

Tuesday 23 April 2019

# Business Bulletin

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The Scottish Parliament  
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

## Today's Business

### Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Social Security Committee

Debate: Social Security and In-work Poverty

**followed by** Committee Announcements

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-

16671 Claire Baker: The Open University at  
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### Committee Meetings

**9:30am** Environment, Climate Change and  
Land Reform Committee

**10:00am** Delegated Powers and Law Reform  
Committee

**10:00am** Economy, Energy and Fair Work  
Committee

**10:00am** Justice Committee

## Meeting of the Parliament

**2:00 pm Time for Reflection: Reverend Neil Gardner MA BD, Minister, Canongate Kirk, Edinburgh**

**followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**followed by Topical Questions (if selected)**

**followed by Social Security Committee Debate: Social Security and In-work Poverty**

**[S5M-16957](#) Bob Doris on behalf of the Social Security Committee: Social Security and In-Work Poverty**—That the Parliament notes the conclusions and recommendations contained in the Social Security Committee's 2nd Report, 2019 (Session 5), *Social Security and In-Work Poverty* (SP Paper 466).

**followed by Committee Announcement: Education and Skills Committee**

**followed by Business Motions**

**followed by Parliamentary Bureau Motions**

**5:00 pm Decision Time**

**followed by Members' Business  
Debate on the subject of—**

**[S5M-16671](#) Claire Baker: The Open University at 50**—That the Parliament recognises that 23 April 2019 marks the 50th anniversary of The Open University (OU); notes that the Royal Charter that it received in 1969 required it to “promote the educational wellbeing of the community generally”; acknowledges the OU’s mission to be “open to people, places, methods and ideas”; considers that its open access policy, which requires no entrance qualifications for most courses, is as radical today as it was 50 years ago; notes what it sees as its contribution to social justice and accessible higher education across Scotland and the transformational impact that it has had on lives and communities, with more than 200,000 Scots from all backgrounds having studied with the institution, and wishes it well for the next 50 years and beyond.

## Committee Meetings

All meetings take place in the Scottish Parliament, unless otherwise specified.

### Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform Committee 12th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 3 in private and whether its consideration of evidence taken in relation to EU exit should be taken in private at future meetings.
2. **EU exit and the environment:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Linda Ovens, Director, Entec Solutions and Centre Councillor, Chartered Institution of Wastes Management Scotland;

Libby Peake, Senior Policy Adviser - resource stewardship, Green Alliance;

Stephen Freeland, Policy Advisor and Co-ordinator, Scottish Environmental Services Association;

Rebecca Walker, Head of Function (Materials), Scottish Environment Protection Agency;

Iain Gulland, Chief Executive Officer, Zero Waste Scotland;

and then from—

Michael Warhurst, Executive Director, CHEM Trust;

Silvia Segna, REACH Executive, Chemical Industries Association;

Tom Shields, Acting Chair, Chemical Sciences Scotland;

Janice Milne, Head of Function (Energy), Scottish Environment Protection Agency.

3. **EU exit and the environment:** The Committee will review the evidence taken earlier in the meeting.
4. **Work programme (in private):** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### Delegated Powers and Law Reform Committee 13th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Adam Smith Room (CR5)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 7 in private.
2. **Instruments subject to affirmative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Treatment of South of Scotland Enterprise as Specified Authority\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#)
3. **Instruments subject to negative procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—  
[Non-Domestic Rates \(Relief for New and Improved Properties\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/116\);](#)  
[Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/118\);](#)  
[Carbon Accounting Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/121\);](#)  
[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/133\);](#)

4. **Instruments not subject to any parliamentary procedure:** The Committee will consider the following—
  - Act of Sederunt (Simple Procedure Amendment) (Civil Online) 2019 (SSI 2019/122);
  - Act of Sederunt (Rules of the Court of Session 1994 and Ordinary Cause Rules 1993 Amendment) (Views of the Child) 2019 (SSI 2019/123);
  - Islands (Scotland) Act 2018 (Commencement No. 2) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/134 (C.3));
5. **Transport (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to its Stage 1 report.
6. **Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill :** The Committee will consider the Scottish Government's response to its Stage 1 report.
7. **Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft report on the delegated powers provisions in this Bill after Stage 2.

### **Economy, Energy and Fair Work Committee 13th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 3 and 4 in private.
2. **BiFab, the offshore wind energy sector and the Scottish supply chain:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Andrew Jamieson, Chief Executive, ORE Catapult;  
Nick Sharpe, Director of Communications, Scottish Renewables;  
Audrey MacIver, Director of Energy and Low Carbon, Highlands and Islands Enterprise;  
Andy McDonald, Director of Energy and Low Carbon Technology, Scottish Enterprise;  
Peter Welsh, Head of Campaigns, Communications and Policy, GMB Scotland;  
Pat Rafferty, Regional Secretary, Unite Scotland;  
Bill Elkington, Director, BiFab and Chairman, The JV Driver Group;  
Sean Power, Director, BiFab and VP Business Development, DF Barnes.

3. **BiFab, the offshore wind energy sector and the Scottish supply chain:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard at today's meeting.
4. **Work programme:** The Committee will consider its work programme.

### **Justice Committee 12th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will take evidence on the Justice of the Peace Courts (Sheriffdom of South Strathclyde, Dumfries and Galloway) etc. Amendment Order 2019 [draft] from—
  - Humza Yousaf, Cabinet Secretary for Justice, Walter Drummond-Murray, Courts and Tribunals Policy Officer, and Jo-Anne Tinto, Directorate for Legal Services, Scottish Government.
2. **Subordinate legislation:** Humza Yousaf (Cabinet Secretary for Justice) to move—

S5M-16769—That the Justice Committee recommends that the Justice of the Peace Courts (Sheriffdom of South Strathclyde, Dumfries and Galloway) etc. Amendment Order 2019 [draft] be approved.

3. **Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill:** The Committee will consider the Bill at Stage 2 (Day 2).
4. **Justice Sub-Committee on Policing:** The Committee will consider a report back from the Sub-Committee meeting held on 4 April 2019.
5. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether its consideration of a draft report on Brexit subordinate legislation should be taken in private at future meetings.

## Future Meetings of the Parliament

Business Programme agreed by the Parliament on 17 April 2019

### Wednesday 24 April 2019

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Justice and the Law Officers; Government Business and Constitutional Relations

**followed by** Scottish Green Party Debate: Health

**followed by** Scottish Green Party Debate: Green New Deal for Scotland

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business — S5M-16088 George Adam: MS Awareness Week, 22 to 29 April 2019

### Thursday 25 April 2019

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**12:45 pm** Members' Business — S5M-16795 Bill Kidd: International Workers' Memorial Day 2019

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Portfolio Questions: Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

**followed by** Final Stage Proceedings: Hutchesons' Hospital Transfer and Dissolution (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Scottish Government Debate: Changing Lives Through Sport and Physical Activity

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

### Tuesday 30 April 2019

**2:00 pm** Time for Reflection

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**followed by** Topical Questions (if selected)

**followed by** Education and Skills Committee Debate: Instrumental music tuition

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### **Wednesday 1 May 2019**

**2:00 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:00 pm** Portfolio Questions: Education and Skills; Health and Sport

**followed by** Scottish Government Business

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

**followed by** Members' Business

### **Thursday 2 May 2019**

**11:40 am** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**11:40 am** General Questions

**12:00 pm** First Minister's Questions

**12:45 pm** Members' Business

**2:30 pm** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**2:30 pm** Portfolio Questions: Communities and Local Government

**followed by** Stage 3 Proceedings: Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Bill

**followed by** Business Motions

**followed by** Parliamentary Bureau Motions

**5:00 pm** Decision Time

## Future Committee Meetings

This section includes the agendas of the forthcoming committee meetings and outlines proposed future business, which may be subject to change. Committees have the right to take items in private and this will be notified as far in advance as possible.

Many committees include details of their future business on their webpages, which can be accessed on the committee hub page.

<http://www.parliament.scot/business/committees/index.htm>

### Education and Skills Committee

24 April 2019

13th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Subject Choices inquiry:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Dr Alan Britton, Senior Lecturer in Education, University of Glasgow;  
William Hardie, Policy Advice Manager, Royal Society of Edinburgh;  
Professor Jim Scott, School of Education and Social Work, University of Dundee.

2. **Inquiry into music tuition in schools - report responses:** The Committee will consider the responses to its report entitled "A note of concern: instrumental music tuition in schools".
3. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instrument—  
The Teachers' Superannuation and Pension Scheme (Scotland) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/95)
4. **Review of evidence (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence it heard earlier.

### Proposed future business

At its next meeting, on 1 May, the Committee expects will continue to take evidence on its Subject Choices inquiry.

For further information, contact the Roz Thomson Clerk to the Committee, whose details are [roz.thomson@parliament.scot](mailto:roz.thomson@parliament.scot) or 0131 348 5222.

### Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee

24 April 2019

13th Meeting, 2019

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Agriculture and Fisheries update:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Fergus Ewing, Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy, Allan Gibb, Acting Deputy Director - Sea Fisheries, Mike Palmer, Deputy Director - Aquaculture, Crown Estate, Recreational Fisheries, European Maritime and Fisheries Fund and Europe, Andrew Watson, Deputy Director for Agricultural Policy Implementation, David Barnes, National Adviser on Agriculture Policy, and John Kerr, Head of Agriculture Policy Division, Scottish Government.

2. **Subordinate legislation:** The Committee will consider the following negative instruments—  
The Less Favoured Area Support Scheme(Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/98)



## The Scottish Road Works Register(Prescribed Fees) Regulations 2019 (SSI 2019/96)

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 1 May, the Committee expects to consider subordinate legislation. It will also consider a draft report on the Restricted Roads (20 mph Speed Limit) (Scotland) Bill in private.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee at [rec.committee@parliament.scot](mailto:rec.committee@parliament.scot)

### **Finance and Constitution Committee**

**24 April 2019**

**9th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 10:30 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Earnings in Scotland:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Anna Ritchie Allan, Executive Director, Close the Gap;  
John Gallacher, Scottish Organiser, Unison;  
Torsten Bell, Director, Resolution Foundation;  
Professor David Bell, Professor of Economics, University of Stirling;  
Helen Martin, Assistant General Secretary, STUC;  
Hazel Brown, Leader of Exceptional Service (Quality), Cornerstone;  
Russell Gunson, Director, IPPR Scotland.

### **Proposed future business**

For further details contact the clerk to the Committee

### **Social Security Committee**

**25 April 2019**

**11th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 9:00 am in the Mary Fairfax Somerville Room (CR2)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take item 4 in private.
2. **Social Security Support for Housing:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Beth Reid, Senior Policy Officer, Crisis;  
Ashley Campbell, Policy and Practice Manager, Chartered Institute of Housing  
Scotland;

and then from—

Pete Searle, Director of Working Age Policy, Richard d'Souza, Head of Universal Credit  
Engagement Division, and Derek Kilday, Group Director, Central and West Scotland,  
Department for Work and Pensions.

3. **Pension Credit:** The Committee will consider correspondence received from the Scottish Government and UK Government.
4. **Social Security Support for Housing:** The Committee will consider the evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 2 May, the Committee will continue to take evidence on its Social Security Support for Housing inquiry. For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Anne Peat, on 0131 348 5182 or by email at [SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot](mailto:SocialSecurityCommittee@parliament.scot).

### **Equalities and Human Rights Committee**

**25 April 2019**

**11th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 9:15 am in the Sir Alexander Fleming Room (CR3)

1. **Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider the evidence taken on the Bill at Stage 1.
2. **Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill (in private):** The Committee will consider a draft Stage 1 report.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 2 May the Committee expects to consider the Stage 1 evidence on the Children (Equal Protection from Assault) Scotland Bill.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, on [equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot](mailto:equalities.humanrights@parliament.scot) or 0131 348 6040

### **Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee**

**25 April 2019**

**12th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 9:30 am in the Robert Burns Room (CR1)

1. **Article 50 withdrawal negotiations:** The Committee will take evidence from-

Michael Russell, Cabinet Secretary for Government Business and Constitutional Relations, Scottish Government.

2. **Consideration of evidence heard (in private):** The Committee will consider evidence heard earlier in the meeting.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact: Stephen Herbert Clerk to the Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee Room T3.40 The Scottish Parliament Edinburgh Tel: 0131 348 5234 Email: [stephen.herbert@parliament.scot](mailto:stephen.herbert@parliament.scot)

The Committee expects to take / will continue to take evidence on its [ ] inquiry/consider the [ ] Bill at subsequent meetings. The Committee is also planning to carry out a inquiry into [ ] later in the year.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, whose details are provided at the end of the Bulletin.

### **Public Petitions Committee**

**25 April 2019**

**8th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the David Livingstone Room (CR6)

1. **Consideration of a new petition:** The Committee will consider the following new petition— PE1717 on Inquiry into the abuse of children in Scottish state schools, and will take evidence from the petitioner, Maryanne Pugsley.
2. **Consideration of continued petitions:** The Committee will consider the following continued petitions—  
In connection with PE1627, Inquiry into mental health support for young people in Scotland.

### **Proposed future business**

For further information, contact the clerk to the Committee, Sarah Robertson, on 0131 348 5254 or [petitions@parliament.scot](mailto:petitions@parliament.scot)

## **Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee**

**25 April 2019**

**6th Meeting, 2019**

The Committee will meet at 10:00 am in the James Clerk Maxwell Room (CR4)

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take items 4 and 5 in private.
2. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee will decide whether to take future consideration of a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland, and its own draft report on the complaints, in private at future meetings.
3. **Cross-Party Group:** The Committee will consider an application for a change of purpose from the Cross-Party Group on the Future of Football in Scotland.
4. **Complaint:** The Committee will undertake its initial consideration of a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland.
5. **Standing Order rules changes - Committee membership:** The Committee will consider a note by the clerk.

