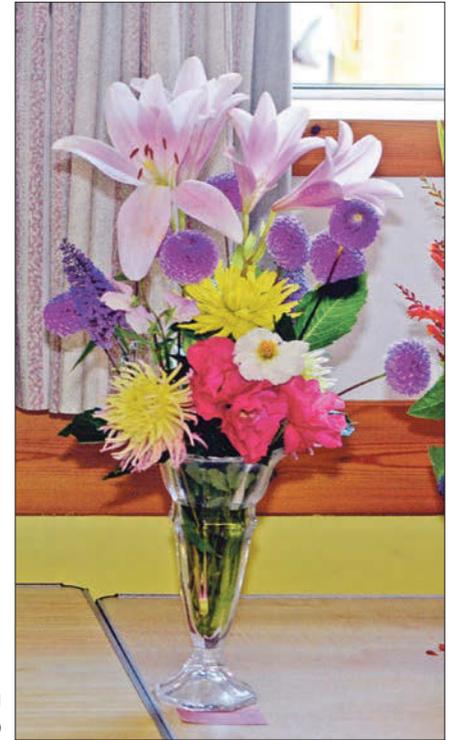
Young judges completing the People's Vote at Grow and Show's fruit section from left: Toby Taverner, 10, Anya Montgomerie, 12, Jonny Montgomerie, 10 and William Taverner, 12. 25\_c35growandshow17



Roses and sweetpeas on display in the flower section. 25\_c35growandshow14



Tarbert gun club member Bobby McColl took a break from smashing clay pigeons to advise on growing fruit trees. 25\_c35growandshow02



Iain MacLachlan's flower section winning display. 25\_c35growandshow10

## Win weekend tickets to Bowfest

Best of the West (Bowfest) 2018 enters its eighth year with three stages, more than 100 musicians, celebrity chefs, an amazing castle and more. Arguably Scotland's finest boutique festival, music and food lovers from across the globe gather to celebrate the best in Scottish music, art, food and drink. Inveraray Castle, a jewel in the West Highlands' crown, provides a unique and stunning backdrop to the weekend festival.



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The Oban Times has teamed up with organisers to offer readers the chance to win weekend tickets, with three pairs up for grabs. Coach services from Glasgow, Oban, Dunoon and Tarbert to Bowfest 2018, by West Coast Motors, will take you to the festival and back. Visit [www.bowfest.co.uk](http://www.bowfest.co.uk) to book your bus and ticket package.

To enter, simply answer the question below and return it to Bowfest 2018 Competition, The Oban Times, Oban, PO Box 1, PA34 4HB by Monday September 3. Don't forget to include your name, address and email address (winners will be notified by email).

**Question: Donnie Munro was the former front man for which band?**  
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## Emelie already a 'Loyal' supporter

A five-month-old baby helped to persuade punters to part with cash for raffle tickets at the Jimmy Taylor Memorial match. Emelie Willis joined her mum Chelsea Willis and grandmother Elaine Todd on the gate at the 3G pitch for the match, promoted by Campbeltown Loyal Rangers Supporters Club.

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# Bonnie babies at coffee morning

A trio of Kintyre's youngest residents and their mums came out last week in support of a town hall fundraiser.

Last Saturday's MS coffee morning welcomed Iris MacBrayne, eight months, Louie Goddard, five months and his sister Elle Goddard, 18 months.

The event was also well supported by visitors including the O'Donnells from Connecticut, USA, visiting Gladys Machray.

Volunteers ran bottle and baking stalls as well as a raffle and raised more than £860.

The Campbeltown MS Support Group meets regularly on Tuesday afternoons at the Community Education Centre.



Heather O'Donnell, Gladys Machray and Jim O'Donnell.  
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Babies and their mums from left: Iris MacBrayne, eight months, Victoria MacBrayne, Ailie Goddard, Louie Goddard, five months, and his sister Elle Goddard, 18 months. 25\_c35mscoffee01



Community Nurse Karen Brodie and Fiona Mason 'tested' the baking stall's strawberry tarts. 25\_c35mscoffee03

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# Successful Cowal Games for Kintyre Highland dancers



Young Kintyre dancers from the James McCorkindale School of Dancing pirouetted to trophy triumphs at the biggest Highland games in the world. Savouring their Cowal Highland Games success are, from left: Korri McMillan, winner of the Corrigal Black Trophy for first place in the beginners' section age seven years and under; Sophie Galbraith, winner of the Isla and Duncan Lauder Memorial Trophy for first place in the novice section 10 years and under; Ellie Gorman, winner of the Christina Cairns Trophy for first place in the beginners' section eight years of age; Ella McGeachy, winner of the Newberry Shield for runner-up in beginners' section nine to 12 years and Solana McMurphy, winner of the Rita Ford Challenge Trophy for runner-up in the Argyllshire Championship under 13 years. Photo by Isla Binnie.



