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Editorial

Largo has been buzzing with international flair this year! We were delighted to welcome a group of French schoolchildren from our twin town, Villennes-sur-Seine, who brought fresh energy and warm smiles to our community. The Ukrainian Amateur Theatre captivated audiences with their imaginative performance of Robinson Crusoe—a moving blend of creativity and resilience. Once again, Largo Arts Week was great, showcasing local talent across all of our venues and drawing enthusiastic crowds. Looking ahead to 2026, the anniversary of Alexander Selkirk, we're inviting readers to enter our **Cover Photo Competition** for the next issue. We are seeking images inspired by Robinson Crusoe—be imaginative! Submit entries by 17th January for a chance to feature on our front page. Please send photo entries to the Editor at lleditor@largoct.org.uk

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What's On!

We hear so often, “Oh, I didn’t know that was happening, I would have liked that”. So much of our communication is by social media and we are aware that not everyone has access, or wants to have access, to that medium.

Largo Communities Together (LCT) have been seeking for some time to come up with a simple way of communicating these events to the Community. Now we have come up with a plan that is in its early stages.

It relies on input from people who organise events, run regular groups, and also relies on people regularly checking the LCT website.

We hope you will find it a useful resource.

Step-by-step guide on how to access What's On information



Apologies to those who know how to navigate search engines!

In your internet browser search for “Largo Communities Together”, or enter www.largoct.org.uk in your search bar.

When you get to the home page (see picture) you will find icons that link to all the projects in which LCT are involved. The “**What's on**” icon has information about all of the regular groups (yoga, pilates, qi gong, choir, camera club, art groups, etc.) that meet in the community. There is also a list in there of the upcoming one-off events. Have a look, you might be surprised at how much goes on.

If it's too much to remember to check the website regularly then you can become a Member of Largo Communities Together. Members receive a monthly email summarising the forthcoming Community events and anything else that might be of interest.

Becoming a member is easy and free, just click on the “**membership**” icon and sign up. This does not involve you in any volunteering (unless you want to).

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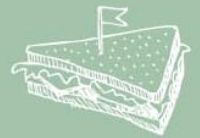
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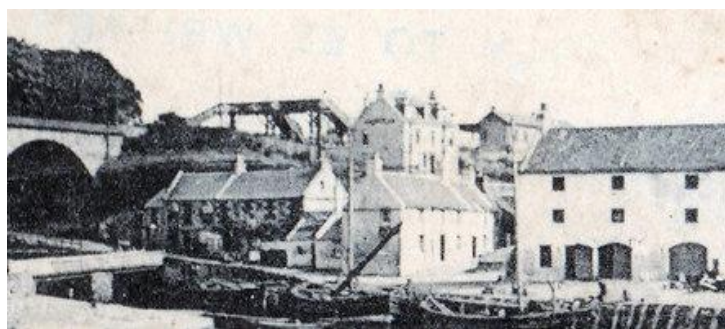
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Old Largo – The Belmont Temperance Hotel

As the start of 2026 nears, we also approach the 100-year anniversary of the sad demise of the Belmont Temperance Hotel. This alcohol-free hotel one stood proudly on an elevated site adjacent to Largo Railway Station, offering extensive views across the bay.



The need for a new hotel to meet the enormous demand for visitor accommodation was first raised in 1890.

Within a couple of years, the eleven-bedroom Belmont Hotel was welcoming its first guests – many of whom were attracted by its lack of a license to serve alcohol. Owned by local joiner Andrew Masterston, the Belmont had a number of different tenant hotelkeepers over the years, some of whom attempted to gain an alcohol license to no avail. The licensing board were keen to keep at least one place for “temperance people”. Indeed, the hotel was a favourite destination for tea parties and picnics for day tripping temperance groups as well as for overnight guests. In December 1921 the wedding reception of the only daughter of the minister of Largo Baptist Church, Rev. Pulford, took place at the hotel.

The story of the Belmont Temperance Hotel came to an abrupt end in the early hours of Friday 22 January 1926, when the hotel was gutted by fire. Only the hotelier Hugh McLean, his wife Janet and their child were occupying the hotel at the time. Local newspapers reported that:

"In the early hours of the morning Mr McLean was awakened by the insistent barking of his dog and, assuming that something must be wrong, he made investigation and found the lower part of the building a mass of flames. The occupants promptly made their escape in night attire and were received at a friend's house."

The Fire Brigade were called but by the time they arrived it was clear that the hotel was beyond saving and the focus was on protecting the surrounding buildings and railway. A shortage of water hampered their work and use had to be made of the sea, although this proved to be challenging as the tide was far out and the hotel situated in an elevated position. Seven hours later the fire brigade left but the hotel's interior was completely destroyed, the roof had fallen in and only the walls remained. This magnitude of the blaze had drawn many spectators and must have lived long in the memories of those that witnessed this disastrous fire a century ago.