### **Proposed future business**

At its next meeting, on 2 May, the Committee expects to continue its consideration of a report from the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland and the recommendations in the report from the Joint Working Group on sexual harassment and sexist behaviour. The Committee also expects to consider its annual report and correspondence it has received.

For further information, contact the Clerk to the Committee, Katy Orr, on 0131 348 6924 or at [SPPACcommittee@parliament.scot](mailto:SPPACcommittee@parliament.scot).

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## Motions

Motions and amendments are usually printed the day after lodging. When an amendment is lodged, then the original motion will be republished alongside it.

### Motions and amendments can be published with symbols:

- \* before the number indicates publication for the first time
- \*...\* around a section of text indicates changes to previously published material
- R indicates a member has declared a registered interest

The Parliamentary Bureau periodically deletes motions or amendments that are over six weeks old and not scheduled for debate.

Questions regarding this section should be directed to the Chamber Desk.

### Motions for Debate

\*[S5M-16957](#) **Bob Doris: Social Security and In-Work Poverty**—That the Parliament notes the conclusions and recommendations contained in the Social Security Committee's 2nd Report, 2019 (Session 5), *Social Security and In-Work Poverty* (SP Paper 466).

Supported by: Jenny Gilruth\*

### Members' Business motions that have achieved cross party support

\*[S5M-16939](#) **Miles Briggs: Love Your Lungs Week**—That the Parliament welcomes Love Your Lungs Week, which takes place from 17 to 23 June 2019; understands that lung disease is a major challenge for the NHS, with lung cancer being the most common individual cause of death in Scotland, and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease being the third most common; believes that lung disease places a huge burden on those who have the condition, as well as on their loved ones; notes that the theme of this year's Love Your Lungs Week is early diagnosis; understands that the British Lung Foundation's online breath test, which seeks to raise awareness of the early warning signs of lung disease, has been taken by over 460,000 people across the UK; notes the importance of early diagnosis to help people live well with lung disease, and celebrates the work being carried out by researchers, clinicians and charities, such as the British Lung Foundation, to encourage everyone to love their lungs.

Supported by: Tom Mason\*, Peter Chapman\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Maurice Corry\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Edward Mountain\*, Annie Wells\*, John Scott\*, Richard Lyle\*, Bill Kidd\*, Murdo Fraser\*, Jackson Carlaw\*, David Stewart\*, Alison Harris\*, Liam McArthur\*, Jamie Greene\*, Neil Findlay\*

### Other new and altered motions and amendments

\*[S5M-16989](#) **Mark McDonald: TV Gardening Legend, Jim McColl**—That the Parliament notes the retirement of the TV gardening legend, Jim McColl; celebrates his work with BBC Scotland's *Beechgrove Garden*; congratulates him on his retirement after half a lifetime of service to Beechgrove's loyal viewers; acknowledges his genuine passion in communicating his knowledge

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of gardening in a way that engages people at all levels of gardening; thanks him for his hard work; wishes him a long and happy retirement, and reminds him that every day is a school day.

Supported by: Bill Kidd\*, Alexander Stewart\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Alasdair Allan\*, Bob Doris\*

**\*S5M-16988 Margaret Mitchell: Taiwan's Participation in the 2019 World Health Assembly and World Health Organization Meetings**—That the Parliament supports calls for Taiwan to be included in the upcoming 72nd World Health Assembly (WHA) meetings and also in technical meetings of the World Health Organization (WHO); understands that Taiwan has previously attended meetings of the WHA and notes with concern that, at present, it looks unlikely that it will be included in the meeting; considers that Taiwan has had great success in achieving universal health coverage, has successfully eradicated several deadly diseases and helped many countries by training medical professionals or improving their medical capacity; further considers that Taiwan can make a valuable contribution to safeguard the global disease prevention system; welcomes that it is willing and in a position to share with the WHO and other countries its expertise and experience in order to realise UN Sustainable Development Goal 3, and believes that Taiwan should be invited to attend the 72nd WHA meetings in May 2019 as well as all future WHO technical meetings, mechanisms and activities.

Supported by: Miles Briggs\*, Peter Chapman\*, Alison Harris\*, Maurice Corry\*, Jamie Greene\*, Richard Lyle\*, John Mason\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Tom Mason\*

**\*S5M-16987 Jackie Baillie: Dr John Connolly Awarded Professorship**—That the Parliament congratulates Dr John Connolly, who is from Dumbarton, on being made a professor of public policy by the University of West of Scotland (UWS); understands that John is the first person in his family to get a degree and, at just 35, is one of the youngest professors in Scotland; notes that he carries out research in public sector reform, policy analysis, multi-level governance, crisis management and health security governance; acknowledges that, alongside his work at UWS, John is also a visiting professor at the Metropolitan State University in Minnesota and is an associate editor of the journal, *Contemporary Social Science*, and wishes him continued success in his academic career.

Supported by: Stuart McMillan\*, Richard Lyle\*

**\*S5M-16986 Neil Findlay: FDA and Mesh**—That the Parliament notes that the US Federal Drugs Administration (FDA) has asked Boston Scientific and Coloplast, which it understands are the two largest manufacturers of mesh currently used in pelvic organ prolapse in women, to remove it from the US market; believes that this comes after the companies failed to satisfy the FDA of the safety and efficacy of their products; considers that this move stands in contrast to the NICE guidelines in England, published only two weeks earlier, which placed a much lower threshold for the safety of women in the UK and recommended its use, and calls for this guideline not to be implemented in Scotland.

Supported by: James Kelly\*, Mark Griffin\*, Alex Neil\*, Monica Lennon\*, Tavish Scott\*, Elaine Smith\*

**\*S5M-16985 Stuart McMillan: Notre Dame High School Pupils Win £1,000 in Dragon's Den-style Competition**—That the Parliament congratulates pupils from Notre Dame High School on winning £1,000 at the first Incredible Innovations Competition after impressing the judges with their idea of an eco-friendly reusable bottle; notes that the event was held at West College Scotland and jointly organised by Developing the Young Workforce and Morrison Construction, and saw the Greenock pupils take on young people from across Renfrewshire, East Renfrewshire and West Dunbartonshire; acknowledges that the prize money will be used to supply 1,300 personal water



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bottles to existing and new pupils, as well as staff, cutting the use of plastic at the school, with Morrison Construction committing to supplying 250 water bottles to kick-start the project; commends the pupils for thinking of ways to reduce their school's environmental impact, and applauds the staff for encouraging and supporting the pupils and helping them reach and succeed in the final.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, David Torrance\*, Bob Doris\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*[S5M-16984](#) Stuart McMillan: Two Port Glasgow Firefighters Honoured with Dedication**

**Certificates**—That the Parliament acknowledges that the Inverclyde firefighters, Jim Cuffe and Tam Finney, who joined the service on the same day in 1978, have been honoured for dedicating eight decades of their lives to protecting the local community; understands that the pair were recently presented with commendations for their service during a ceremony at Port Glasgow Fire Station; recognises that Jim, 59, has been in the service long enough to see his son, Ross, follow in his footsteps and become a crew manager, and that Tam, 63, was presented with a commendation in 2009 after helping to rescue several of his neighbours from a flat fire; believes that Jim and Tam are an absolute credit to their profession; thanks them for their dedicated service, and commends them for joining the retained ranks.

Supported by: Annabelle Ewing\*, Sandra White\*, Alison Harris\*, Richard Lyle\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Neil Findlay\*, Bill Kidd\*, Kenneth Gibson\*, Alison Johnstone\*

**\*[S5M-16983](#) Stuart McMillan: Catering Staff at Inverclyde Royal Hospital Named Best in the**

**UK**—That the Parliament recognises that the NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde team that prepares meals for patients across the board area won the top honour at the Hospital Caterers Association Awards at Celtic Manor in Wales; notes that the team won the Catering Service of the Year award for its role in delivering around 3.6 million dishes annually across 12 sites, including Inverclyde Royal Hospital (IRH); understands that the staff stood out for their efforts in devising a variety of nutritious meals in partnership with dieticians and patients to meet the needs of a large number of people who often have a range of differing requirements; notes that meals, with the exception of a small number of specialist dishes, are nutritionally analysed and freshly prepared in cook freeze production units at IRH and at Paisley's Royal Alexandra Hospital; notes that the service was also recognised for introducing more choice as well as cutting down on levels of food waste, and commends the health board for being the only one in Scotland to employ a full-time dietitian as part of the catering team.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Monica Lennon\*, Sandra White\*, Bob Doris\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*[S5M-16982](#) Alasdair Allan: Centenary of the Struggle for Upper Coll and Gress**—That the Parliament notes the centenary of the land struggles that took place in the communities of Upper Coll and Gress in Lewis in 1919; acknowledges the peaceful protest by the founding members of these villages; understands that, in 1919, nearly 1,000 people gathered for a public meeting with the landlord, Lord Leverhulme, where he denied them the land, despite political promises that had been made that those returning from service in the First World War could expect land of their own; acknowledges that these events took place following a century in which vast numbers of people in the Highlands and Islands had been cleared from their lands; recognises the reforming zeal of the land raiders, who believed in the justice of their cause, even if Lord Leverhulme could not understand it; commends the raiders' tenacity, as they eventually succeeded in reclaiming the land of Upper Coll and Gress, resulting in the creation of 100 new crofts and establishing crofting communities that are still there today, and praises the children and young people of these villages

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for their recent commemoration of these events, which included planting potatoes to remember the peaceful protest of potato planting that took place in 1919.

Supported by: Bill Kidd\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Sandra White\*, Richard Lyle\*, Angus MacDonald\*, Kenneth Gibson\*

**\*[S5M-16981](#) Jackie Baillie: Asda's Happy Little Helper Boards in Dumbarton**—That the Parliament commends Asda on the launch of its Happy Little Helper boards, which use Makaton counters; understands that the boards are designed to make shopping trips more enjoyable and less stressful for children and young people who have additional needs; notes that that boards are now available in all stores, including Asda Dumbarton; understands that Asda is the first UK supermarket to roll out Makaton counters; congratulates it on this initiative, and hopes that it will make shopping more enjoyable.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*[S5M-16980](#) Liam McArthur: Coastal Pollution Aerial Photography Project Coming to Orkney**—That the Parliament welcomes the extension of the Scottish Coastal Rubbish Aerial Photography (SCRAPbook) project to Orkney, making it the first island group to benefit from the innovative initiative to map Scotland's coastline using aerial photography in order to identify coastal litter pollution; notes that SCRAPbook has so far spent 150 hours flying around the coastlines of mainland Scotland and has produced an interactive map of its findings, with objective ratings of the levels of litter in specific locations; understands that such information can be invaluable in highlighting the extent of pollution on beaches and informing local volunteers, who can use the data in their clean-up efforts; recognises that most of the pollution is plastic, which can take decades or centuries to break down in water; notes with concern that the world's seas currently contain 150 million tonnes of plastic with roughly 5 to 12 million tonnes more added each year; acknowledges that the economic impact of this pollution on the EU alone is estimated to be around €700 million for clean-up and fishing industry costs and that, by 2050, plastic is on course to outweigh fish in global oceans, and believes that this underscores the importance of concerted political action locally, nationally and internationally, both in removing such litter from the coastline but also reducing the amount of material ending up in oceans in the first place.

Supported by: Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*

**\*[S5M-16979](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Earlston Primary School Bandstand**—That the Parliament congratulates Earlston Primary School on the construction of its new bandstand; understands that the project was organised by Friends of Earlston Primary School and that the timber for the bandstand was donated by BSW Timber; thanks Earlston Community Council and Earlston Community Development Trust for providing financial support, as well as Scottish Borders Council's volunteer work team for constructing the bandstand, and wishes Earlston Primary School all the best for the use of its new bandstand.

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**\*[S5M-16978](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Ruth Hinks, Master Chocolatier**—That the Parliament acknowledges that the master chocolatier, Ruth Hinks, who owns Cocoa Black in Peebles, is due to appear on the Easter special of the Channel 4 programme, *Extreme Chocolate Makers*; notes that Ruth, who is the UK World Chocolate Master, will construct a 30kg chocolate spaniel for display at Chatsworth House, as well as a life-sized chocolate barrel for the Innis & Gunn brewery; acknowledges the years of hard work and skill that has led to Ruth's appearance on the programme, and wishes her all the best in her future endeavours.

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**\*[S5M-16977](#) Colin Beattie: Pat Kenny Receives Ken Adam Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Pat Kenny on receiving the Ken Adam Award from the Midlothian Federation of Community Councils; understands that Pat has received this award for his commitment to the people of Loanhead over the years; recognises that he was nominated by the Loanhead and District Community Council to receive this award, and wishes Pat every success continuing to support the Loanhead community.

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**\*[S5M-16976](#) Alexander Burnett: Australian Travels Furthest with Dinnie Steens**—That the Parliament congratulates Pete Seddon, from Woombye on Queensland's Sunshine Coast on carrying the Dinnie Steens the furthest distance travelled in a single lift since the man the heavyweight challenge was named after; commends Pete's efforts as he officially came the closest to matching the Victorian-era lifter by carrying the two stones, which have a combined weight of 733lb, a total distance of 8ft 2in; recognises the tremendous physical pressure that this carries, and his determination, as he travelled across the world to lift the legendary granite boulders, and wishes him a safe journey home and continued success in his strongman ventures.