Maureen Bell, her daughter Lesley and tiny Aria Mullen, next to a board featuring pictures of Mrs Bell's 1976 wedding in the church. 25\_c35keithbell01

## Three generations at church celebration

A baby aged 12 weeks was the youngest person at a family memories party marking the 150th anniversary of Lorne street church.

Little Aria Mullen joined her mum Lesley and grandmother Maureen, née Keith, at the celebration last Sunday afternoon in the church which closed in 1991 and was redeveloped as Campbeltown Heritage Centre.

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This one day workshop funded by Scotland's farm advisory service will focus on product branding, marketing strategies including farm diversification and will help producers to assess the potential value to their business. There will be a guest producer from Argyll and will be a great opportunity for those interested to speak to other local people involved with or thinking about food & drink strategies. It is also a great opportunity to speak to experienced consultants specialising in the food & drink sector.



Scottish Food and Drink Fortnight 2018 takes place from September 1-16 and provides the perfect opportunity for everyone to get involved in celebrating and enjoying fantastic Scottish produce, whether they're a chef, producer, retailer, caterer, hotelier, school, organisation or food enthusiast.

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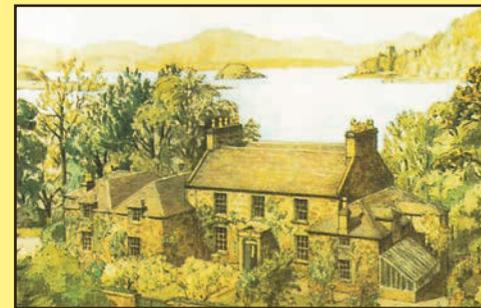
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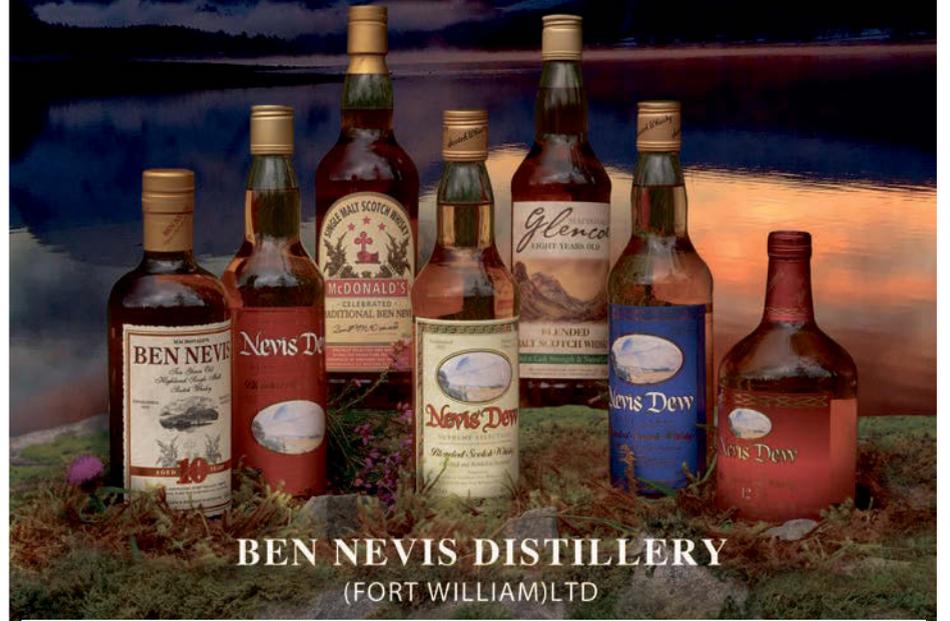
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The campaign for this year is themed around the future of Scotland's food and drink industry. This is to stimulate discussion and debate and create excitement about the industry to help spread the message that Scotland's food and drink sector really is the place to be.