For more local history visit
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LCT - Looking Back, Warming Up, and Looking Ahead



As we move into winter, it's heartening to see how much life and warmth continue to

flow through the Largo area. Our new What's On page has shown just how much is happening locally, from concerts and coffee mornings to book groups, beach cleans, and craft fairs, there's plenty to look forward to as the year draws to a close.

A Warm Welcome

At Largo Communities Together, we're also preparing to open the doors once again for another season of Warm Welcome Days at the Simpson Institute in Upper Largo, and we couldn't be happier to be doing so. This will be our fourth season, and it has truly become a much-loved fixture in local life. The Warm Welcomes sit alongside other community gatherings such as the Thursday morning coffee mornings, helping to strengthen connections and give people an easy, friendly way to meet and share time together.

These weekly sessions are open to absolutely everyone, all ages (children welcome), backgrounds and circumstances, and you can donate. You don't need to book, sign up, or know anyone, just come along for soup, tea, coffee, and a chat. It's a space where friendships form naturally and where you

can drop in anytime. We rely on the kindness and energy of our brilliant volunteers to keep things running, and we're always delighted to welcome new faces.

If you'd like to help, whether by serving tea, bringing a creative idea, or sharing a skill, please get in touch with Priya at priya@largoct.org.uk.

Ideas and Volunteers

We're also open to hear from anyone who wants to get more involved in other areas of LCT's work. Volunteering can mean many things: helping with resilience and emergency planning, supporting assets and access projects such as local pathways, or getting involved in the ongoing heritage and environmental work led by groups like Friends of Largo Bay.

The Warm Welcomes are a wonderful starting point for meeting people and finding out more about how to get involved, whether you have a few hours to spare or want to help shape future projects and we will feature different things as we go along.

What's On

We're also proud of the new What's On page on our website, a simple, easy-to-use tool that helps bring all these activities together in one place. After experimenting with more complex systems that didn't quite fit, we've kept this one intentionally straightforward and

simple so it's clear and useful for years to come. Huge thanks go to everyone who's helped input and the tireless Yvonne Stephenson who is keeping details up to date. If you know someone who isn't online but might enjoy an event, please do pass on what you've seen; a word of mouth recommendation can make all the difference.

Youth Film and Other Projects

This year has been full of creativity, connection, and community spirit. Residents and volunteers have given their time and energy to projects ranging from biodiversity and beach care to storytelling and events. A particular highlight for us has been Largo's Eye, the feature length film created by local young people with the support of Youth First. It offers a beautiful glimpse into how the next generation sees our community and its future. We couldn't be prouder of them, and we're excited to nurture more creativity and collaboration in the year ahead.

Christmas Reflection

As we head towards Christmas, it feels like the right moment to pause and reflect on how far we've come together, through the ongoing efforts of our subgroups, the growth of our membership, and the everyday acts of care that make this such a special place to live.

So, as the lights go up and the nights draw in, we'd like to thank everyone who's been part of this journey to building more joy across the area and that's a lot of you!

Get Involved with LCT!

We've made it easier than ever to become a member of LCT – it's completely free and open to all local residents (with associate memberships available for those a little further afield). If you'd like to get more involved – or simply want to find out more about what's going on please get in touch.

You can find us at

www.largoct.org.uk

alternatively, email Priya@largoct.org.uk or become a member and join us at one of our AGMs

A Heartfelt Thank You

Finally, we want to extend a massive thank you to the many individuals, volunteers, families, and local partners who have contributed so much over the past months. Your creativity, care, and commitment are truly at the heart of everything we do.



After Burns

An informal evening of music, song and poetry, by (or inspired by) Robert Burns

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If you want to come and browse, our Scrap Store Coordinator, Joyce, is available most Wednesdays from 10am till 12.00pm.

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Courgette Frittata Recipe



Method

1. Turn the grill to high.
2. Dice the potatoes and cook in a medium frying pan, to colour a little.
3. Add the courgettes and stir to mix with the potatoes, add the spring onions and cook for a few minutes.
4. Throw in the parsley and mix thoroughly.
5. Beat the eggs together and season with salt and pepper, and pour over the mixture, shaking and stirring lightly to mix well in, reduce the heat and cook until the mixture comes away from the pan base.
6. Sprinkle over the grated cheese and brown under a hot grill.

A simple take on the Spanish tapa, this can be served either hot or cold and is a great picnic standby.