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**\*[S5M-16975](#) Annie Wells: Asda's Happy Little Helper Boards**—That the Parliament congratulates Asda on its Happy Little Helper boards, which it has introduced to make shopping trips more fun for children with learning or communication difficulties; understands that it has worked closely with The Makaton Charity to create fun shopping lists using the charity's black and white symbols; notes that Makaton is a language programme that uses such signs and symbols to help children and adults communicate; acknowledges that feedback from customers shows that the boards capture children's interest, gives them a sense of purpose and a feeling of responsibility and makes shopping trips more fun; understands that Asda is the first major UK supermarket to roll out these Makaton counters; notes that the boards will be available at all Asda outlets, including its Maryhill, Parkhead, Robroyston and Toryglen stores, and hopes that they prove to be successful.

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**\*[S5M-16974](#) Liam McArthur: Orcadians Walk for Freya**—That the Parliament congratulates everyone involved with 2019's Walk for Freya, which raised over £3,000 for Cardiac Risk in the Young; understands that the five-mile walk was undertaken in memory of Freya Dalrymple, who tragically died due to an undiagnosed heart condition; further understands that the money will help to pay for a programme of heart screenings in Orkney to try to prevent similar instances; notes that such screenings are able to dramatically reduce the likelihood of young sudden cardiac arrests; thanks both Freya's family and the local community for their work in establishing such a welcome campaign, and wishes everyone involved success in continuing it.

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**\*[S5M-16973](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Football and Netball Success for Armadale Academy**—That the Parliament congratulates Armadale Academy under-13 football team and the S1-3 netball team on their respective county successes; notes that the football team was recently crowned West Lothian Schools' champions after a close encounter with last years' winners, Linlithgow Academy; congratulates Max Ramsay and Kaiden Cosgrove on their goals, which ensured a 2-1 victory; understands that the S1-3 netball team also achieved county success in a play-off final against Bathgate Academy, winning 5-2, having won five of their six league games, and wishes the pupils continued sporting success in years to come.

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**\*[S5M-16972](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Success for West Lothian Bands at Scottish Concert Band Festival**—That the Parliament congratulates West Lothian school and area bands on their recent successes in the Scottish Concert Band Festival final; understands that the final was held in Perth Concert Hall and included bands that achieved a Gold award or higher in the regional heats; notes that West Lothian School's Wind Ensemble won a Gold Plus Award in the Advanced Youth Band Class, Deans Community High School Cluster Brass Ensemble won a Gold Award in the Ensemble Class, with the school's Wind Band winning a Gold Award in the Achieving School Band Class; further notes that, in the Advanced School Band Class, West Calder High School Senior Band won a Silver Plus Award, while The James Young High School Senior Band received a Gold Award; recognises the musical talent that exists in West Lothian, and wishes all the young musicians all the very best with their music in the future.

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**\*[S5M-16971](#) Gordon Lindhurst: New Linlithgow Museum Set to Open**—That the Parliament welcomes news that a new museum is set to open to the public in Linlithgow, West Lothian; notes that this follows the relocation of Annet House Museum to an accessible space at the Linlithgow Partnership Centre; understands that the new museum will contain three galleries that will examine the history of Linlithgow, trades within the town, and another entitled, "Life by the Loch"; recognises that the new museum will contain new and old exhibits, including a statue of Mary Queen of Scots from Annet House, as well as new interactive features, including clips of a recent oral history project played through listening posts; thanks the Linlithgow Heritage Trust Board and volunteers for more than five years of hard work in establishing the museum, as well as those who have helped fund project, and encourages local people and those from further afield to visit the museum when they can.

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**\*[S5M-16970](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: LGBT Syrian Legal Campaign**—That the Parliament understands that 15 LGBT Syrian refugees launched a legal campaign on 15 April 2019 against the Home Office on the basis that they are still waiting to be taken to safety two years after applying for the scheme; believes that many are now living in hiding in Turkey as a result of the delay; notes that the LGBT refugees have reported homophobic discrimination and attacks in Turkey, including being pelted by rocks; recognises that resettlement schemes are seen as the pinnacle of sanctuary options with people being accepted in small numbers to the UK; commends Scotland's history of welcoming refugees and asylum seekers from across the globe; acknowledges that, across Scotland, over 2,500 refugees have been welcomed through the Syrian

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and vulnerable children's resettlement scheme, and hopes that the Home Office will take action to ensure the safety of individuals by finding suitable placements.

**\*S5M-16969 Bill Bowman: Funds Raised for Broughty Ferry Lifeboats—**That the Parliament welcomes the news that The Black Watch Club in Dundee raised £935 for the Broughty Ferry lifeboats; understands that a fundraising event was organised by William Carroll for his late wife Maree, whose family were fishermen; further understands that the music was provided by Johnny Mack and Carys, while magic tricks were also performed, and thanks all those involved for their efforts in the fundraising.

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**\*S5M-16968 David Torrance: Antony Nolan Charity Football Match—**That the Parliament commends Jennifer Dall and Kirkcaldy FC for organising a charity football match to raise awareness and funds for the blood cancer charity, Antony Nolan; notes that the Kirkcaldy FC 2006s will take on a team from the Scottish Fire and Rescue Service in aid of Anthony Nolan in June 2019; recognises that the match is in honour of Jennifer's late husband, Gary, who died waiting for a donation; understands that, throughout his life, Gary campaigned to increase the number of people registered for organ donation, and hopes that the match is successful in its fundraising efforts.

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**\*S5M-16967 David Torrance: British Universities Division One National Play Off Ice Hockey Championship—**That the Parliament congratulates Beth Scoon and Mark Taylor, from Kirkcaldy, on winning the British Universities Division One National Play Off Ice Hockey Championship; notes that the pair represented the University of Edinburgh's Eagles ice hockey team, which beat Cambridge University 7-0 to take the trophy, and wishes them the best of luck at the upcoming Tier 1 National Championships.

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**\*S5M-16966 David Torrance: Fife Falcons U20 Success—**That the Parliament congratulates the Fife Falcons U20 ice hockey team on securing the Scottish U20 Ice Hockey League title; recognises that this is the Falcons' sixth year in a row of winning the league; notes that a number of the players also represent the Scotland and Team GB national teams, and wishes them and the club the best of luck in future competitions.

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**\*S5M-16965 Gil Paterson: Glasgow Royal Infirmary—**That the Parliament congratulates the Royal Infirmary in Glasgow on being named one of the top 100 hospitals in the world and one of the top 10 in the UK, according to research by the international magazine, *Newsweek*; understands that the list was compiled from recommendations from medical professionals, patient surveys, manager and healthcare surveys and medical performance indicators; acknowledges that the hospital, which was founded in 1794, beat-off stiff international competition to achieve this ranking, and commends the hardworking and dedicated staff on the excellent care that they provide for their patients.

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**\*S5M-16964 Alexander Stewart: Charity Event in Tullibody for Maggie's**—That the Parliament welcomes the news of a successful charity fundraising event in Clackmannanshire for Maggie's Forth Valley; understands that more than 50 people turned out at The Inn in Tullibody on 6 April 2019 to take part in a Memorial Pool Tournament; notes that the event was organised by the local butcher, Jim Hutchison, in memory of his uncle, Johnny Neil, who passed away in November 2018; acknowledges that the event raised £825 for Maggie's Forth Valley, which provides free practical, emotional and social support to people with cancer, as well as their family and friends; understands that, as it was so successful, it is set to become an annual event, and commends The Inn at Tullibody for its generosity, Jim Hutchison for organising the event and all who attended and donated on the day for all their highly magnanimous work.

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**\*S5M-16963 Murdo Fraser: Perth and Kinross Remembers**—That the Parliament congratulates the Perth and Kinross Remembers project on receiving £32,500 from the National Lottery Heritage Fund; notes that the project, which is run by Culture Perth and Kinross, aims to make a wide variety of memorabilia from First World War projects that have run in Perth and Kinross since 2014 accessible to residents; further notes that this material will be gathered together into a First World War Legacy collection in Perth and Kinross Archive, where it will be preserved, catalogued and made available to researchers, and wishes the Perth and Kinross Remembers project success in the future.

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**\*S5M-16961 Bill Bowman: Angus Primary School Installs Lifesaving Equipment**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Angus Primary School has installed a lifesaving defibrillator in its grounds; acknowledges that the defibrillator was purchased using a generous donation from Kirriemuir Landward West Community Council, along with funds from the charity, St John Scotland, as part of its drive to increase access to defibrillators across the country, and thanks the school and the organisations involved in the donations for their contributions to the equipment.

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**\*S5M-16960 Stuart McMillan: Universal Credit and Mental Health: Recommendations for Change**—That the Parliament accepts SAMH's recent report, *"It Was A Confusion" Universal Credit and Mental Health: Recommendations for Change*; notes that it lists 17 recommendations to improve universal credit for the benefit of claimants living with mental health issues, including that implicit consent to welfare advisors and other relevant representatives be reinstated for universal credit; understands that, for legacy benefits, welfare advisors can contact the DWP using "implicit consent", which is where the client has given prior consent to the welfare advisor so they do not have to contact the DWP themselves and do not need to be present when the welfare advisor contacts the DWP; regrets that this is not the case for universal credit, where welfare advisors require "explicit consent", which in practice means that the client must give permission in writing, over the telephone or in person to the DWP in order for a representative, besides their MSP, to speak about their claim; considers that this shift from implicit to explicit consent is

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preventing MSPs from representing their constituents if they have an issue with their claim; believes that this is just one of the many ways that the current universal credit system is failing claimants, who are often the most vulnerable people in society, and calls on the UK Government to reinstate implicit consent for universal credit and to abolish what it considers the unjustified five-week waiting period for the first payment.

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**\*S5M-16959 Rona Mackay: Celebrating Hannah Webster's Artistic Talent**—That the Parliament congratulates Hannah Webster, a P4 pupil from Killermont Primary School in Bearsden, on being selected from more than 7,000 entrants as a runner-up in the John Byrne National Drawing Competition, which is open to pupils across Scotland from P4 to S3; understands that Hannah's winning drawing has been displayed in a special exhibition at Paisley's Tannahill Centre among other competition entries, showing Scotland's artistic talent and imagination, and hopes that Hannah is encouraged to continue using her artistic ability and love of drawing.

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**\*S5M-16958 Joan McAlpine: Greystone Rovers Foundation Secures Climate Challenge Funding**—That the Parliament congratulates the Greystone Rovers Foundation on securing £139,453 in the latest round of Climate Challenge Fund grants, which distributed £3.3 million to projects across Scotland; notes that the funding will be used for sports and athletics projects for young people in Dumfries and Galloway; believes that this will benefit the health and wellbeing of young people across the region as well as reducing CO2 emissions; notes that Climate Challenge Fund grants are funded by the Scottish Government and are distributed by Keep Scotland Beautiful, and understands that this is the first grant from the fund to be awarded to a project in the south of Scotland.

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**\*S5M-16955 Michelle Ballantyne: Black Diamond Radio's 12th Anniversary**—That the Parliament congratulates the Newtongrange-based Black Diamond radio station on celebrating its twelfth year of operation; understands that the volunteer-led community station has recently sought to improve its coverage by moving its transmitter to Mayfield; believes that it has been going from strength to strength and has recently signed its first sponsors; thanks all of its volunteers, and wishes them and the station all the best.

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**\*S5M-16954 Michelle Ballantyne: Galashiels' Slimming World Groups Fundraise for Cancer Research**—That the Parliament commends the members of Galashiels' Slimming World groups on raising over £3,000 for charity by donating clothes that no longer fit to Cancer Research UK; notes that the organisers also sought to highlight how the risk of developing certain cancers can be reduced through weight loss; thanks everyone who took part, and wishes them all the best.



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**\*[S5M-16953](#) Tom Arthur: Johnstone Photographer Wins Awards**—That the Parliament congratulates the Johnstone-based photographer, Graeme Hewitson, on his success at the Scottish Master Photographers Association Awards 2019; notes that he won seven awards of excellence, 20 merits and the top awards of Overall Portrait Photographer of the Year and Commercial and Industrial Photographer of the Year; recognises that he has built up extensive knowledge across a wide range of photography fields and established his own business, Monument Photos, 11 years ago; understands that his work has helped him gain esteemed recognition in the industry, including an MPA associateship in portraiture and a British Institute of Professional Photographer Licentiateship; congratulates Graeme on this achievement, and wishes him continued success in his career.

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**\*[S5M-16948](#) Maurice Golden: CHAS and the Royal Hospital for Children in Glasgow**—That the Parliament welcomes the formation of a support and palliative care team, which has been established by CHAS and the Royal Hospital for Children in Glasgow to offer high quality support and palliative care to young people across the west of Scotland who have life-shortening conditions; believes that it will be the first of its kind in the country and will support the children and their families by establishing close relationships with other medical professionals in the hospital and across communities; notes that the partnership will be funded by CHAS and employed by NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde and that the initial team will have a consultant in paediatric medicine, two clinical nurse specialists and an administrator, and wishes the staff well in establishing themselves and undertaking the challenging but vital work ahead of them.

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**\*[S5M-16947](#) Kezia Dugdale: JPI Media Redundancies**—That the Parliament condemns the reported decision by JPI Media to make a further 70 editorial staff across the UK redundant; understands that 60 of the posts will fall across its regional titles, with 10 at risk at *The Scotsman*, *Scotland on Sunday* and the *Edinburgh Evening News*, despite this group remaining profitable; believes that local and regional news outlets are critical to the health of the nation's democracy, with the Scotsman group being a trusted news brand; expresses solidarity with the group's workforce and the other editorial staff at risk, and calls for the redundancies to be halted.