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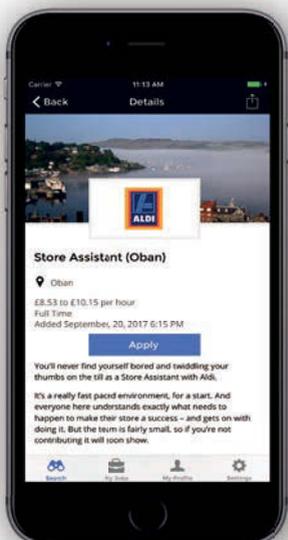


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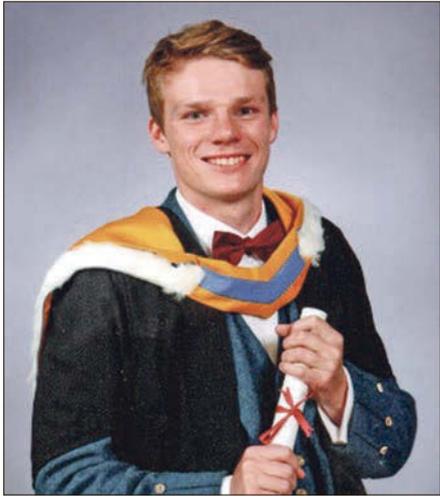
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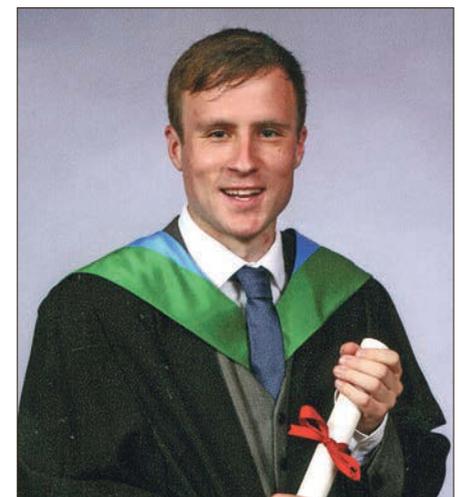
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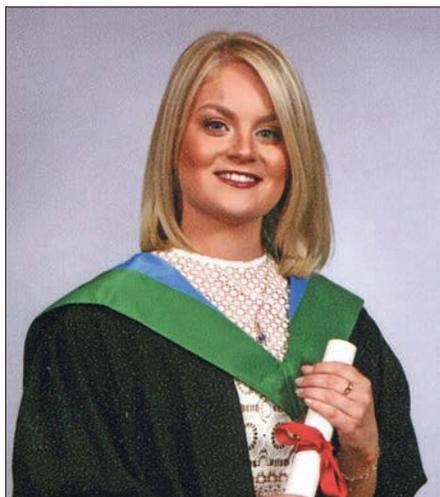
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Graduated as Doctor of Philosophy from the Institute of Biodiversity, Animal Health & Comparative Medicine at Glasgow University. She is now employed in the Insitute researching canine rabies in Africa. Elaine is the daughter of Iain and Alison Ferguson, Benrioch and granddaughter of Aitken and Amy Wilson, Glenburn.



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Graduated from Glasgow Caledonian University with a Bachelor of Science in Optometry with second class honours, upper division. William is the son of Donald and Mairi MacKinnon, and grandson of Mary and late Lawrence Robertson, and Willie and Ishbel MacKinnon. William is currently employed at Specsavers, Irvine, for his pre-registration year.



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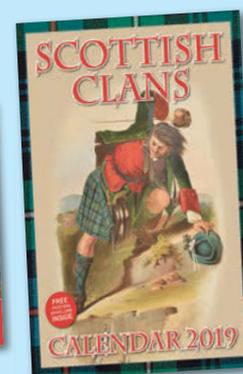
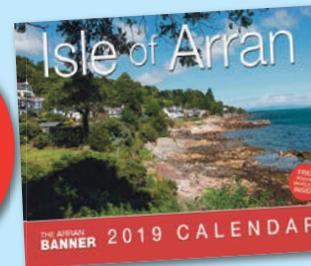
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Peggy Wareham would like to thank family and friends for the beautiful flowers, cards and gifts received on her 90th birthday. Also a big thank you to Elaine, James and staff at the Kilbrannan Bar for their kindness in making it a night to remember by all. Great night!!