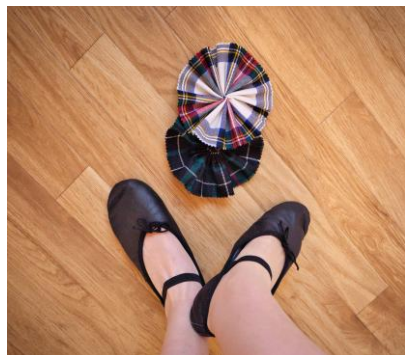
Ingredients

4 new potatoes, cooked
3 courgettes, diced
2 tblsp olive oil
2 spring onions
3 tblsp chopped parsley
6 eggs
75g Anster cheese, grated
Salt and freshly ground black pepper



It was with great sadness that we learned of the death of Christopher Trotter. He has been a regular contributor to Largo Links and we are grateful to Caroline who has permitted us to continue to print his recipes. The above picture is given by Caroline in memorium. He will be greatly missed.

Scottish Country Dancing Group



The dancing group started up again on 24th September. It's great to see new faces joining in the fun from week to week.

We even have one brave man! Any more brave enough? One of our number was missing sadly, Janet Moss died during the summer, and we all greatly miss her cheerfulness and quiet efficient organising of our group.

We continue to meet every Wednesday from 2pm – 4pm until 10th December and resume after the festive season break on Wednesday 14th January 2026.

I can't think of a better way to beat the winter blues than to dance them away in an afternoon of friendly, fun, learning and exercise. Don't worry if you haven't danced before, each dance is walked through before setting it to music, so no previous knowledge is needed. The emphasis is on fun and everyone is most welcome.

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Thanks to everyone who contributed and participated. Our Facebook page “@Largo and Newburn Horticultural Society” will have dates for events throughout 2026.



The first event is our AGM on Monday 16th February at 7pm in the Simpson Institute where everyone is welcome.

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Largo Harbour Area Regeneration Update



Last October, at the community meeting at the Durham Hall, the Pier Group announced that their work to renovate the damaged pier had stopped. This was due to several factors: lack of funding, timescales relating to agreed funding, legal issues on ownership and indemnity issues with LCT. However, it was promised that efforts would continue to investigate other ways to get the pier restored.

A workshop was held at the Crusoe Hotel in September to look at stabilisation and maintenance of the pier to avoid further damage, potential for damage to adjacent infrastructure and homes (if more of the pier is lost), innovative ways of restoring the pier (linking it to wider issues like marine erosion, sustainability, tourism etc) and alternative sources of funding.

The workshop was attended by 16 invited people including: our local MP Wendy Chamberlain, our MSP Jenny Gilruth, local Councillors, Graham Bucknall (Crusoe Hotel), Sailing Club, Boat Club, LCT and a

number of locals who had expressed interest in the pier.

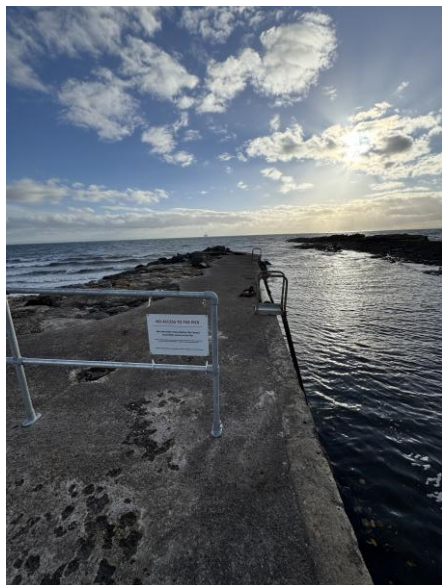
The meeting was very positive but acknowledged that the biggest issue in restoring the pier will be funding. Funding from public bodies generally requires that the project can demonstrate a commercial benefit to the community. So far, we have not been able to do this with any great success. Maybe someone knows of a wealthy benefactor!!

The current owners of the Crusoe Hotel lease the building and the pier to Graham and Rachel Bucknall. It is their intention to fully purchase the hotel in the future. They are very aware of the maintenance issues around the pier and the harbour walls at their car park and want to work with the pier group and the Boat Club to look at the ongoing maintenance.

A new Harbour Area Regeneration Group has been formed. This will include representatives from; Crusoe Hotel, LCT, Boat Club, Sailing Club, Friends of Largo Bay, and a number of locals passionate about the pier. Their remit will be confirmed at the first meeting (to be held in the next month or so), but it is likely to be threefold.

Firstly, to make sure that the pier is suitably maintained and stabilised. Secondly, to look at the potential damage that could be caused to the road bridge, local businesses and homes if the pier is damaged further.

Harbour Update continued....



Thirdly, to look at innovative ways to fund and restore the pier.

The original remit from the Community was to try to restore the pier to its original length and

condition while making sure that its construction was fit to withstand future storms.