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**\*[S5M-16946](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee Teenager, Ciaran Roberts-Osterberg, Gains Place at Berklee College**—That the Parliament congratulates Ciaran Roberts-Osterberg, who is from Dundee, on being awarded a placement at Berklee College of Music in Boston; understands that the 19-year-old multi-instrumentalist and singer has won critical acclaim and gained the support of the international star, Curtis Stigers, as well as an endorsement from Grammy-winning musician, Antonio Sanchez; notes that Ciaran is raising the £55,000 required to pay for his tuition fees by launching a fundraising campaign at the Inchyra Arts Café at which he will play alongside the acclaimed jazz saxophonist, Gordon McNeil, with all the proceeds from this going towards this,

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and wishes Ciaran all the best with the concert, his studies in the United States and his musical career.

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**\*S5M-16945 Bill Bowman: Arbroath, League One Winners**—That the Parliament congratulates Arbroath on recently winning the League One title at Glebe Park; understands that the Red Lichties have dedicated this success to the memory of the goalkeeping coach, John Ritchie, who died aged 70 in June 2018, and to the club videographer, Neil Douglas, who is recovering from illness; believes that the fans "painted the town red" in celebration, with many spilling onto the streets in delight, and wishes the team well for next season and Neil all the best with his recovery.

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**\*S5M-16944 Bill Bowman: Children's Book Series Inspired by Monikie Club**—That the Parliament congratulates Michelle Sloan on the publication of her new children's book series, *Animal Adventure Club*; understands that the series was inspired by the Young Naturalists Club at Crombie Country Park in Monikie, which gives children the chance to explore the outdoors; further understands that the Dundee author's publication is about four children who work as volunteers at their local nature reserve in the fictional town of Pittendooy in Scotland; notes that the club members have to work together as a team to use their skills to achieve the challenges that each character faces; recognises the importance of teaching children about teamwork, the environment and friendship, and wishes Michelle success with her future books.

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**\*S5M-16943 Bob Doris: Commending the Contribution of Andy Chung and Glasgow's Chinese People**—That the Parliament commends the longstanding efforts of Chinese people in north Glasgow and across the city to celebrate the Chinese New Year in an inclusive, engaging, enthusiastic and fun way; believes that such efforts are important in strengthening the vibrant and significant cultural contribution that Chinese people make to Glasgow and Scotland; further believes that these events allow communities to celebrate their cultural heritage and pass this on to future generations; commends Andy Chung, who, since 2015 and in partnership with ng homes, has been instrumental in securing annual civic receptions in Glasgow City Chambers for the Chinese community and in organising New Year celebration events for the wider public in Glasgow's George Square; notes that Andy has made several valuable contributions to the Chinese community over the years, including by helping to establish the Chinese Cultural and Welfare Society Scotland and the Glasgow Chinese Recreation Centre; further notes his charitable work, including his efforts with the Lodging House Mission to provide meals for homeless people; thanks Andy for his efforts, and wishes him every success for many years to come.

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**\*[S5M-16942](#) Maurice Corry: Congratulations to the Dumbarton Photographer, Gordon Russell**—That the Parliament congratulates Gordon Russell on winning 13 merit awards and one award of excellence at the Master Photographers Association's Scottish region annual awards ceremony; acknowledges that Gordon's talent was recognised among the 900 entries submitted to the awards across six different categories, including baby portrait, classical portrait, reportage wedding, monochrome, animals and most promising, and wishes him continued success in the industry.

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**\*[S5M-16941](#) Stuart McMillan: Notre Dame High School Crowned Scottish Netball Champions**—That the Parliament congratulates Notre Dame High School's netball squad on winning the Scottish Schools Cup at a closely fought final at Ravenscraig Sports Centre in Motherwell; recognises that the Greenock school team saw off competition from 117 rival squads and emerged victorious by defeating Peebles High School 59-55; understands that the Notre Dame squad reached the final in 2018 but were defeated and were therefore eager to win this time; appreciates that the girls have worked extremely hard to improve on their previous second-place finish, and that their coach, Claire Munn, from Clyde Netball Club, has shown outstanding leadership to help the girls achieve this success, and commends everyone involved at the school in supporting the team, as well as the players' families and friends.

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**\*[S5M-16938](#) Bill Bowman: Marie Curie Dundee Fundraiser**—That the Parliament congratulates the Dundee Marie Curie Daredevil Challenge on its successful annual abseil fundraiser, which has helped raise more than £100,000 over nine years; understands that interest in the challenge has grown over the last decade and that over 500 people signed up to take part in 2010; notes that this contribution has enabled the charity to pay for more than 5,000 hours of high-quality hands-on nursing care for terminally ill people at home, at the end of life across NHS Tayside; recognises the important work of Marie Curie, and looks forward to its continued support for cancer patients and their families.

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**\*[S5M-16937](#) Bill Bowman: Maggie's Raises Funds for Another Year of Care**—That the Parliament welcomes the news that Maggie's Dundee centre for cancer rehabilitation patients has successfully raised £552,000 to cover running costs for another year; understands that this was achieved through Maggie's Penguin Parade, which challenged families to find 80 one-off design giant penguin sculptures dotted throughout Tayside and Fife; further understands that the money raised allowed 13,500 people in 2018 to be helped by Maggie's Dundee; recognises the significant role that Maggie's Dundee plays in the local community, and encourages people to get involved with the centre's 2019 fundraising efforts.

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**\*[S5M-16936](#) Bill Bowman: Dundee Sports Clubs Receive Funding**—That the Parliament welcomes the award of more than £75,000 to three Dundee sports clubs as part of National Lottery funding of sportscotland's Direct Club Investment (DCI); understands that Ice Dundee, Dundee Madsons Basketball Club and Dundee West Football Club will receive between £16,000 and £30,000 to support their ambitious development plans; notes that funding is awarded to clubs that demonstrate their commitment to providing access to sport for people of all ages and abilities, and understands that sportscotland is investing in implementing a world-class sporting system at every level in Scotland that aspires to changing lives in local communities.

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**\*[S5M-16935](#) Bill Bowman: Angus Business Wins Scottish Thistle Award**—That the Parliament congratulates Louise and Graeme Nicoll of Newton Farm Holidays and Tours on winning the Scottish Thistle Award for most hospitable bed and breakfast or guesthouse in Scotland; understands that the Angus business also won best outdoor experience and was one of three businesses in Scotland to receive two awards; further understands that the judges praised the business for offering genuine Scottish hospitality and a warm welcome to a broad range of guests, and wishes the couple good luck with their future ventures.

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**\*[S5M-16934](#) Bill Bowman: Abertay University**—That the Parliament congratulates Abertay University on securing funding to pursue a historical investigation into the origins of the university and its connection to the local area; understands that the £75,000 grant was secured through the National Lottery Heritage Fund and has been awarded in connection with the institution's 25th anniversary; notes that the two-year project, Abertay 25: Dundee's Changemakers – Our Contribution to Technology and Industry, will cover the 25 years since Abertay gained university status, and also look into predecessor institutions, including the 1888 Dundee Technical Institute; recognises the community strength of Abertay, and applauds the initiative of the project in recruiting community volunteer researchers and 120 young ambassadors to help uncover the past.

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**\*[S5M-16933](#) Gillian Martin: College Students' Film to Raise Awareness of Sharing Intimate Photos Online**—That the Parliament congratulates students at North East Scotland College on their short film, *Overexposure*, being viewed over a million times on YouTube; recognises that the film won a competition aimed at raising awareness among young people of the dangers of sharing intimate photos on social media; acknowledges that the film was part of the #DigiAye campaign to improve cyber security knowledge and resilience among young people, which was launched by the youth information charity, Young Scot; understands that the campaign was part of the Cyber Resilience Strategy for Scotland, which supports the country becoming a world leader in cyber resilience by 2020; commends the efforts of the students involved, and Young Scot for its work, and wishes everyone involved well.

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**\*[S5M-16930](#) Mary Fee: Glasgow Clan Fans Say #HockeyIsForEveryone**—That the Parliament congratulates fans of Glasgow Clan on promoting LGBT equality at the Elite Ice Hockey League (EIHL) Playoffs in Nottingham on 13-14 April 2019; understands that Glasgow Clan fans displayed a large banner declaring #HockeyIsForEveryone in their section, and welcomes all actions by fans to tackle homophobia in sport.

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**\*[S5M-16929](#) Miles Briggs: Gorgie, Dalry, Stenhouse Church of Scotland's New Centre for Rough Sleepers**—That the Parliament congratulates Gorgie, Dalry, Stenhouse Church of Scotland in Edinburgh on completing a £220,000 refurbishment of a former church, renamed Diadem, into a care shelter for up to 75 rough sleepers; understands that the pilot project is in partnership with Bethany Christian Trust and provides shower facilities, a clothing bank and volunteers from around 70 churches serving evening meals; recognises that the building is almost full to capacity every night, and wishes the congregation and Bethany Christian Trust well in their goal to ensure that the care shelter becomes a permanent fixture in September 2019.

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**\*[S5M-16928](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde's New MSYPs Elected**—That the Parliament congratulates Megan Alford and Cameron Noble, both aged 15, on being elected to represent Greenock and Inverclyde at the Scottish Youth Parliament from 2019 to 2021; understands that 2,724 votes were cast locally and that Megan, from Notre Dame High School, and Cameron, from Inverclyde Academy, will take office at the next sitting of the youth parliament, which will take place in Clackmannanshire in June 2019; notes that the two teenagers will also join the Inverclyde Youth Council to represent the interests of young people locally, and wishes the pair all the best in their new roles.

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**\*[S5M-16927](#) Alasdair Allan: Fundraiser Receives Award for Turning Isle of Lewis Purple**—That the Parliament commends Karen MacDonald for raising more than £21,000 for Pancreatic Cancer UK; understands that Karen organised a purple ladies event, in which 60 people cycled and walked 50 miles around the Isle of Lewis; acknowledges the role that Pancreatic Cancer UK plays in supporting the 780 people that are diagnosed with pancreatic cancer in Scotland each year, and congratulates Karen on receiving the Star Award from Pancreatic Cancer UK for her outstanding dedication to fundraising and increasing awareness of pancreatic cancer.

Supported by: Alexander Stewart\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Sandra White\*, Alison Johnstone\*, Bill Kidd\*, Edward Mountain\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Jenny Gilruth\*, Gillian Martin\*

**\*[S5M-16926](#) David Torrance: Fife Sands**—That the Parliament commends Fife Sands for the opening of a bereavement room at Victoria Hospital's maternity ward in Kirkcaldy; understands that the room will provide parents who experience the loss of a child a place of safety and comfort to grieve; notes that the room has facilities for partners to sleep over, soft and comforting textiles and catering facilities such as a fridge and kettle; recognises the difference that small details such as this can make to families going through the toughest of times; thanks the parents who raised

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funds to allow the facilities to be implemented, and encourages others to ensure facilities such as this are available in all maternity wards across Scotland.

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**\*[S5M-16918](#) Fulton MacGregor: Double Win for The Mad Batter Bakery and Coffee Shop—**

That the Parliament congratulates the owners, Graeme Neil and David Frame, and staff of The Mad Batter Bakery and Coffee Shop, which is in Coatbridge, on winning the Bakery of the Year South West Region and The Bakery of the Year Overall Winner in the ninth Scottish Independent Retail Awards at the Marriott Hotel in Glasgow on 9 April 2019; praises all those at the bakery for their hard work and determination that contributed toward this double win, and wishes them continued success for the future.

Supported by: Jenny Gilruth\*, Richard Lyle\*, Stuart McMillan\*, Bill Kidd\*, Sandra White\*

**\*[S5M-16914](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Mums into Business—**That the Parliament congratulates the Wester Hailes-based group, Mums into Business, on receiving a £5,000 grant from UnLtd; understands that the group is part of the Tasting Change project at the WHALE Arts Agency and seeks to help mothers from the local area who have an interest in setting up their own business, which helps to tackle unemployment and enables mothers to fulfil their dream careers; recognises that the group has previously utilised the support of Business Gateway and other business support organisations, and that the Business Gateway employee, Yvonne Bostock, continues to support the group in a voluntary capacity through The Roberts Partnership; further recognises the support that has been given by Lorna Robertson from DWP; notes that the award was made to the social entrepreneur, Sindy Santos, who will use the funding to continue the group after the Tasting Change project comes to an end; thanks Kirsty Frankland, who has played a significant role within the group and will continue to do so, and wishes the group and the mums who are pursuing their own businesses all the very best for the future.