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## ISLAY

## Islay Victoria Cross soldier honoured

The bravery of a Portnahaven officer in a 1918 First World War battle was commemorated in the village last week.

During four days of heavy fighting, between August 24 and 27 1918 Temporary Lieutenant David Lowe Macintyre, of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders 1/6 Battalion Highland Light Infantry inspired his men and single-handedly rushed a machine-gun post.

Last week a Portnahaven ceremony marked the hundredth anniversary of the actions at Henin and Fontaine-Les-Croisilles, France and the award of the Victoria Cross to T/Lt Macintyre.



MSP Maurice Corry, Councillor Barbara Morgan and Councillor Alastair Redman in the Museum of Islay Life.



The unveiling of the memorial stone in Portnahaven. Photograph: by Alastair Redman.

A commemorative stone was unveiled, marking T/Lt Macintyre's actions and prayers were said remembering those killed or wounded in the war.

T/Lt Macintyre survived the war and when he was made a Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB) in 1949 he had become the under secretary for Scotland in the ministry of works.

His Victoria Cross is on permanent display at the National War Museum of Scotland in Edinburgh Castle.

The ceremony was attended by the Lord Lieutenant of Argyll and Bute, Patrick Stewart, Argyll and Bute Council's armed forces champion, Councillor Barbara Morgan and the convener of the cross-party group in the Scottish parliament on armed forces and the



The memorial to T/Lt Macintyre.

veterans' community MSP Maurice Corry.

The dignitaries also visited the Museum of Islay Life.

There they saw the replica Stars and Stripes US flag, produced overnight on the island, so that the American soldiers who died after the sinking of the SS Tuscania could be buried with full military honours.

The flag was sent to President Woodrow Wilson and is in the collections of the Smithsonian's National Museum of American History in Washington.

Councillor Alastair Redman said: 'A huge thanks to all of the organisers, volunteers and everyone else who attended and made this ceremony possible.'

'It is so important that we never forget the sacrifice of these young men, who died so that we may continue to enjoy the freedom we take for granted.'

## Assault man's sentence deferred

An Islay man who acted aggressively to two women, later assaulting one of them and a teenager, has had his sentence deferred.

Alastair Graham Shaw, aged 30, Scansdale, Ballygrant, Islay, admitted behaving in a threatening or abusive manner towards the women on May 5 this year at an Islay address.

Procurator fiscal deputy Eoin McGinty said that Shaw, who has no previous convictions, arrived at the address at 7pm and shortly afterwards an argument broke out.

Shaw began to shout and swear before assaulting one of the women by grabbing her body and clothes and pinning her to the ground.

Later in the evening he assaulted a teenage boy, at a different Islay address, grabbing him by the neck and choking him for around 30 seconds.

The police were phoned shortly after and during questioning Shaw said he was 'pushed and shoved' by the women and acted in self defence.

Deferring sentence until September 20 and ordering a criminal justice social work report, a restriction of liberty order assessment and a psychiatric report, Sheriff Patrick Hughes said: 'These are serious matters. There must be no further offending and you must cooperate with these reports.'

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## Thought for the Week

with Marilyn Shedden

We were staying with our friends on Mull while I had the privilege of leading worship at Tobermory and Dervaig.

They had just returned from America where Johnny had been invited to preach at one of the big churches in North Carolina.

There was a congregation of 1,500 and the service was streamed 'live' to 20,000 people.

However, outside the church there was an armed police officer in a police car, and inside the church was an armed plain clothed police officer.

The reason for this is that, as the potential audience is massive, any shooting opportunity would be sensational.

If someone shot the minister this would be streamed to thousands and give the assassin great notoriety.

What a strange world we live in.

As the minister is preaching the gospel, a gospel about all inclusive love, it is awful to think that an act which is totally contrary to that love, would make headline news.

It is strange, is it not, that a shooting would be more sensational than the gospel?

Surely nothing can be more sensational than the good news of Jesus Christ and his love?

I cannot imagine worshipping in a congregation which included sitting beside someone with a gun by their side.

Strangely enough it was an extremely decorated American war hero, General Omar Bradley, who said this: 'Ours is a world of nuclear giants and ethical infants.'

'We know more about war than we know about peace, more about killing than we know about living.'

With this in mind maybe we could think of streaming the gospel of love and peace so that no congregation need ever have an armed police officer in their midst.