The Group will be approaching any restoration of the pier with a more open mind so that funding may be more forthcoming and that the benefits to the

local and wider community are investigated.

So far approximately £80,000 has been spent on the potential pier restoration. Nearly half of this was donated by the community.

Most of this money has been spent on obtaining a design proposal for the pier restoration with some monies being used to undertake some maintenance of the pier. The restoration of our pier is a project dear to the heart of our villages, and we wish to see something positive happening to this crumbling edifice.

We will keep everyone updated on how this new group progresses.



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The term green space is widely used to encompass the natural

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The blue space is why many of us choose to live here or come to visit. FoLB's reason for being is to protect, enhance and value this blue space with initiatives such as litter picks, environmental monitoring, art and education.

Increasingly it is about tackling the source of the problems that negatively impact our blue space. For example, rather than "just" picking litter we also do a sample survey of what items are collected. This information is sent to Marine Scotland and helps evidence national initiatives such as reducing single-use plastics or tackling fishing industry waste. Evidence is key, which is why we are delighted to have been selected to participate in a year-long research project entitled ***"Blue Communities of The Forth Riven Basin"***.

Led by Stirling University we will be providing our community's perspective on

the value of blue space. Working with two other coastal communities and two heritage organisations, the goals of this research project are

1. Examine the development of coastal communities in the Forth River Basin over previous centuries and the changing value of the Forth
2. Empower communities through co-production of knowledge on how environmental and policy-related drivers influence coastal blue space quality now and into the future
3. Develop a participatory tool and framework to tackle trade-offs and conflicts in blue space usage across coastal communities of the Forth River Basin

The overall aim of the project is to characterise and evaluate opportunities and risks to coastal blue space associated with our changing climate and management decisions in the Forth River Basin.



As a representative community starting December, we will be participating in workshops looking at our local environment, culture and heritage. We see this as a powerful way to evidence the issues we face to enhance and protect our most valued blue space. If you want to get involved or just find out more then please email largobay@largoct.org.uk



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The times they are a changin' sang Bob Dylan, and however else that is true, the times are certainly changing for Largo Parish Church.

As part of Fife Presbytery's mission plan, on the 1st of January 2026, Largo will be united with the neighbouring parishes of East Neuk Trinity and St Monans to become Fife Coastal Trinity Parish Church. All being well, the process of calling a new minister (who will live in what was the Largo Manse in Castaway Lane), will get started and I am hoping an appointment will be made in the spring of 2026.

As you can imagine a great deal of work is happening in the background bringing together the life of three congregations. Various working groups have been formed to deal with the finance, fabric and different aspects of church life.

A shadow Kirk Session has been established to take over responsibility for the new congregation and parish in the new year.

With regard to Sunday services, they will continue to be held in each of the constituent parts of the new parish at 10:30 am. So the pattern of Sunday services at Largo will continue as normal with the exception of a monthly united service in one part of the parish. Please check the church website for details.

A Minister will always be available to offer pastoral support or to help with a baptism, wedding, or funeral service. Meanwhile preparations are well underway for the Advent and Christmas season, and you will be very welcome to attend all of the festive season services.

Christmas Day At Lily's Larder

**CHRISTMAS DAY
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Holiday Memories Feb 1951, Part 2

Continuing on from Issue 20, this is part 2 of Nora Beveridge's amazing recollections of holidays in Largo. This story was gathered as part of LCT's Heritage Project.

We first came on holiday to Largo in 1951...

Vans travelled daily round the village or sent boys on bikes for orders; Ireland the baker and Fisher and Donaldson, and The Central Stores for fruit and vegetables and Brunton the butcher. Supplies had to be brought daily as there were no fridges and houses had a meat safe on an outside wall to keep things cool.

After four years it became more common to buy a holiday house and we bought 16, Drum Park in 1955. We came for two months every summer and at Easter, and for long weekends throughout the year until we moved permanently to Largo in 1988.

Leisure time was spent in The Crusoe Hotel, run by Sam and Sheila Nicoll, and the La Scala Cinema, now replaced by a block of flats, which showed good films followed by dances on a Friday and Saturday night. Janeck Jurecki had a cafe with a jukebox which was a great draw for the young, where milkshakes and ice drinks were popular. He then opened the Viennese tearoom.

There were many other shops in Lundin Links Including Mr Cairns, with the bushy grey hair, the ironmonger, clothes shops - one for children next to the ironmongers

and another on the corner of Hillhead St and opposite was Jeannie Turbayne's, the grocer.

Largo was a tourist Mecca! People came for day trips on the train, over the viaduct, and went for boat trips round the Bay on the Bluebell and the Falcon, or hired rowing boats from Mr Melville? I believe there were Pierrots on the pier but that was before our time.