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**Motions and amendments which have attracted additional support**

**[S5M-16924](#) Edward Mountain: National Lottery Community Fund Award for Tykes** (lodged on 12 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Mason\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S5M-16923](#) Brian Whittle: Asda Kilmarnock Delivers Community Grants** (lodged on 12 April 2019)

New Support: Richard Lyle\*, Miles Briggs\*, Michelle Ballantyne\*, Maurice Corry\*, John Scott\*, Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-16921](#) Shona Robison: Dundee, Scotland's Best** (lodged on 12 April 2019)

New Support: Liam Kerr\*, Sandra White\*, Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*, Jenny Gilruth\*

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**[S5M-16920](#) Alexander Stewart: Play Alloa Awarded £110,000 by BBC Children in Need Fund** (lodged on 12 April 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Maurice Corry\*, Annie Wells\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S5M-16919](#) Gail Ross: John O'Groats Mill Trust** (lodged on 12 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Richard Lyle\*, Sandra White\*, Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16916](#) Ruth Maguire: North Ayrshire Colts** (lodged on 12 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Richard Lyle\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Sandra White\*, Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16915](#) Ruth Maguire: Glebe Primary School** (lodged on 12 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Fulton MacGregor\*, Sandra White\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16913](#) John Mason: Personal Debt in Scotland** (lodged on 12 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Mark McDonald\*, Sandra White\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-16912](#) Annie Wells: Connect Community Trust Ltd** (lodged on 12 April 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Tom Mason\*, Alison Harris\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S5M-16911](#) David Torrance: Harley Hepburn Merger** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16910](#) David Torrance: SeeScape** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16909](#) David Torrance: Kingdom Abuse Survivors Project** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Margaret Mitchell\*, Gillian Martin\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16908](#) David Torrance: Beth Scoon, Silver Medal Winner** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*, Jenny Gilruth\*

**[S5M-16907](#) David Torrance: Rory Butcher, British Touring Car Championship Winner** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16906](#) David Torrance: Ben Smith** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16905](#) David Torrance: Revolution Barbershop's Beach Clean** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Shona Robison\*, Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16904](#) Jackie Baillie: World Parkinson's Day 2019** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Sandra White\*, Pauline McNeill\*, Neil Bibby\*, Neil Findlay\*

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**[S5M-16903](#) Gordon Lindhurst: West Lothian Couple Celebrate Diamond Wedding Anniversary** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Alison Harris\*, Rachael Hamilton\*

**[S5M-16902](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Gullane Gym Charity Spinathon** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Miles Briggs\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-16901](#) Maurice Golden: Deposit Return Scheme for Scotland** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Mason\*, John Finnie\*, Mark Ruskell\*

**[S5M-16900](#) Mark McDonald: CLAN Cancer Support** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-16899](#) Jenny Gilruth: The People's Pantry Aiming to Tackle Food Waste** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16898](#) Jenny Gilruth: Kingdom Housing Association Staff Celebrate Qualification Success** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16897](#) Jenny Gilruth: Reya Tandoori Reaches Finals of Scottish Curry Awards** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Annabelle Ewing\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16896](#) Jenny Gilruth: Flight Sergeant Robert Weddle Selected for Prestigious Flying Scholarship** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16895](#) Jenny Gilruth: Janet Adamson Hairdressing Celebrate 30 Years by Donating Money to Maggie's Centre** (lodged on 11 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Annabelle Ewing\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16894](#) Tavish Scott: Funding for Shetland Women's Aid** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16893](#) Annie Wells: REACH Lanarkshire Autism** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-16892](#) Annie Wells: Project 31** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-16891](#) Annie Wells: Community Links** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-16890](#) Annie Wells: The Prince's Trust** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

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New Support: Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-16889](#) Annie Wells: North Glasgow Community Food Initiative** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Bob Doris\*

**[S5M-16888](#) Annie Wells: International Women's Group** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-16887](#) Gordon MacDonald: Westside Plaza Celebrates Scottish Green Apple Successes** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Jenny Gilruth\*, Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16886](#) Adam Tomkins: KPMG to Expand its Operations in Glasgow** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: John Scott\*, Alison Harris\*

**[S5M-16884](#) Jackie Baillie: Dumbarton Organisations Receive Young Start Funding** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S5M-16883](#) Margaret Mitchell: The Manda Centre Relocation** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, John Scott\*, Alison Harris\*, Maurice Corry\*, Jamie Greene\*

**[S5M-16882](#) Jackie Baillie: Morrison's in Dumbarton Helps to Raise £50,000 for Guide Dogs Scotland** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S5M-16881](#) Clare Adamson: Boxing Success for Ryan Haney and Harley Boal from Wishaw** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16880](#) Clare Adamson: Dementia-friendly Walks at Wishaw Care Home** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16876](#) Jeremy Balfour: Get2gether** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton\*

**[S5M-16872](#) Alexander Stewart: Tea at 63, Tillicoultry** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: John Scott\*

**[S5M-16871](#) Pauline McNeill: Centrica CEO Pay Rise** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Neil Findlay\*

**[S5M-16870](#) Jackie Baillie: Dumbarton's New MSYPs, Dylan Murdoch and Rosie Sumsion** (lodged on 10 April 2019)



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New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S5M-16869](#) Tom Arthur: Chief Superintendent Gordon Crossan to Retire After 30 Years**  
(lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*

**[S5M-16867](#) Gordon MacDonald: Reduction in Homelessness in Edinburgh** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16866](#) Angela Constance: Congratulations to West Lothian's Circular Economy Challenge Finalists** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16865](#) Stuart McMillan: Amy Muir, Rangers' Women's Player of the Year** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*, Bob Doris\*

**[S5M-16862](#) Stewart Stevenson: Tougher Sentencing for Animal Cruelty in Scotland** (lodged on 09 April 2019)

New Support: Christine Grahame\*, Gillian Martin\*, Annabelle Ewing\*

**[S5M-16861](#) Kenneth Gibson: Congratulations to West Kilbride Boys' Brigade on 100th Anniversary** (lodged on 10 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16859](#) Willie Coffey: Fundraising Efforts of 10-year-old Lochlan Murdoch** (lodged on 09 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16857](#) Kenneth Gibson: Erin McCluskey and David MacDonald, Newly-elected MSYPs for Cunninghame North** (lodged on 09 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16856](#) Liam McArthur: Orkney Young Enterprise Success** (lodged on 09 April 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16855](#) Stuart McMillan: Alan Hunter's Success at the Robert Burns World Federation Schools' Competition** (lodged on 09 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16854](#) Stuart McMillan: Tia McGhee Completes 20 Secondary-style Qualifications While in Primary School** (lodged on 09 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16849](#) Angela Constance: Official Opening of the West Lothian Dementia Resource Centre** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

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New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16848](#) Angela Constance: Ciara Anderson's Dance Debut at Edinburgh's Playhouse Theatre** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16847](#) Angela Constance: Friends to Walk the West Highland Way for Help for Heroes** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16844](#) John Finnie: International Romani Day 2019** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Keith Brown\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16843](#) Gail Ross: Wartime Trail Round Loch Ewe** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Keith Brown\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16842](#) Angela Constance: Tracey Carty, Pie-making Contest Winner** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16841](#) Kenneth Gibson: 150th Anniversary of the Death of Reverend Patrick Bell** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Keith Brown\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16838](#) Neil Findlay: West Lothian Alzheimer's Resource Centre** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton\*

**[S5M-16836](#) Tavish Scott: Community Development Company of Nesting Funding** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16835](#) Angus MacDonald: Falkirk Peace Vigil** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16833](#) Clare Adamson: Wishaw Pumptrack Named as UK Qualifier Venue for World Championships** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16832](#) Clare Adamson: PRECISION-Panc Pancreatic Cancer Clinical Trial** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Keith Brown\*, Tom Arthur\*

**[S5M-16827](#) Michelle Ballantyne: Knox Academy Eco-Week** (lodged on 05 April 2019)

New Support: Alex Cole-Hamilton\*

**[S5M-16826](#) Richard Lyle: New College Lanarkshire Wins Big at the MPA Awards** (lodged on 05 April 2019)

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New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-16825\*\*](#) **Liam McArthur: Orkney Drama Success** (lodged on 05 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-16824\*\*](#) **Alex Cole-Hamilton: Craigmount High Debating Team** (lodged on 05 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-16822\*\*](#) **Miles Briggs: Scotland, a Nation of Lifesavers** (lodged on 05 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-16821\*\*](#) **David Torrance: Smith Anderson** (lodged on 05 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-16803\*\*](#) **Jenny Gilruth: The Friendship Cabin to Extend Services** (lodged on 08 April 2019)

New Support: Gillian Martin\*, Keith Brown\*, Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-16781\*\*](#) **Maureen Watt: Newtonhill Primary School** (lodged on 04 April 2019)

New Support: Tom Arthur\*

[\*\*S5M-16765\*\*](#) **Michelle Ballantyne: Assisted Dying Laws** (lodged on 03 April 2019)

New Support: Christine Grahame\*

[\*\*S5M-16746\*\*](#) **Keith Brown: Scrap Visa Fees for Commonwealth Veterans** (lodged on 02 April 2019)

New Support: Christine Grahame\*

[\*\*S5M-16723\*\*](#) **Michelle Ballantyne: Thirlestane Castle Wins UK Heritage Award** (lodged on 02 April 2019)

New Support: Christine Grahame\*

[\*\*S5M-16715\*\*](#) **Emma Harper: Dumfries and Galloway Youth Elections** (lodged on 02 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16714\*\*](#) **Angela Constance: Congratulations to West Lothian WomenN2Work Participants** (lodged on 01 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16713\*\*](#) **Angus MacDonald: Asda Green Token Giving** (lodged on 01 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16712\*\*](#) **Rona Mackay: Kirkintilloch-based Author, James Barclay, Dies at 86** (lodged on 01 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16706\*\*](#) **Gil Paterson: Clydebank Judoka, Sophie McNeill** (lodged on 01 April 2019)



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New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16704](#) Margaret Mitchell: Bothwell's Spring Clean** (lodged on 01 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16703](#) Fulton MacGregor: Coatbridge and Chryston's New MSYPs, Elena Margiotti and Ryan Kelly** (lodged on 01 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16701](#) Kenneth Gibson: Suki McGregor Wins North Ayrshire Citizen of the Year Award** (lodged on 01 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16700](#) Gil Paterson: Emma McCabe, British Schools Judo Champion** (lodged on 01 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16699](#) Jackie Baillie: Scottish SPCA Success in West Dunbartonshire in 2018** (lodged on 01 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Neil Bibby\*

**[S5M-16692](#) Gil Paterson: The Scottish SPCA** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16691](#) Sandra White: The Garage is Officially the Best, Bar None** (lodged on 01 April 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16690](#) Richard Lyle: Noble Primary School's Education Scotland Report** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16688](#) Bill Kidd: Active Seniors** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16684](#) Jackie Baillie: Scotland Loses a Third of Bank Branches in Eight Years** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Neil Bibby\*

**[S5M-16682](#) John Scott: 1st Troon BB Pipe Band** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16681](#) David Torrance: Ardroy Outdoor Education Centre** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16680](#) David Torrance: Elaine Wylie MBE** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

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New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16679](#) Jenny Gilruth: Kobe Singh in Mini Disco Divas** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16678](#) Jenny Gilruth: Leven's Air Training Corps** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16677](#) Jenny Gilruth: Levenmouth Quiz Kids Win Trophy** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16676](#) Jenny Gilruth: Holly Wilkins from Glenrothes Given World-class Training**  
(lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16672](#) John Mason: Migrant Numbers Down** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16671](#) Claire Baker: The Open University at 50** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Jenny Gilruth\*

**[S5M-16670](#) Stuart McMillan: Two Inverclyde Groups Benefit from Climate Challenge Fund**  
(lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16669](#) Stuart McMillan: Belville Community Garden Trust Benefits from Postcode Lottery** (lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Neil Bibby\*

**[S5M-16667](#) Sandra White: National Theatre of Scotland and National Autistic Society Collaborate** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16660](#) Stuart McMillan: Inverclyde Youth Project Awarded £10,060 from Scottish Children's Lottery** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16659](#) Stuart McMillan: Stepwell's Cook School Receives £99,000 Grant** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*, Neil Bibby\*

**[S5M-16655](#) Mary Fee: World Autism Awareness Week 2019** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16654](#) Shona Robison: Dundee Pensioners' Forum** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

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Motions   Gluasadan				

**[S5M-16653](#) Gil Paterson: Castlehill Primary P1's Show Racism the Red Card** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16651](#) Jackie Baillie: Eva McKellar, Age Scotland Award-winner** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16649](#) Gillian Martin: Westfield Farms Success at Scottish Rural Awards** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16648](#) Maurice Golden: Plastic Unwrapped Pledge to Reduce Plastics and Increase Recycling** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16647](#) Alexander Stewart: 50th Anniversary of The Open University** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16646](#) David Torrance: 40th Anniversary of Kingdom Housing Association** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16645](#) David Torrance: Fife Cup Success for Kirkcaldy High School** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16644](#) David Torrance: Friends of Kirkcaldy High School** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16643](#) David Torrance: Raith Rovers First-team Debut for Kieron Bowie** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16642](#) David Torrance: Stephens Bakery Foundation** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16641](#) David Torrance: Fife Athletic Club Success** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16640](#) David Torrance: Kirkcaldy Redskins** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16639](#) David Torrance: Fife Flyers Reach EIHL Play-offs** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

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Motions   Glusadan				

**[S5M-16638](#) David Torrance: Prestigious Award for Kinghorn Jeweller, Evie Milo** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16637](#) Claudia Beamish: Towards an Independent Palestinian State, a Scottish Proposal** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16636](#) David Torrance: Book Published on FND** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16632](#) David Torrance: MidgieBite Media** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16630](#) Gil Paterson: Success for Shannon McGhee in Special Olympics World Games** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16629](#) Ross Greer: Liberation of ISIS Territory** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16628](#) Linda Fabiani: East Kilbride Housing Association, Helping to End Period Poverty** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16627](#) Angela Constance: Almond Valley Friends, Nicola Allen and Jackie Kerr** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16626](#) Angela Constance: Sarah Burton, New Head of Pumpherston and Uphall Station Community Primary** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16625](#) Angela Constance: The Rotary Club of Livingston** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16624](#) Angela Constance: Deans Community High Pupils Create Events 4 You** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16622](#) Angela Constance: 22 New Jobs Created by Homesense in Livingston** (lodged on 28 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16621](#) Gil Paterson: 1st Bearsden BB Pipe Band** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