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## TEXT FOR THE WEEK

Hear, O ye kings; give ear, O ye princes; I, even I, will sing unto the Lord; I will sing praise to the Lord God of Israel.  
Judges 5:3.

## BIRTHS



### BORTHWICK

Kevin and Emma are delighted to announce the birth of their baby boy, Connor Jack, on August 19, 2018, at Campbeltown Maternity Unit. A wee brother for Freya and Dylan. A big thank you to all midwives.



### GALBRAITH

Kenneth and Alison are delighted to announce the birth of Millie Jayne, on August 5, 2018, at the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Paisley. Fourth grandchild for Hugh and Elizabeth Galbraith, and first grandchild for Ian and Norma McKerral.

## MARRIAGES



### WATSON - SMITH

At St Fillan's Church, Aberdour, Fife, on August 11, 2018, Lauren, only daughter of Randal and Mary Watson, Campbeltown, to Andrew, only son of Alastair and Margaret Smith, Strathblane. A wonderful, happy day.

## DEATHS

**COATS** - Peacefully, on August 27, 2018, with her three girls by her side, Sarah Margaret (née Pizey), in her 81st year, a loving wife of the late Sandie Coats, and much loved mother to Amanda, Fiona and Annie. Also a dearly loved sister, mother-in-law, grandmother, and good friend to many. A service will be held at Cardross Crematorium, at 1.15pm, on Thursday, September 13, 2018, followed by a service of thanksgiving, at Kilberry Church, at 2.30pm, on Friday, September 14, 2018. Family and friends are warmly invited to both. Donations, in lieu of flowers, to Marie Curie Cancer Care. For further details please contact Stan Lupton Funeral Directors, Tarbert.

**MACKAY** - Very peacefully, at Kingsmead Care Home, Kingswells, on Sunday, August 26, 2018, Isobel, formerly of Tigh-Na-Craig, Barmore Road, Tarbert, beloved wife of the late Alistair, much loved mum of Ross and Scott, loving mother-in-law and adored nanny. Funeral service at Tarbert Parish Church, on Friday, September 7, 2018 at 1.00pm, followed by interment at the Old Cemetery, to which all friends are respectfully invited. Family flowers only please. Donations if desired, at church door, for the Brain Tumour Charity and MS Society.

**MACKILLIGIN** - Peacefully at her home, Corranbeg House, Ardfern, on August 24, 2018, Faith Mackilligin, née Shannon, aged 80 years, dearly loved mother of Hannah and Shannon, little granny of Olivia and Rosie, Luke, Zoe and Madeleine, wife of the late Sandy Mackilligin, step-mother to Alice and Sam, sister to Jane and Posy, aunt to Sonya, Paul, Nicki and John, and cousin to Wendy. Funeral service will be held at Craignish Parish Church, Ardfern, on Friday, September 7, 2018 at 11.30am, thereafter to Kilvaree Cemetery and The Craignish Village Hall for refreshments. All friends are welcome to attend.

**SCOTT** - Peacefully at her home, with her family by her side, after an illness borne with great dignity and courage, Margaret Logan Scott, aged 75 years, of 35 Easfield, Tarbert, beloved and much loved mum of Lesley, Grant, Jonathan and the late Shona, much respected mother-in-law of Michael, Rita and Arlene and adored granny and great granny. A good neighbour and dear friend to many. A graveside service will be held at Carrick Cemetery, today, Friday, August 31, 2018, at 12.00 noon. All friends are respectfully invited to attend.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

**BARCLAY** - The family of the late Steven Barclay would like to thank everyone most sincerely for the kind support and the many expressions of sympathy received in their recent sad loss. Special thanks to Police Scotland and work colleagues for their assistance, to Rev Robert Macleod for his support and comforting service, Stan Lupton Funeral Directors for professional services, Islay Frigate Hotel for excellent catering and to all who paid their last respects at church and graveside. Donations for Mid Argyll Cancer Group Support raised £450.

**IRWIN** - Sheena would like to express her heartfelt thanks to all family and friends for their support, cards and flowers following the sad loss of David. Special thanks to Maggie Wilkieson and the dedicated team of local nurses, who cared for David with gentleness and respect, and to Dr Gross, Dr Ella and the nurses of the Macmillan day ward in Oban. Thanks also to Catriona Hood for turning our thoughts and feelings into words for the service, to David McEwan for stepping in at the last minute, to Kenneth Blair and his staff for their professional service, and to the Argyll Hotel for their purvey. Special thanks to Margaret, Peter, Keever and Stephen. Thanks to everyone who attended the church and graveside, and contributed to the retiral collection for Kintyre Cancer and Palliative Care, which raised

£1,093.66. Greatly missed and always in our hearts. David Irwin, "Simply the Best".