Evening entertainment for the young centred round Granny Forte's chip shop where the smoke spiralled into the village depending on which way the wind was blowing.



At Drum Park we had a field next door for 25 years where many games of French cricket or rounders were lost and won, or when the tide was out, on the beach, in the 'Big Bay' beside the Lundies. There was also a swing park and sand dunes at the end of Drum Park, past the joiner's workshop which had bats at night!

Holiday Memories continued...

We had swimming parties when almost all the summer residents of Drum park would be in the water together. Neighbours had a rowing dinghy, and the children would have fishing trips for flounders and mackerel, which they then gave out all along the terrace.

In July, most years, the children put on a show which always took place in our garden as we had a side entrance. We charged 1p for entrance which was donated to the Women's Guild!

The same families came every year, from Glasgow, Edinburgh, Liverpool, Dunfermline and Kirkcaldy and even from France! Every August there were football matches between the locals and the visitors run by Mr and Mrs Grassick, and the kids looked forward every year to the summer traditions of climbing Largo Law, the chain walk at Elie, The Shell House and the shows at Leven, and a bonfire at Johnson's Mill.

Now the children and grandchildren of these families still come and still enjoy holidays in the village. Although many things have changed, there are still the same lovely views, the same sandy beaches and rock pools and the same special family holiday experience.

Nora Beveridge (aged 90) written in 2010

French School Children Visit

A party of French school children from our twin town, Villennes-sur-Seine, enjoyed a memorable visit to the Largo area, organised by the Largo Area Community Council.