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[\*\*S5M-16620\*\*](#) **Maurice Golden: Kustom Kruizers CIC Bike Maintenance Programme** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16618\*\*](#) **Maurice Golden: West Dunbartonshire Gymnastics Club** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16617\*\*](#) **Maurice Golden: Dunbartonshire Disability Sports Club** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16616\*\*](#) **Rona Mackay: Jennie's Gift of Life** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16615\*\*](#) **John Mason: Earth Hour** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16613\*\*](#) **Bill Kidd: FutureChef Winner 2019, Jessica Mitchell** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16612\*\*](#) **Stuart McMillan: Port Glasgow Schoolboy, Logan Keenan, Creates French Learning App** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16610\*\*](#) **Gil Paterson: Sweet and Petite Clydebank** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16609\*\*](#) **Claudia Beamish: Earth Hour 2019** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16606\*\*](#) **Gordon MacDonald: Wester Hailes Library Delivery Service** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16598\*\*](#) **Gil Paterson: West Dunbartonshire Dance Festival** (lodged on 27 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16590\*\*](#) **Linda Fabiani: Olympic Gold for East Kilbride's Ruairidh Brown** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16587\*\*](#) **Jamie Halcro Johnston: Findhorn Bay Festival** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16576\*\*](#) **Dean Lockhart: Craigenalt Trust Spring Walking Fest** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16574](#) Alison Johnstone: ScotHot Food, Drink, Tourism and Hospitality Festival**  
(lodged on 29 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16573](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton: Loneliness and Technology** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16572](#) Alexander Burnett: Ballater Highland Games Supports Buttony Bear to Comfort Kids at RACH** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16571](#) Maurice Golden: Deafblind Scotland Connect 2 Support Initiative** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16570](#) Maurice Golden: Renfrew YMCA Inclusive Outdoors Education and Play** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16569](#) Maurice Golden: STAR Project Paisley Community Garden** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16568](#) Maurice Golden: Talented Renfrewshire Older People's Success in Nationwide Campaign** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16566](#) Alasdair Allan: Lewis and Harris Local Industry and Jobs Fair** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16565](#) Angela Constance: Stoneyburn and Bents Future Vision Group Awarded £10,000** (lodged on 26 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16558](#) Neil Findlay: Lothian School Football Tournament** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16557](#) Neil Findlay: Zahra Recognised for Charitable Work** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16556](#) Neil Findlay: Alan and Barbara Waddell, Highland Games Co-chieftains** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*



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**[S5M-16553](#) Liam McArthur: Expedition Team Retraces Steps of Dr John Rae** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16552](#) Gil Paterson: Success for Derek McKenzie at the Special Olympics** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16551](#) Liam McArthur: Orcadian Climber, Kirsty Copland** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16550](#) Angela Constance: Congratulations to West Lothian College Student Association** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16541](#) Gillian Martin: Run Garioch 2019** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16540](#) Liam Kerr: Macphie Double Awards Night Success** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16539](#) Gail Ross: UK's First Newton Room** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16538](#) Liam Kerr: The Letham Angus Gold Group** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16537](#) Liam Kerr: The Scottish Blind Golf Society** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16536](#) Liam Kerr: Dundee and Angus ADHD Support Group** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16535](#) Emma Harper: The Riverbank Wynd Campaign Group** (lodged on 25 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16532](#) Kezia Dugdale: Action for Children, Official National Charity Partner for the 2019 Solheim Cup** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16531](#) Gil Paterson: Plaque Honouring the Crew of The Piorun** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16528](#) Donald Cameron: Lussa Drinks Company Wins FSB Scotland Award** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

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New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16527](#) Peter Chapman: Pitmedden School Raises Money for Red Nose Day** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16525](#) Stuart McMillan: £19,000 Funding Boost for Ocean Youth Trust Scotland** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16523](#) Jackie Baillie: Buy a Brick for Dumbarton FC** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16522](#) Jackie Baillie: Dumbarton Man Named Scottish Landscape Photographer of the Year** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16521](#) Gail Ross: Scottish Rural Awards 2019** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16520](#) Gail Ross: Rural Hospitality Award for Kylesku Hotel** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16519](#) Gail Ross: Rural Tourism Award for NC500** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16516](#) Jackie Baillie: West Dunbartonshire Learners' Voice Wins Award for Best Group** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16515](#) Gillian Martin: Eat on the Green Triumphs at Scottish Thistle Awards** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16514](#) Gillian Martin: Balmedie Primary School Raises Over £15,000 for Comic Relief** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16513](#) Gillian Martin: Haddo Arts Receives £24,000 from Udney Community Trust** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16504](#) Gordon MacDonald: Shannon Crosbie Takes Gold and Silver** (lodged on 22 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*



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**[S5M-16502](#) Jenny Gilruth: Success for Glenrothes Sporting Talent at Kirkcaldy and Central Fife Sports Council Awards** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16501](#) Jenny Gilruth: Cadham Pharmacy Wins Health Promotion Award** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16500](#) Jenny Gilruth: Annalene Coyle Prepares for Ultra Marathon** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16498](#) Angus MacDonald: HippFest 2019** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16496](#) Angus MacDonald: National Lottery Donates £64 Million to Falkirk District Over 25 Years** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16495](#) Annie Wells: Epilepsy Scotland to Establish Glasgow Youth Group** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16494](#) Annie Wells: YoMo Glasgow** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16493](#) Annie Wells: Beatroute Arts** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16490](#) Sandra White: SiMY Community Development Lottery Success** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16489](#) James Kelly: Grow 73 to Develop Rutherglen Community Garden** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16488](#) Finlay Carson: Queen of the South FC Celebrates 100th Birthday** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16486](#) Maureen Watt: RSPB DolphinFest 2019** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16483](#) Alexander Stewart: Dunfermline High School Pupils Secure £3,000 for Choices Dunfermline** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

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Motions   Glusadan				

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16482](#) Alexander Stewart: Inverkeithing High School Pupils Secure £3,000 for Aberdour Day Care Centre** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16481](#) David Torrance: Care and Share Companionship, Kirkcaldy** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16480](#) Jeremy Balfour: World Down's Syndrome Day** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16478](#) Jackie Baillie: Dumbarton Youth Charity, Y Sort It** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16477](#) Jackie Baillie: District Nurse, Margaret McCairn** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16475](#) Alexander Stewart: Clackmannan's First Public Access Defibrillator** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16474](#) Stuart McMillan: Able2Sail at Special Olympics 2019** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16473](#) Rona Mackay: Celebrating an Inspirational Centenarian from Kirkintilloch** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16468](#) Kenneth Gibson: Forced Live Organ Extraction in China** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16467](#) Gil Paterson: St Euan's Primary School's Reducing Plastic Waste Initiative** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16465](#) Bill Kidd: Calls for Peace in Kashmir** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16464](#) Angela Constance: Aquaculture Learner of the Year Award Winners** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16463](#) Angela Constance: Annie Lord Recognised for Riverbank Nature Art Work in Almond Valley** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

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New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16462](#) Angela Constance: Creation of Six New Jobs at Lareine Engineering of Livingston** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16461](#) Angela Constance: Award Recognition for Local Hero, Dylan Cathcart** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16455](#) Bill Bowman: Ball Raises More Than £35,000 for Tayside Children's Hospital** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16452](#) Kenneth Gibson: Recognition and Remembrance of Paul Scott** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16451](#) Fulton MacGregor: The Mad Batter Bakery and Coffee Shop, Coatbridge** (lodged on 21 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16449](#) Christine Grahame: Clovenfords Primary Pupils are Euroquiz Champions** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16448](#) Sandra White: People's Postcode Lottery Supporting Loretto Care's Green Fingers Project in Maryhill** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16447](#) Gordon Lindhurst: Safe Families for Children Wins Centre for Social Justice Award** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16446](#) Emma Harper: Criffel Receives Funding Boost** (lodged on 20 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16443](#) Fulton MacGregor: Kier Construction Working with British Heart Foundation** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16441](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Dufftown and District Pipe Band 70th Anniversary** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

**[S5M-16440](#) Jamie Halcro Johnston: Windswept Brewing Wins BeerX Awards** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

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New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16439\*\*](#) **Gordon MacDonald: Paul Henderson Scott** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16438\*\*](#) **Willie Coffey: Congratulations to Destany Robertson on Boxing Gold** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16431\*\*](#) **Alex Cole-Hamilton: Celebrating Difference** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16429\*\*](#) **David Torrance: Levenmouth Academy Wins Rotary Club Quiz** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16428\*\*](#) **Clare Adamson: Awards for All Success for Love and Light Recovery** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16427\*\*](#) **David Torrance: Fife College Students' Association** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16426\*\*](#) **Clare Adamson: Awards for All Success for Lanarkshire Carers Centre Ltd** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16425\*\*](#) **Clare Adamson: National Lottery Success for Glencassels Community Development Project** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16424\*\*](#) **Clare Adamson: National Lottery Awards for All Success for Motherwell Floral Art Club** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16421\*\*](#) **John Mason: Reversing Gender Stereotypes in Jobs** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16419\*\*](#) **Bill Bowman: Abertay University Video Games Degrees Ranked Best in Europe** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16418\*\*](#) **Neil Findlay: Success for West Lothian College Cookery Students** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16417\*\*](#) **Neil Findlay: Sky's Women in Tech Programme** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

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New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16416\*\*](#) **Neil Findlay: CRT Marks its 20th Anniversary** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16414\*\*](#) **Alexander Stewart: Sensory Garden for Autism in Cowdenbeath** (lodged on 19 March 2019)

New Support: Ruth Maguire\*

[\*\*S5M-16039\*\*](#) **Bruce Crawford: Scottish Gigabit Cities** (lodged on 27 February 2019)

New Support: Finlay Carson\* R

[\*\*S5M-15840\*\*](#) **Jackie Baillie: Access to Spinraza for People with Spinal Muscular Atrophy Types 2 and 3** (lodged on 13 February 2019)

New Support: Fulton MacGregor\*

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## Oral Questions

### Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 24 April 2019

#### Justice and the Law Officers

- Bruce Crawford:** To ask the Scottish Government how the Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 will change the way in which domestic abuse is tackled. ([S5O-03120](#))
- Fulton MacGregor:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it can take to support vulnerable witnesses before, during and after criminal court proceedings. ([S5O-03121](#))
- Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the way in which the Control of Dogs (Scotland) Act 2010 has been implemented. ([S5O-03122](#))
- Pauline McNeill:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Scottish Courts and Tribunals Service regarding reports that the 140-day target date from full committal for criminal trials to begin is being breached. ([S5O-03123](#))
- Elaine Smith:** To ask the Scottish Government what support is given to breastfeeding mothers when attending court. ([S5O-03124](#))
- John Mason:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether there is a need for greater accountability to reduce the risk of people abusing power of attorney status. ([S5O-03125](#))
- James Kelly:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last met local authorities and the Scottish Prison Service to discuss the provision of secure care units. ([S5O-03126](#))
- Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what the impact on the justice system will be of a new age of criminal responsibility of 12 coming into force. ([S5O-03127](#))

#### Government Business and Constitutional Relations

- Johann Lamont:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has received any representations from Glasgow City Council seeking additional funding in relation to the £92 million of consequential funding resulting from EU exit preparation funding. ([S5O-03128](#))
- Gordon Lindhurst:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill. ([S5O-03129](#))
- Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the expected timetable for current bills to progress. ([S5O-03130](#))
- Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Electoral Commission regarding the provision of a free mailshot for local government election candidates. ([S5O-03131](#))
- Linda Fabiani:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last held discussions with the Prime Minister. ([S5O-03132](#))
- Mary Fee:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will integrate the principle of non-regression into provisions on keeping pace with EU law to ensure that no new measures inadvertently lead to a lowering of consumer and environmental standards. ([S5O-03133](#))



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**7. David Torrance:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Electoral Commission regarding planning in Scotland for possible European Parliament elections in May 2019. ([S5O-03134](#))

**8. Kenneth Gibson:** To ask the Scottish Government what impact it anticipates Brexit having on the supply of skilled labour. ([S5O-03135](#))

### Portfolio Questions selected for answer on 25 April 2019

#### Culture, Tourism and External Affairs

**1. Michelle Ballantyne:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it will provide to the Scottish Chamber Orchestra to assist it with its upcoming summer concerts in South Scotland. ([S5O-03136](#))

**2. John Scott:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with South Ayrshire Council regarding the preservation of listed buildings and other built heritage. ([S5O-03137](#))

**3. Richard Lyle:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to help the film industry. ([S5O-03138](#))

**4. Gail Ross:** To ask the Scottish Government what research is taking place into citizen engagement and satisfaction with the new BBC Scotland channel. ([S5O-03139](#))

**5. Liam Kerr:** To ask the Scottish Government what support it offers to tourism businesses in the north-east. ([S5O-03140](#))

**6. Neil Bibby:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions the Cabinet Secretary for Culture, Tourism and External Affairs has had with the Minister for Energy, Connectivity and the Islands regarding the importance of ferry services to Arran's tourism industry. ([S5O-03141](#))

**7. Annabelle Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government how it promotes tourism in the Cowdenbeath constituency. ([S5O-03142](#))

**8. Jenny Gilruth:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports tourism across the Mid Fife and Glenrothes constituency. ([S5O-03143](#))

### General Questions selected for answer on 25 April 2019

**1. Alasdair Allan:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on how its resilience fund to reduce the risk of ferries breaking down has been spent. ([S5O-03144](#))

**2. Angus MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government when it last discussed the proposed growth deal for Falkirk district with the Secretary of State for Scotland. ([S5O-03145](#))

**3. Rhoda Grant:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with Highlands and Islands Airports Limited regarding the incident on 5 April 2019 when a plane left Kirkwall Airport without air traffic control clearance. ([S5O-03146](#))

**4. Angela Constance:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports research into and the treatment of endometriosis. ([S5O-03147](#))

**5. Anas Sarwar:** To ask the Scottish Government what action it is taking to prevent hospital acquired infections. ([S5O-03148](#))

**6. Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what steps it is taking to ensure that freight capacity on Northern Isles ferry routes meets future demand. ([S5O-03149](#))

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**7. Keith Brown:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on the decision by the DWP to reject the recommendation of the Work and Pensions Committee to set the default rate for recovery of universal credit hardship payments at 5% of the Standard Allowance. ([S5O-03150](#))

**8. Liz Smith:** To ask the Scottish Government what recent discussions it has had with sportscotland with regard to the development of women's football. ([S5O-03151](#))

**9. Gillian Martin:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the delivery of the R100 superfast broadband programme. ([S5O-03152](#))

**10. Tom Mason:** To ask the Scottish Government how many deaths there were in 2018 in the NHS Grampian area that can be attributed in some way to the use of Xanax. ([S5O-03153](#))

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## Written Questions

Questions in which a member has indicated a declarable interest are marked with an "R".