## IN MEMORIAM

**GILLESPIE** - In loving memory of a dear brother, Rodger, who passed away August 22, 2018. John and Cathie Gillespie and family, South Africa.

**MACDONALD** - In loving memory of Roddy, died August 31, 2016, a loving husband, dad and papa. Loved and remembered every day. - Jenny and family.

**MACLENNAN MBE** - In loving memory of our dad, Murdo, died September 1, 2013.

The rolling stream of life rolls on  
But still the vacant chair  
Recalls the love, the voice, the smile  
Of our dad who once sat there.  
Greatly missed.

- Love always, Lorne, Leone, Darren and Laurene x.

For our Grampa  
Keep the biscuit jar full.

- Love from all your grandchildren x.

**MCGOUGAN** - In loving memory of my dear wife, Alice, who died September 2, 2014.

Your presence I miss,  
Your memory I treasure,  
Loving you always,  
Forgetting you never.

- Your loving husband always,  
Stewart.

**MCGOUGAN** - In loving memory of a dear mum and granny, Alice, died September 2, 2014.

Never forgotten.

- Stewart, Heather and family.

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Always in our thoughts.

- Heather, Norman, Iona, Norman-James and Erin.

**MITCHELL** - Treasured memories of our dear dad, grandad, great grandad (Johnnie), died August 29, 1995. Forever in our hearts.

- From all the family x.

**SHIELDS** - In loving memory of our mother and grandmother, Rita. I could search the whole world over

Until the end of time  
And never find a mother  
As wonderful as mine  
And if there is another life  
And we are born once more  
I pray that God will give to me  
The mother I had before.

- Carole-Anne, John, Scott, Yvonne, Leigh-Anne and Mhairi.

**SHIELDS** - In memory of Rita.

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- Meg.



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Wednesday 5th September  
12 noon Bible Study & Prayer  
2.00pm Water of Life Cafe  
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Sunday 2nd September  
COMMUNION SERVICE  
11.00 am  
Speaker - Elizabeth Irwin  
with Sunday school  
Refreshments after the service  
The Ark  
Baby & Toddler Group  
Every Thursday 10.00 - 11.30 am  
(Term time only)  
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Holy Mass Sunday 12.30pm  
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Charity Number SC001002  
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Saturday 1 September  
10.30am Achnamara Hall  
Cafe Connect  
Tuesday 4 September  
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Sunday 2nd September 2018  
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Rev W Crossan  
Tuesday 4th September  
9.45am Tiny Tots  
New Hall  
Anchor Boys 6.00pm  
Junior Section 7.00pm  
Company Section 7.15pm  
Church Hall  
Wednesday 5th September  
Choir Practice 7.00pm  
Friday 7th September  
Lunch Club 12.00 noon  
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# Ex-Rangers players led memorial trophy teams

A huge crowd spectated in sparkling sun as a pair of former Rangers players booted up for a Campbeltown charity match.

Barry Ferguson MBE led the Red side while Lee McCulloch stayed in Blue for the annual Jimmy Taylor Memorial Trophy which this year raised funds for Campbeltown Hospital's Sunshine Room and the James McCorkindale School of Dancing.

Playing for the Reds were: Archie McKellar, Jamie McEachran, Alan McDonald, James Ronald, Fergus Galbraith, Ellis Robertson, Dominic Lawson, Andrew Semple, Graham Robertson, Kieran McGeachy, Gavin Mathieson,

Johnny McCormick, Grant Souden, Jamie Bannatyne, Rachel MacPhail, Scott Souden. In Blue were: Richard Semple, Stewart Blue, Rhys Blair, Ross Souden, Donnie Sinclair, Greg Flaws, David Sargent, George Pope, Robbie Dudley, Stephen Scally, Neil MacKay, Greg Sargent, Michael Robertson, James Workmen, Andrew McCallum and Craig Lang.  
For more 'Loyal' news see pages 10, 11 and 26.