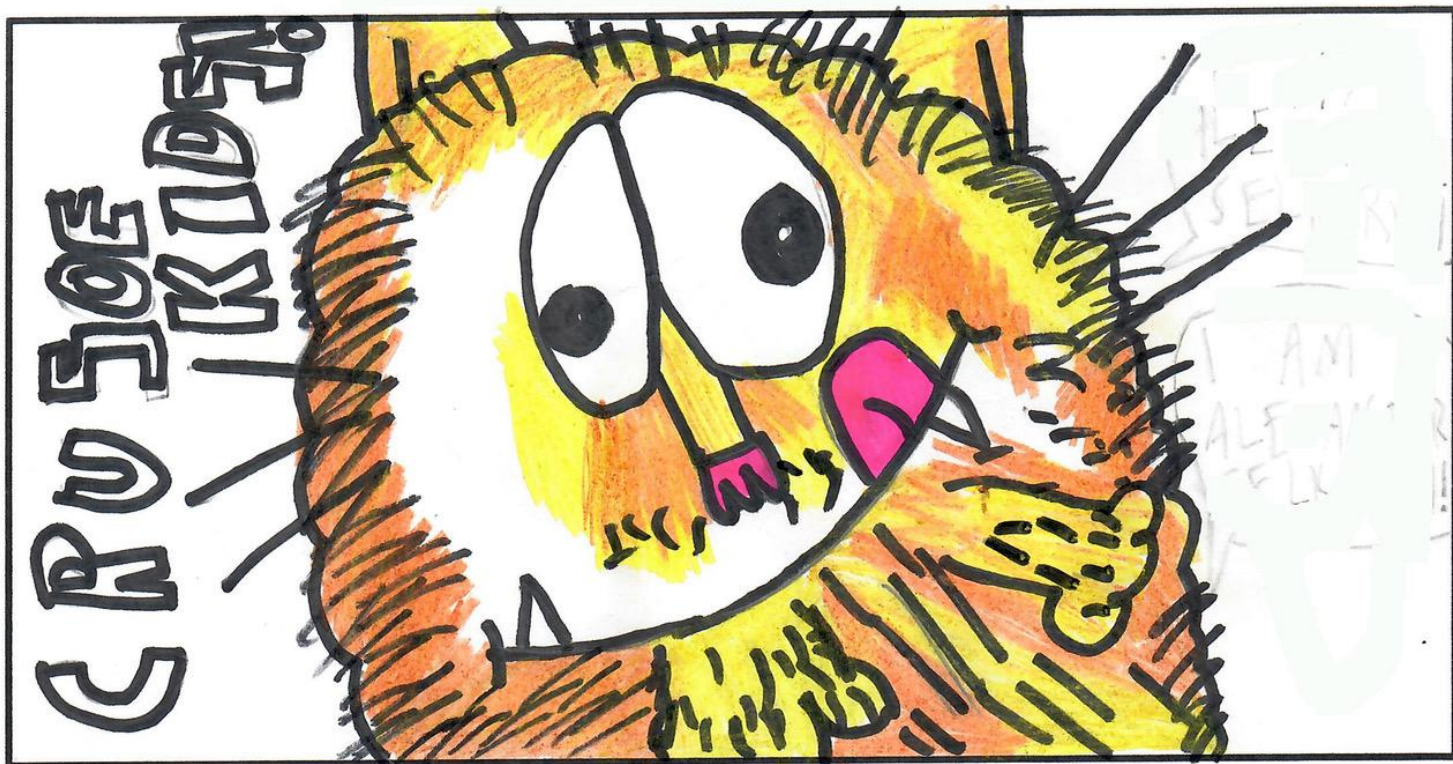


The group of 13 pupils and 3 adults arrived in October and were warmly welcomed with an initial gathering and lunch at The Aurrie Mor. This was followed by a visit to the local library, offering a glimpse into Largo life, before returning to The Aurrie Mor for a lively Ceilidh with local teenagers. The group then settled in for the night at the Largo Law Wigwams.

After breakfast the next morning, they travelled to Edinburgh to visit The Scottish Parliament. The children met Jenny Gilruth MSP, received a guided tour of the building, and had the opportunity to observe Minister's Question Time.

The visit left lasting memories and strengthened the bond between our communities, with an open invite for a reciprocal visit.

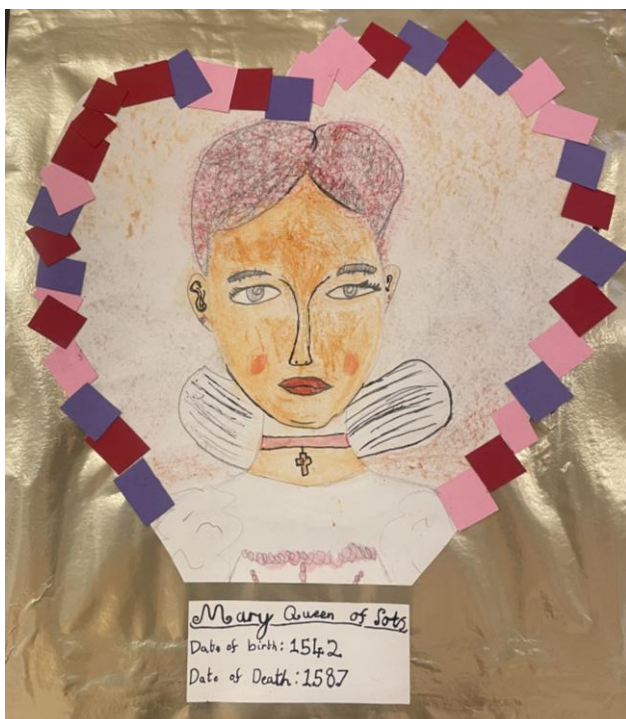
Welcome Back to Crusoe Kids!



We're back after our summer holiday break to share a snapshot of what we've been up to at school.

- **Raaaaaaar! In P1 we've been exploring dinosaurs** and sharing our topic with the P2/3s. Our eye-catching paper plate display is pure 'dino-mite'!
- **You can always count on P2/3** who've been learning to count in tens and hundreds, getting to grips with estimating, and discovering the difference between 2D and 3D shapes.
- **P3/4 have well and truly raised the bar!** With 'sport' as our topic, we've been practising the long jump and gone the extra mile learning about famous sportspeople, such as Simone Biles, the gymnast.
- **Ahoy there, matey! There's never a dull moment in the nursery**, where we've been learning all about pirates. Roman is our head pirate and sea shanties fill the air during outdoor playtime.

- **Step back in time, dear scholars! In P4/5 we've been dusting off our top hats** to learn all about Victorian art and history, focussing on describing words to make our writing pop!
- **On your marks, get set, go P7!** The Daily Mile is a running challenge our whole school cluster is taking part in. The P7s used a trundle wheel to calculate how many metres make up a lap of the pitch. Turns out you need a whopping 7 laps to clock up the full mile! Phew, talk about going the distance!
- **Heads up (not off), history buffs! In P5/6 we've been delving into the life of Mary Queen of Scots,** writing



timelines, making posters, drawing portraits and designing regal crowns.



The crowning glory was our unforgettable residential trip to Ardroy.

As well as all the hard work, we've also had lots of fun and there's plenty to look forward to for the rest of the year, including festive Fridays, a Christmas panto, our Christmas show, Christmas parties, and ... more school holidays! See you all again in 2026.



Book Bugs at the Library

Apologies that our November date had to be changed.

However, this gives us the opportunity to have a Book Bugs Merry Christmas on 11th Dec at 11.15am. The session is open to all aged 0-5years. Come along and join the fun.

Ukrainian Amateur Theatre



What a wonderful performance from the young cast in the Ukrainian Amateur Theatre production of Robinson Crusoe.