Government Initiated Questions are initiated by the Scottish Government in order to facilitate the provision of information to the Parliament.

### Government initiated questions lodged from 15 April 2019 to 22 April 2019

**[S5W-22720](#) Tom Arthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress has been made on the introduction of Air Departure Tax in Scotland.

**[S5W-22738](#) Angus MacDonald:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide an update on the publication of its Waste Markets Study.

### Written questions lodged from 15 April 2019 to 22 April 2019

**[S5W-22561](#) Alasdair Allan:** To ask the Scottish Government how many teachers there are per 100,000 pupils, and what information it has regarding how this compares with (a) England and (b) Wales.

**[S5W-22562](#) Alasdair Allan:** To ask the Scottish Government how many schools there are per 100,000 pupils, and what information it has regarding how this compares with (a) England and (b) Wales.

**[S5W-22563](#) Alasdair Allan:** To ask the Scottish Government what information it has regarding the combined spend on fisheries, including per registered fishing vessel, agriculture and forestry per CAP payment recipient for (a) Scotland, (b) England and (c) Wales.

**[S5W-22631](#) Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what work is carried out with people who have (a) blood and (b) other types of cancer regarding their experiences of living with the condition and how this impacts on their physical and mental wellbeing, and how the NHS uses this to inform the action that it takes to improve their quality of life.

**[S5W-22646](#) Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government how many homeless households were assessed as having no local connection to the assessing local authority in each of the last three years, and what the outcomes were for these households.

**[S5W-22648](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of its guidance on health assessments for looked after children, published in May 2014, whether data on looked after children's health is being collected and collated and, if so, who is undertaking this, and what analysis has been undertaken of the data at a national level in relation to looked after children's mental health and wellbeing.

**[S5W-22649](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what training (a) looked after children's nurses, (b) school nurses, (c) paediatricians and (d) health visitors receive on the impact of trauma on children and young people.

**[S5W-22650](#) Monica Lennon:** To ask the Scottish Government what information is collected in health assessments for looked after children on the needs of children and young people in relation to mental health and wellbeing.

**[S5W-22651](#) Alison Johnstone:** To ask the Scottish Government what the average waiting time is for (a) an adult carer support plan and (b) a young carer statement.

**[S5W-22652](#) Angela Constance:** To ask Scottish Government what the role of Autism Network Scotland is; how much funding it receives; how its income is used, and how this is monitored.

**[S5W-22653](#) Angela Constance:** To ask Scottish Government for what reason it stopped funding the network of One Stop Shops for autistic people and their families; what its position is on reports

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that local authorities have not prioritised funding for these, and whether it will consider reintroducing funding for such a network.

**S5W-22655 Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Parliamentary Corporate Body what discussions it has had with the fund trustees regarding the investment policy for the Scottish Parliamentary Pension Scheme in relation to fossil fuels and related industries.

**S5W-22656 Jamie Greene:** To ask the Scottish Government how many (a) children and (b) adults have been injured outside schools in incidents involving vehicles in each year since 2007, also broken down by local authority area.

**S5W-22657 Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what health and safety controls exist to ensure that mobile medical testing units meet the required standards, and who is responsible for ensuring that they do.

**S5W-22658 Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on NHS boards using mobile medical testing units provided by private companies, such as Vanguard Healthcare.

**S5W-22659 Alex Cole-Hamilton:** To ask the Scottish Government how many NHS boards have used mobile medical testing units in the last 12 months, and how much was spent on such units in each of the preceding three financial years, broken down by board.

**S5W-22660 Donald Cameron:** To ask the Scottish Government how many farm businesses in (a) the Highlands, (b) Aberdeenshire and (c) each parliamentary region are waiting to receive 2016-17 AECS (Agri-Environment Climate Scheme) payments. **R**

**S5W-22661 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government how much funding it awards to the Primary Biliary Cholangitis Foundation.

**S5W-22662 Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government how it supports people with primary biliary cholangitis.

**S5W-22664 Tavish Scott:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S4W-29691 by Angela Constance on 2 March 2016, whether it will provide the figures for each year since 2015-16.

**S5W-22665 Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government by what date the standards document setting out guidance on pavement parking exemptions will be published, and whether this will be prior to stage 3 of the Transport (Scotland) Bill.

**S5W-22666 Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the Scottish Government what most recent assessment it has made of the impact of Abellio ScotRail's performance on the economy, and when it will next carry out another one.

**S5W-22667 Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-21528 by Humza Yousaf on 1 March 2019, what discussions it has had with the chief constable regarding the findings in DCC Taylor's report, and whether it will publish the outcome of these (a) discussions and (b) findings.

**S5W-22668 Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-21457 by Kevin Stewart on 19 February 2019, how residents and owners in non-registered social landlord (RSL) properties can find out about the grants and support that are available.

**S5W-22669 Kezia Dugdale:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-21461 by Kevin Stewart on 19 February 2019, how the framework will establish and inform reporting to help ensure that a Scotland-wide picture can be assessed.

**S5W-22670 Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reason the NHS Lothian GP Out of Hours Unscheduled Care Service is reducing its opening hours; what support is available to people seeking to access this during the additional hours that it will be closed, and by what date the service will return to operate at full capacity.

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**[S5W-22673](#) Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government how many NHS Lothian staff have moved to the Barclay Group in each of the last three years, and what analysis it has carried out of their reasons for doing so.

**[S5W-22675](#) Richard Lyle:** To ask the Scottish Government what discussions it has had with the Crown Office and Procurator Fiscal Service on the establishment of an MP/MSP email and telephone enquiry point of contact.

**[S5W-22676](#) Daniel Johnson:** To ask the Scottish Government what work is being done to ensure that the remaining sections of the Prescriptions (Scotland) Act 2018 come into force, and by what date these provisions will commence.

**[S5W-22678](#) Michelle Ballantyne:** To ask the Scottish Government what plans it has to support the Midlothian and Borders Tourism Action Group's free smartphone app, "Scotland Starts Here", to help expand its potential.

**[S5W-22679](#) Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government when the short-time working group on mesh was established; who the members and the NHS board accountable officers are on the group; whether it will publish each member's declaration of interests; when the minutes of group meetings will be published, and whether there are any plans for patients to be represented.

**[S5W-22680](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-22414 by Kevin Stewart on 16 April 2019, for what the reason concluding the review of SesPlan2 has been delayed.

**[S5W-22681](#) Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government what the average time is for repairs to be completed on trunk roads when a tar hot box is required.

**[S5W-22682](#) Finlay Carson:** To ask the Scottish Government what the average time has been to complete category 1 defect repairs on the A9 trunk road in each of the last five years.

**[S5W-22683](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will deliver the Bonn Challenge target of 3,000 to 5,000 hectares of new native woodland planted during 2019-20.

**[S5W-22685](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government on what date the civil contingency preparedness review of nuclear warhead transportation by HM Inspectorate of Constabulary and HM Fire Service Inspectorate will be published.

**[S5W-22694](#) Jackson Carlaw:** To ask the Scottish Government how many campaigns to tackle obesity have been formulated and promoted by Obesity Action Scotland in each year since its formation in 2015, and what the (a) remits, (b) aims and (c) costs were for each campaign.

**[S5W-22695](#) Jackson Carlaw:** To ask the Scottish Government how much funding (a) it has and (b) other government-funded bodies have provided Obesity Action Scotland with in each year since its formation in 2015, expressed (i) in cash terms and (ii) as a proportion of Obesity Action Scotland's total budget.

**[S5W-22696](#) Jackson Carlaw:** To ask the Scottish Government how much of its total grant to Obesity Action Scotland has been spent on initiatives and promotions to encourage children and young people to take up sport and physical activity in each year since it was established in 2015.

**[S5W-22697](#) Jackson Carlaw:** To ask the Scottish Government how much of the annual grant that it provides to Obesity Action Scotland was used to engage in discussions with ministers on measures relating to diet and obesity policies in each year since its formation in 2015.

**[S5W-22698](#) Jackson Carlaw:** To ask the Scottish Government what progress it has made toward ensuring that all primary school children have access to a minimum of five portions of fruit and vegetables per day in the Eastwood constituency and across the country as highlighted on Obesity Action Scotland's website.

**[S5W-22699](#) Jackson Carlaw:** To ask the Scottish Government what regional focus there is to the work carried out by Obesity Action Scotland, and what work has been undertaken by Obesity Action Scotland in the Eastwood constituency.



**[S5W-22700](#) Annie Wells:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-22097 by Clare Haughey on 26 March 2019, how many of the new mental health workers are employed by each NHS board, broken down by job title.

**[S5W-22701](#) Neil Findlay:** To ask the Scottish Government how it allocated the £2 billion that it received from the UK Government to mark the 70th anniversary of the NHS.

**[S5W-22703](#) Graham Simpson:** To ask the Scottish Government what the main reasons were for those households assessed as intentionally homeless (a) making a homeless application and (b) failing to maintain accommodation in each of the last five years.

**[S5W-22704](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government how many bone marrow transplants for people with mucopolysaccharidosis (MPS) in each of the last 10 years have led to significant complications (a) during and (b) after the procedure, broken down by NHS board.

**[S5W-22705](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government what the mortality rate is for people with mucopolysaccharidosis (MPS), and which NHS boards routinely provide this information when consulting patients regarding bone marrow transplant procedures.

**[S5W-22706](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government what processes are followed ahead of a bone marrow transplant for people with mucopolysaccharidosis (MPS) to ensure that there is sufficient expertise and experience available to guarantee patient safety.

**[S5W-22707](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government which NHS boards automatically put in place an airway management plan for people with mucopolysaccharidosis (MPS) when they are admitted to hospital.

**[S5W-22708](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government under what circumstances people with mucopolysaccharidosis (MPS), who are considered to be high-risk as they might experience airway complications before, during or after a procedure, could be recommended for a bone marrow transplant operation.

**[S5W-22709](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government what protocols are in place to ensure that the correct procedures are followed when treating people with mucopolysaccharidosis (MPS) who are at risk of allergic reactions, including those who have recorded an antibody build up during enzyme replacement therapy.

**[S5W-22710](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government what involvement it has in the establishment of regulatory standards and processes in relation to the rollout of 5G technology.

**[S5W-22712](#) Mary Fee:** To ask the Scottish Government how many educational mental health staff there have been in each local authority in each of the last five academic years.

**[S5W-22713](#) Annabelle Ewing:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it will provide a table showing the latest (a) available General Fund Reserve Funds held by each local authority and the equivalent in real terms at the end of the financial year 2006-07 and (b) General Fund Reserve Funds as a percentage of its grant to each local authority and the equivalent figure at the end of the financial year 2006-07.

**[S5W-22714](#) Mark Ruskell:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will report on the review of the Climate Challenge Fund.

**[S5W-22715](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government whether it has implemented the recommendations in the report, *Tackling Sectarianism in Scotland: review of implementation*, and whether it will provide a progress report on each recommendation.

**[S5W-22716](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the recommendation in the report, *Tackling Sectarianism in Scotland: review of implementation*, that “a baseline study to enable a monitoring framework should be established by agreement with the Scottish Government, the football authorities, Police Scotland and other relevant stakeholders”, whether it will place in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe) a copy of the baseline study, the monitoring framework and the annual outcomes of monitoring and evaluation.



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**[S5W-22717](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government what its position is on whether the recommendations in the report, *Tackling Sectarianism in Scotland: review of implementation*, should have led to Police Scotland making sectarian a mandatory marker for crime reporting and recording.

**[S5W-22718](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-15871 by Michael Matheson on 8 May 2018, whether it will provide the equivalent figures for (a) 2017-18 and (b) 2018-19.

**[S5W-22719](#) Liam McArthur:** To ask the Scottish Government, further to the answer to question S5W-20504 by Humza Yousaf on 8 January 2019, whether it will provide the same data for (a) January, (b) February, (c) March and (d) April 2019.

**[S5W-22721](#) Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what criteria it will use to select an impartial chair of the committee that will review mental health and incapacity legislation.

**[S5W-22722](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government when it will publish the results of Transport Scotland's 2018 review of the road equivalent tariff formula.