**Second half action from the match which ended 3-3. The Blues won on quick death penalties.** 25\_c35loyal03



Dunaverty club captain John Marrison presenting Danny Halliday with his prize vouchers.

## Danny's 'excellent form' in Dunaverty's Autumn Meeting

Danny Halliday capitalised on his recent excellent form to turn the tables on the leaders of Dunaverty Golf Club's Autumn Meeting and claim the captain's prize.

Thirty members turned out on a dry but windy day on a course in superb condition.

Scoring was quite good and Harry MacLean, taking advantage of the good conditions, had an excellent round, going out in 36 and back in 37 to give him a leading nett score

of 62, two shots clear of the next five players all on 64.

Danny, however, posted a superb nett 60 to take the American Golf vouchers prize.

### Pipped

Lee Mathieson, by virtue of a better inward half, pipped Ross Sinclair for the scratch prize of a bottle of whisky.

There was a super twos competition within the main event and only four players, Harry MacLean,

Lee Mathieson, Ross Sinclair and Alastair McConnachie, managed to sink their second shots to share in the twos pot.

At the presentation captain John Marrison thanked the members for making it an excellent competition and paid a special thanks to green-keepers David Scullion and Robert Irvine for their work on the course, and match secretary Alex Arkell for the smooth running of the event.

## Three Iainys triumph in Tarbert Hotel Am-Am

A beautiful day for golf with a well presented course left competitors in the Tarbert Hotel Am-Am wondering what more they could ask for.

Local boys, the 'Three Iainys' - Johnston, Macalister and MacArthur - took first prize last Saturday with a superb 13 under par 53 which included halves of 26 and 27.

In second place were the 'Old Flas' comprising Eddie White, Jimmy MacNab and Calum MacLean, with 55.

Third place with a 56, by virtue of the better inward half, were the 'Greenkeepers +1', made up of John MacNab, Bruce MacNab and Graham Prentice.

A club spokesperson said: "Thanks to the two teams from Arran who came over to support the competition and to our own special ladies, Georgie and Sheena, for the superb work done in the clubhouse."

There is no competition this week with the James Johnson Cup taking place on Saturday September 8.



The Three Iainys with Gareth Ellis of the Tarbert Hotel.

## Latest Mach Golf Club results

The results are in from the latest competitions on Machrihanish Golf Club's championship and pans courses.

Championship course results: Seniors open, August 15: Overall winner: David Campbell 41 pts (BIH). Runner up: J Hardie 41 pts. Category A: 1 Satish Patel 38 pts (BIH), 2 Stephen Armstrong 38 pts, 3 Kenny Laird 37 pts, 4 C McIntyre 36 pts (BIH). Category B: 1 William Dixon 38 pts, 2 William Craig Kelly 36 pts (BIH), 3 Edward Cassidy 36 pts (BIH), 4 James Fleming 36 pts. Category C: 1 J Rennie 40 pts, 2 S MacMillan 36 pts, 3 Robert McGougan 35 pts, 4 D Johnstone 33 pts (BIH). Category D: 1 David Micks 38 pts, 2 Calum McLean 37 pts, 3 Ian MacKinnon 36 pts, 4 Terry

McNair 35 pts. Nearest the pin at the 4th: Alistair Drummond. Nearest the pin at the 11th: David Campbell. Nearest the pin at the 15th: Terry Fowler. Longest drive in category A: Norman Bowie. Longest drive in category B: James Fleming. Longest drive in category C: A Swan. Longest drive in category D: Mark Tulloch.

McKinven and Colville 4-BBB Open, August 18: 1 R Watson and R Coffield 64, 2 H Lyden and S Gallagher 66 (BIH), 3 A Sutton and D Sutton 66 (BIH). Scratch: 1 J Gallagher and J Dreghorn 68, 2 D Irvine and D Nairn 72 (BIH), 3 D Ratcliff and J Shaw 72. Ladies: F Brawley and M Hamilton 72. Ladies' scratch: K Probin and A Mitchell 89.

Pans course results: August Medal, August 15: Hilary Oman 93-23=70.

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Overall champion Jonathan Bruce with the Black Sheep Cup.

## Jonathan takes Black Sheep Cup in dismal conditions

Poor conditions almost decimated the field at this year's Black Sheep Open at Mach Dunes Golf Club.

Of the 28 hardy souls who ventured out onto the course last Sunday Jonathan Bruce emerged victorious with 36 points.