The group are based in Dundee and have been performing their interpretation of the Crusoe story for a little while now – in Ukrainian! The performance at the Aurrie Mor in November was their first time performing in English. And how well they did!

They had chosen Robinson Crusoe because they felt it echoed their own story of surviving adversity and building a new life with new friends whilst never giving up hope of returning one day to their homeland. It was a great surprise to them when they recently learned that Alexander Selkirk came from nearby! The connection was too good to miss, and they were delighted to visit Largo and perform their show.

Our wonderful little village did us proud again, with one of the organisers saying “The mothers and children were deeply touched by the warm welcome and kind support from the community. They were truly grateful for the care and hospitality they received. One young boy said it was the best visit he had ever had as a performer!”

A special mention to the three leading actors, Adam, Sasha and Anastasia.



They put on a fantastic performance, supported by a super team. Singing and dancing their way through a very entertaining performance.

They played to a very appreciative audience and received enthusiastic applause at the end.

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Welcome to our Yapper and Yarners group. We are a community group based at the Largo library and community hub. Meetings are every

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To be part of this group you need to knit or crochet or want to learn. We are happy to help each other with our Work In Progress which you need to bring with you at sessions.

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Sudoku Difficult

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Christmas Number 1's

What was the title of each song?

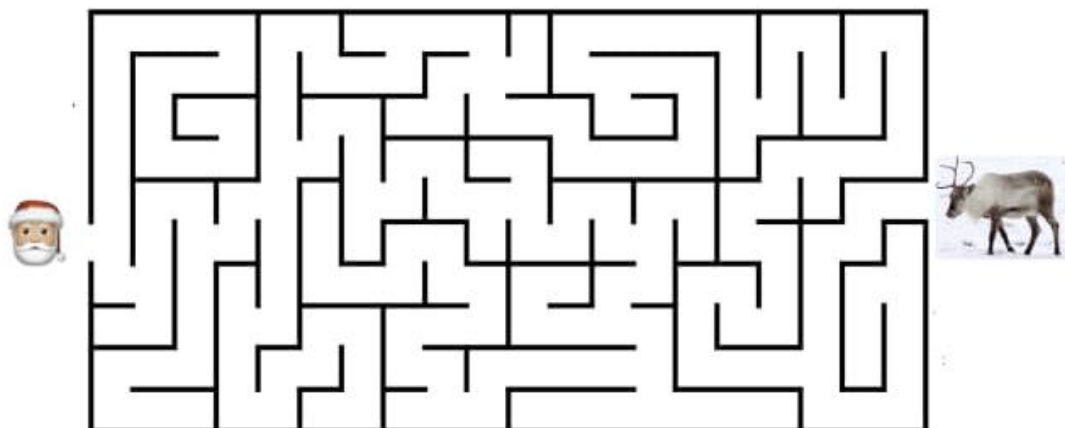
They are in order, from the 1950's to the present day.

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Maze

Santa has lost Donner – he has been scared by thunder.

Please reunite him with the rest of the team.



A Christmas Concert at the Aurrie Mor



Saturday 20th December @ 6-7:30 pm



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The concert is on Saturday 20th December 2025, at 6.00pm – 7.30pm in The Aurrie Mor, Main Street, Lower Largo. Tickets are £5 per person (cash donations will be invited on the evening to Alzheimers Scotland).

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Largo Bay Art Society exhibition in the Aurrie Mor in August.

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Largo Cricket Club - Community Consultation Results

Survey reveals strong local support and priorities for improvement

This summer Largo Cricket Club (LCC) invited local residents to share their views on the club's role in the community and its future plans. The consultation attracted 111 responses, mainly from Upper Largo (34%), Lundin Links (22%) and Lower Largo (12%), with others from surrounding areas.

Community engagement

The East Drive ground is more than a cricket pitch. Nearly 40% of respondents attend matches as spectators, while 22% use the space for dog walking and exercise. Around 20% have children involved in Largo Lions junior cricket, and 17% play regularly. One resident summed it up: "Just so good to see youngsters being encouraged."

Perceived community benefit

Two-thirds of respondents believe the club benefits the community "to a great extent", citing its role in promoting sport and social interaction. As one comment put it: "Having this facility for both sport and the local community is invaluable."

Desired improvements

Top priorities include better facilities such as accessible toilets and seating (68%), hiring the pavilion for community events (52%) and cricket taster sessions in schools (46%). Other suggestions included improved access for those with limited

mobility and continued support for dog walking. A parent noted: "Accessible toilets would make a big difference for families."

Support for buying the ground

An overwhelming 90% back the idea of LCC buying the ground through a Community Asset Transfer to secure its future. However, a few raised concerns about maintaining public access: "I worry about losing public rights if the club owns the ground." Responding to this concern, Club President, Ally Duncan, said: "Largo Cricket Club has always welcomed local residents – including dogs! – to enjoy the ground at East Drive. This approach will continue regardless of whether the club successfully buys the land or not."