**[S5W-22723](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government for what reasons data relating to the operation of Pentland Ferries services is not available for inclusion in the annual Scottish Transport Statistics.

**[S5W-22724](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government how many meetings (a) ministers and (b) officials have had with representatives from Pentland Ferries regarding the application of the road equivalent tariff on ferry services between Gill's Bay and St Margaret's Hope.

**[S5W-22725](#) Colin Smyth:** To ask the Scottish Government what assessment it has made of the duration of the current Northern Isles Ferry Services tender process, and when it expects that process to be completed by.

**[S5W-22736](#) Miles Briggs:** To ask the Scottish Government what its response is to the significant decrease in the number of people from Scotland aged 16 to 24 who self-assessed as having good or very good health, according to the Scottish Core Questions Survey 2017.

**[S5W-22737](#) Alexander Burnett:** To ask the Scottish Government, in light of concerns regarding illegal licencing practices by some caravan park site owners, whether it will review the maximum 10% commission entitlement to mobile home owners specified in the Mobile Homes (Written Statement) (Scotland) Regulations 2013.

## Amendments

### New amendments to Bills lodged on 15 April 2019

#### Transport (Scotland) Bill – Stage 2

##### Section 1

##### Richard Lyle

- 2 In section 1, page 1, line 18, at end, insert <, or  
(c) the vehicle is being used for the purpose mentioned in section (*Exemption for erecting or dismantling funfairs*).>

##### After section 12

##### Richard Lyle

- 3 After section 12, insert—  
<**Exemption for erecting or dismantling funfairs**  
Without prejudice to the generality of section 12, a local authority must grant an exemption in respect of a vehicle or type of vehicle for the purpose of section 1(1)(c) where the vehicle or type of vehicle is being used to transport funfair equipment for the purpose of erecting or dismantling a funfair.>

## Members' Bills Proposals

### Proposals for Members' Bills

A member seeking to introduce a Member's Bill must first lodge a draft proposal, together with a consultation document (or a statement of reasons why consultation is not considered necessary). Subsequently, the member may lodge a final proposal, in broadly similar terms to the draft, accompanied by a summary of consultation responses (or the statement of reasons). The member secures the right to introduce a Bill to give effect to the proposal if the final proposal secures, within one month, the support of at least 18 other members from at least half the political parties or groups represented in the Parliamentary Bureau, and provided no indication is given that the Scottish Government or UK Government is planning equivalent legislation.

All current proposals (together with associated documents) are available on the Scottish Parliament website at Proposals for Members' Bills/Session 5 Proposals:

<http://www.scottish.parliament.uk/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/12419.aspx>

### Final Proposal for Member's Bills

**Richard Lyle: Proposed Licensing of Funfairs (Scotland) Bill**—Proposal for a Bill to exempt travelling funfairs from public entertainment licensing requirements and to create a distinct new licensing system for travelling funfairs in Scotland. (lodged 26 March 2019)

The proposal was accompanied by a summary of consultation responses, which is accessible online via the website page referred to above. The summary, and individual responses, may also be viewed in the Scottish Parliament Information Centre (SPICe).

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### Bills

A list of all Bills in progress can be accessed via the Scottish Parliament website at:

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For each Bill, the date of the next (or most recent) event in the Bill's passage is given. Other relevant information, e.g. about lodging amendments, is given in italics.

As soon as a Public Bill (i.e. a Government, Committee or Member's Bill) has completed Stage 1, amendments for consideration at Stage 2 may be lodged; and as soon as Stage 2 is completed, amendments for Stage 3 consideration may be lodged. The last lodging day for amendments at Stage 2 is four sitting days before the meeting at which those amendments will be considered (e.g. Wednesday for a meeting on Tuesday); at Stage 3 it is five days before. Amendments may be lodged until 4.30 pm on any sitting day, except on the last lodging day for each Stage, when the deadline is 12 noon.

A Hybrid Bill is subject to the same rules except in the case of Stage 2 where amendments for consideration may be lodged no earlier than the completion of any consideration of evidence at Stage 2.

Amendments to Private Bills are subject to different deadlines. These are set out in Rule 9A.12 of Standing Orders.

Members are advised to lodge amendments in good time before the beginning of a Stage and as early as possible during the day.

(G) = Government Bill; (M) = Member's Bill; (C) = Committee Bill; (P) = Private Bill; (H) = Hybrid Bill.

### **Age of Criminal Responsibility (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 completed, 7 February 2019

*Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team*

*([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

### **Census (Amendment) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 (Culture, Tourism, Europe and External Affairs Committee), 2 May 2019

*All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Friday 26 April with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))*

### **Children and Young People (Information Sharing) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Education and Skills)), 6 December 2017

### **Children (Equal Protection from Assault) (Scotland) Bill (M)**

Stage 1 (lead committee (Equalities and Human Rights)), 4 April 2019

### **Climate Change (Emissions Reduction Targets) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 1 completed, 2 April 2019

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**Damages (Investment Returns and Periodical Payments) (Scotland) Bill (G)**  
Passed, 19 March 2019

**Fuel Poverty (Target, Definition and Strategy) (Scotland) Bill (G)**  
Stage 2 completed, 3 April 2019  
Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))

**Health and Care (Staffing) (Scotland) Bill (G)**  
Stage 3 (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 2 May 2019  
Amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Thursday 25 April with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))

**Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill (G)**  
Stage 2 (Health and Sport Committee), 7 May 2019  
All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Tuesday 30 April with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))

**Hutchesons' Hospital Transfer and Dissolution (Scotland) Bill (P)**  
Final Stage (debate, meeting of the Parliament), 25 April 2019

**Management of Offenders (Scotland) Bill (G)**  
Stage 2 (Day 2) (Justice Committee), 23 April 2019

**Non-Domestic Rates (Scotland) Bill (G)**  
Introduced, 25 March 2019  
Lead Committee - Local Government and Communities Committee

**Planning (Scotland) Bill (G)**  
Stage 2 completed, 14 November 2018  
Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))

**Restricted Roads (20 mph Speed Limit) (Scotland) Bill (M)**  
Stage 1 (evidence, lead committee (Rural Economy and Connectivity)), 20 March 2019

**Scottish National Investment Bank Bill (G)**  
Introduced, 27 February 2019  
Lead committee - Economy, Energy and Fair Work

**South of Scotland Enterprise Bill (G)**  
Stage 2 (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee), 8 May 2019  
All amendments should be lodged by 12 noon on Wednesday 1 May with the clerks in the Legislation Team ([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))

**Transport (Scotland) Bill (G)**

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Stage 1 completed, 4 April 2019

Stage 2 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team  
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### **UK Withdrawal from the European Union (Legal Continuity) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Passed, 21 March 2018

*Following a reference under section 33 of the Scotland Act 1998 by the Attorney General and the Advocate General for Scotland, the Supreme Court has ruled that some provisions of the Bill are outwith the legislative competence of the Scottish Parliament. The Bill cannot be submitted for Royal Assent in its unamended form.*

### **Vulnerable Witnesses (Criminal Evidence) (Scotland) Bill (G)**

Stage 2 completed, 12 March 2019

Stage 3 amendments may now be lodged with the clerks in the Legislation Team  
([LegislationTeam@parliament.scot](mailto:LegislationTeam@parliament.scot))

## **Legislative Consent Memorandums**

**A list of all Legislative Consent Memorandums lodged with the Scottish Parliament can be accessed via the website at:**

<http://www.parliament.scot/parliamentarybusiness/Bills/31313.aspx>

### **Agriculture Bill LCM-S5-19**

Lodged on 29 October 2018

Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 12 November 2018

### **Fisheries Bill LCM-S5-22**

Lodged on 7 December 2018

Report (Rural Economy and Connectivity Committee) published, 25 January 2019

### **Healthcare (International Arrangements) Bill LCM-S5-21**

Lodged on 6 December 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 16 January 2019

### **Holocaust (Return of Cultural Objects) (Amendment) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-15**

Lodged on 15 March 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 8 May 2018



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### **Immigration and Social Security Coordination (EU Withdrawal) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-23**

Lodged on 8 March 2019

Evidence (Social Security Committee), 21 March 2019

### **Offensive Weapons Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-17**

Lodged on 3 September 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 21 November 2018

### **Parking (Code of Practice) Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-13**

Lodged on 5 March 2018

Motion agreed by the Parliament, 5 June 2018

### **Trade Bill (UK Parliament legislation) LCM-S5-12**

Lodged on 20 December 2017

Report (Finance and Constitution Committee) published, 31 October 2018

### **Subordinate Legislation** (*date of laying*) (lead committee)

#### **Affirmative instruments**

#### **Lead committee to report by 24 April 2019**

[Motor Sport on Public Roads \(Scotland\) Regulations 2019 \[draft\]](#) (28 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

#### **Lead committee to report by 9 May 2019**

[Companies Act 2006 \(Scottish public sector companies to be audited by the Auditor General for Scotland\) Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (15 March 2019) (Economy, Energy and Fair Work)

#### **Lead committee to report by 13 May 2019**

[Justice of the Peace Courts \(Sheriffdom of South Strathclyde, Dumfries and Galloway\) etc. Amendment Order 2019 \[draft\]](#) (19 March 2019) (Justice)

#### **Lead committee to report by 20 May 2019**

[Public Appointments and Public Bodies etc. \(Scotland\) Act 2003 \(Treatment of South of Scotland Enterprise as Specified Authority\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/draft\)](#) (29 March 2019) (Standards, Procedures and Public Appointments Committee)

#### **Negative instruments**

#### **Subject to annulment by 23 April 2019**

#### **Lead committee to report by 22 April 2019**

[Agriculture Market Measures \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/73\)](#) (27 February 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

#### **Subject to annulment by 25 April 2019**

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[Act of Sederunt \(Rules of the Court of Session, Sheriff Appeal Court Rules and Ordinary Cause Rules Amendment\) \(Taxation of Judicial Expenses\) 2019 \(SSI 2019/74\)](#) (1 March 2019) (Justice)

[Act of Sederunt \(Taxation of Judicial Expenses Rules\) 2019 \(SSI 2019/75\)](#) (1 March 2019) (Justice)

[Non-Domestic Rating \(Valuation of Utilities\) \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/77\)](#) (1 March 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

[Legal Aid and Advice and Assistance \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/78\)](#) (1 March 2019) (Justice)

**Subject to annulment by 1 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 29 April 2019**

[Town and Country Planning and Electricity Works \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/80\)](#) (7 March 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 2 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 29 April 2019**

[Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/84\)](#) (8 March 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

**Subject to annulment by 6 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 29 April 2019**

[Sea Fish Licensing \(Foreign Vessels\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/87\)](#) (12 March 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

[Sea Fishing \(Licences and Notices\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/88\)](#) (12 March 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 7 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 6 May 2019**

[Agriculture Market Measures \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/89\)](#) (13 March 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 12 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 6 May 2019**

[Teachers' Superannuation and Pension Scheme \(Scotland\) \(Miscellaneous Amendments\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/95\)](#) (18 March 2019) (Education and Skills)

[Scottish Road Works Register \(Prescribed Fees\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/96\)](#) (18 March 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 14 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 13 May 2019**

[Less Favoured Area Support Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/98\)](#) (20 March 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

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**Subject to annulment by 16 May 2019**

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[Loch Carron Marine Conservation Order 2019 \(SSI 2019/101\)](#) (22 March 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

[Non-Domestic Rates \(Relief for New and Improved Properties\) \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/116\)](#) (22 March 2019) (Local Government and Communities)

**Subject to annulment by 22 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 20 May 2019**

[Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/118\)](#) (28 March 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 23 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 20 May 2019**

[Carbon Accounting Scheme \(Scotland\) Amendment Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/121\)](#) (29 March 2019) (Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform)

**Subject to annulment by 26 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 20 May 2019**

[Disabled Persons \(Badges for Motor Vehicles\) \(EU Exit\) \(Scotland\) \(Amendment\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/128\)](#) (01 April 2019) (Rural Economy and Connectivity)

**Subject to annulment by 31 May 2019**

**Lead committee to report by 27 May 2019**

[Council Tax Reduction \(Scotland\) Amendment \(No. 2\) Regulations 2019 \(SSI 2019/133\)](#) (08 April 2019) (Social Security Committee)

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### Committee Reports

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The following report will be published on 23 April 2019:

Education and Skills Committee, 3<sup>rd</sup> Report, 2019 (Session 5): Report on Scottish National Standardised Assessments (SP Paper 513)

### Other Documents

The following document was laid before the Parliament on 16 April 2019 and is not subject to parliamentary procedure-

**Scottish Law Commission Report on Section 53 of the Title Conditions (Scotland) Act 2003 SG/2019/54** laid under section 3(2) of the Law Commissions Act 1965.

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 17 April 2019 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure-

**Scottish Public Services Ombudsman: Compendium Report of Discontinued Investigations Compendium of Case Reports for April 2019 SPSO/2019/04** laid under Sections 15(1) and 15(1A) of the Scottish Public Services Ombudsman Act 2002.

**Scottish Canals: Fees of Chair and Board Members SG/2019/62** laid under paragraph 8 of schedule 1 of the Transport Act 1962

The following documents were laid before the Parliament on 18 April 2019 and are not subject to parliamentary procedure-

**Ayrshire College Board of Management Report and Financial Statements for the year ended 31 July 2018 SG/2019/50** laid under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000.

**The North Highland College Report & Financial Statements for the year ended 31 July 2018 SG/2019/51** laid under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000.

**New College Lanarkshire Regional Financial Statements Year Ended 31st July 2018 SG/2019/52** laid under section 22(5) of the Public Finance and Accountability (Scotland) Act 2000.

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