Jonathan's playing partner, John

Nutt, finished second with 35, and first time visitor Stuart Widdowson finished third with 34, despite playing in the absolute worst of the conditions.

Karen Andrews won the ladies' section, with Anne Storm finishing runner-up.

### Scottish Amateur FL results and fixtures

Last Saturday's results: Premier Division - Barrhead Arkly 1, Oban Saints 2; Premier Division One - Campbeltown Pupils 1, Lochgilphead Red Star 1. Premier Division Two - Tarbert no game.

This Saturday's fixtures: Scottish Amateur Cup first round - Ardencaple v Tarbert; Campbeltown Pupils v Winlinton Wolves; Gartcosh United v Oban Saints; Southside v Lochgilphead Red Star.

### Kintyre golf clubs' lottery results

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

The winning numbers were 5, 13 and 18. The next draw, for a jackpot of £400, is on September 9.

Tickets available from committee members, the club steward, Muneroy

Tearoom and the Burnside Bar.

There were also no winners in Machrihanish Golf Club's draw on Monday.

The winning numbers were 5, 12 and 20.

The £1,000 jackpot must be won at the next draw on September 3.

# SPOT THE BALL

THIS WEEK'S JACKPOT £3250

We have removed the football from the photograph opposite. Now look carefully at the position of the players and use your skill and judgement to place a cross at the exact point where you think the centre of the ball was. You may have a maximum of 10 attempts on this coupon at a cost of £1. If you wish to have more attempts, you must enter on separate coupons.

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**INSIDE THIS WEEK:**  
Jonathan takes Black Sheep  
Cup in dismal conditions

# Honours even in hard fought Argyll derby

Campbeltown Pupils 1  
Lochgilphead Red Star 1  
SAFL Premier Division Two

It was a game that could be described in cliché terms as one of two halves.

Despite having an intensive and productive pre-season programme, the Pupils somehow went missing for the first 45 minutes of last Saturday's Argyll derby against the previous season's runaway Premier Two champions, Lochgilphead Red Star.

For whatever reason, the Kintyre lads looked completely out of sorts from the start, scorning ball possession for the direct 'killer' pass behind the visitors' resolute back four.

This tactic was never on because of a following breeze and the unpredictability of a wet greasy surface.

Nevertheless, Sary Rahma showed his mettle when a parting shot was unlucky to slam off the crossbar with the keeper well beaten.

Minutes later, Star's imposing last line of defence pulled off a great one-handed stop as he launched himself to turn the ball round the post.

The first half was anything but a classic, and although the McFadyen-sponsored Pupils had the lion's share of possession, they were fortunate to see a low strike clatter off the base of the post with the



Sary Rahma's powerful 'balletic' aerial shot that bounced off the crossbar. 25\_c35pupils01

home keeper well beaten.

Minutes before half-time, a searching cross-field pass caused confusion in the home defence and, with two men going for the same ball, Lee McLean picked up the loose ends to cut inside and send the ball into the far corner of the net for the opener.

Cue the second half, and it was transformation time as far as the home side was concerned.

Night and day would be an

accurate description of their play, as the Pupils pounded the Lochgilphead rearguard in search of the equaliser.

A headed clearance early in the second half fell short of its mark, and this allowed Robin Barr to chest down and hit a sweet volley past a despairing last line of defence – all square and everything to play for.

Gary Grumoli was next up, and his angled drive was tipped onto the inside of the post before running inviting-

ly along the goal line before being thumped to safety.

Liam Renton had a great run into the box; this before his inch-perfect cross found Rahma whose parting shot was smothered by a grateful but fortunate goalkeeper.

Lochgilphead were very aware of the threat of Donald McCallum on the Pupils right flank, doubling up defensively to crowd out the ex-Dumbar-ton man at every opportunity. As the Pupils committed

forward there was always the chance of a goal on the break, but the home defence coped well and received good support from their midfield to nullify any threat.

In the end both teams had to settle for a point apiece in the first derby of the season. On reflection, the visitors were the happier of the two sides after withstanding a veritable siege for almost two-thirds of the second period.

A decent-sized home crowd

enjoyed the second half after an uncharacteristically slow start by the town favourites.

It is on to the Scottish Cup and a game against Winlinton Wolves from Ayrshire, tomorrow, at 2pm on Kintyre Park.



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