

# Deerness Bulletin

June 2025

Date		Time	Description
Sun	1st	3.00p - 6.00p	East Mainland Church savoury buffet teas in the hall.
Mon	2nd		Ordinary Rubbish
Tue	3rd	6.00p - 7.00p 7.00p - 8.00p	Pilates
Wed	4th	6.00p	Drama Group. Read through a script.
Thu	5th	10.30a - 12.30p 7.00p	Blether and Brew FOSN/Hall Joint Working Group
Fri	6th	2.00p - 4.00p	Post Office, St Andrews Community Centre
Mon	9th		Paper & Tins recycling
Tue	10th	6.00p - 7.00p 7.00p - 8.00p	Pilates
Thu	12th	10.30a - 12.30p	Blether and Brew
Fri	13th	2.00p - 4.00p 2.00p	Post Office, St Andrews Community Centre Community walk to the Covenanters' Memorial.
Mon	16th		Ordinary Rubbish
Tue	17th	6.00p - 7.00p 7.00p - 8.00p 7.30p	Pilates St Andrews and Deerness community council meeting in the committee room.
Wed	18th	7.30p	Friends of St. Ninians AGM (see over)
Thu	19th	10.30a - 12.30p 6.00p	<del>Blether and Brew</del> CANCELLED due to planned power cut. SWI outing: Meal at Ayre Hotel then visit to Stoneworks Orkney. Menu choice to be with Linda by 13 <sup>th</sup> June.
Fri	20th	2.00p - 4.00p	Post Office, St Andrews Community Centre
Mon	23rd		Glass and plastic recycling.
Tue	24th	6.00p - 7.00p 7.00p - 8.00p	Pilates
Thu	26th	10.30a - 12.30p 7.30p	Blether and Brew Over 60s - talk by Robert Foden, "Don't Just Book It" (see over)
Sat	28th	10.30a - 11.30a	Book club
Sun	29th	4.30p - 7.30p	Chippie Night at the Deerness Distillery (see over)

## Dates for your diary

- **Bingo** (formerly on 21st March) has been postponed until 27th September.
- **6th July** Vintage rally.
- **July-August** The Newark Project (see over)

Join the Deerness Community Facebook group and keep up to date.

## Deerness Stores

Monday—Saturday  
9 am—6 pm.

01856 741208



## Post Office

St Andrews Community Centre  
Friday 2 - 4 pm

## Recycling

Mon 2nd Ordinary Rubbish  
Mon 9th Paper & Tins  
Mon 16th Ordinary Rubbish  
Mon 23rd Glass & Plastic  
Mon 30th Ordinary Rubbish

## Buses

### Monday to Friday

Leaving Kirkwall at 0745, 0845, 1255, 1720.

Returning from Lighthouse corner at 0816, 0916, 1326, 1756

**Friday and Saturday** have an extra bus leaving Kirkwall at 2203 (Fri from Picky at 2200) and returns from Lighthouse corner at 2232

**Saturday** has an additional bus leaving Picky 2000 and back from Lighthouse corner at 2032



## Mobile Library

At the Deerness Hall every 8 weeks on a Thursday between 2.15 and 5.

**The next visit is 3<sup>rd</sup> July.**



## East Mainland Kirk

Services every Sunday at 11am.



## Brownies and Guides

Log your interest on the website,  
[www.girlguiding.org.uk](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk)





# Friends of /St Ninian's

## AGM 2025

7.30 PM Wednesday 18th June 2025  
Deerness Hall.

Including a talk by local Artist and Gardener,  
**Premysl Fojtu.**

We hope you can join us.  
Refreshments too !

*The*  
**Newark**  
*Project*

This year's summer exhibition

at the

**St. Ninian's Kirk**

Sundays & Wednesdays

From 2 - 4 during July & August

### The Continuing Story

The Friends of St Ninian's would be very grateful if any folk could spare a few hours to help with manning it. It's a grand chance to have a yarn with visitors, learn of the latest info, and meet the ancestors!

Details: Drew Ferguson, Anne Mitchell, Isobel Gardner or phone 01856 741307 & leave a message! Thank you!



**Deerness Over 60s**

present

# "Don't just book it! ..."

## Travel back in time.

**Early tourism in 19th Century Norway  
and the birth of the Cruise Holiday.**

*An illustrated talk by Robert Foden.*



**in Deerness Community Centre  
on Thursday, 26th June 2025 at 7.30 p.m.**

**LAST SUNDAY OF  
EVERY MONTH**

**HOT FOOD FROM  
4:30PM - 7:30PM**

  
THE  
**DASHING  
DEER**  
KITCHEN & BAR

# CHIPPIE TEA NIGHTS

**WITH THE PEEDIE CHIPPIE VAN**

SEATING AVAILABLE INDOORS

ENJOY HOT & COLD DRINKS, COCKTAILS &  
DESSERTS FROM OUR BAR

[WWW.DEERNESSDISTILLERY.COM](http://WWW.DEERNESSDISTILLERY.COM)

  
THE  
**DASHING  
DEER**  
KITCHEN & BAR



# TRADITIONAL MUSIC JAM SESSIONS

**1<sup>ST</sup> FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH  
STARTING 6<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

**ALL MUSICIANS AND  
LISTENERS WELCOME**

**7PM - LATE**