Conclusions and next steps

The consultation confirms strong local support for LCC and its ambitions. The club plans to prioritise facility upgrades, inclusive cricket opportunities and explore wider community use of the pavilion. Regular communication and affordable membership will remain key. The club will continue with the next steps on securing the ground through asset transfer and will keep all club members and Largo residents updated on our progress.

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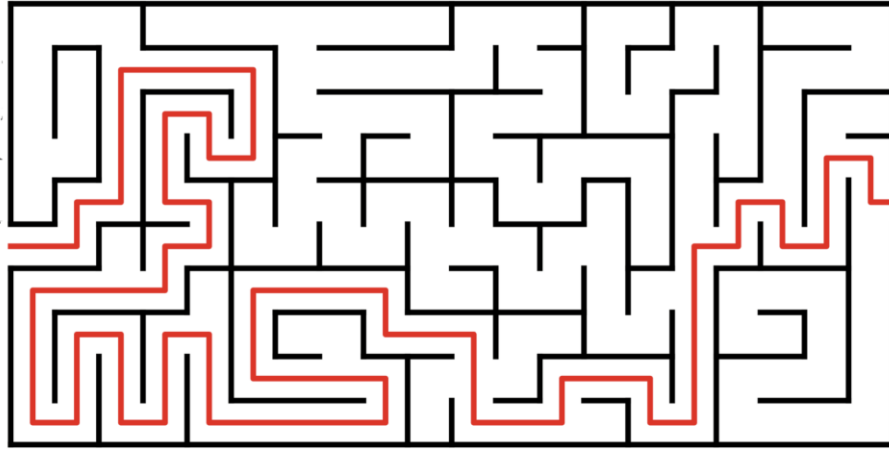
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4. Do They Know Its Christmas? (1984)
5. Mistletoe And Wine (1988)
6. Mr Blobby (1993)
7. Two Become One (1996)
8. Food Aid (2022)

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Upper Largo Hotel	01333 360 347
Upper Largo Chandlery	01333 360 217
Vintage Barber, Lundin Links	07562 390 361
Woodland Gardens Caravan Site	01333 360 319

Medical and Mental Health Helpline Numbers:

Age Scotland Helpline: <i>Confidential service for older people, carers and families. Call free</i>	0800 12 44 222
Breathing Space (<i>low mood/anxiety</i>)	0800 83 85 87
Carers UK	0808 808 7777
Childline UK	0800 1111
Citizens Advice and Rights, Fife.	0345 1400 095
Community Police and Police Scotland	101
Continuing Care North East Fife	0746 888 7900
Cosy Kingdom: <i>Telephone advice service for any energy billing or supplier issues</i>	01592 807 930
Deaths/Still Births Registrations	0345 155 0099
Dental Advice Helpline	01592 226 555
East Neuk Emergency Planning Team (ENCEPT)	0800 999 6543

Fire and Rescue	01333 424 719
Gingerbread Lone parent Helpline	01592 725 210
Levenmouth Police Station	0845 600 5702
Levenmouth Foodbank	07966 502 854
National Domestic Abuse Helpline	0808 2000 247
National Emergency <i>Fire, Police, Ambulance</i>	999
NHS 24 (includes Mental Health Hub)	111
Over 50's Help	0800 1244 222
Psychological Services/Emotional Wellbeing of children	01592 583 349
Samaritans	116123
Scottish Gov. Business Helpline	0300 244 4000
Scottish Welfare Fund	0300 5550 265
SAMH mental health (not crisis)	0344 800 0550
<u>Scoonie Medical Practice</u> (<i>Includes Leven Health Centre</i>)	01333 432 588
Victoria Hospital Kirkcaldy	01592 643355
Universal Credit Helpline	0800 328 5644
Women's Aid-Fife	0808 802 5555
Women's Aid-Scottish	0800 027 1234

Council & Utilities Helpline Numbers:

Fife Council	03451 550 000
Fife Council Environment Services	03451 550 022
Fife Social Work	03451 551 503
Fife Housing Register Emergency Accommodation.	03451 550 033
Fife Council (Roadworks/Emergencies) (And out of hours) →	03451 550 011 03451 550 099
Fife Rent issues	03451 550 044

Utilities Helpline Numbers:

Electricity Emergency	0800 092 9290
National Gas Helpline	0800 111 999
National Power Cut Helpline (from a mobile)	105
Scottish Power	0800 027 0072
Scottish Water Emergencies	08000 788 788
SEPA Floodline	0345 988 1188

MPs / MSPs

Wendy Chamberlain, MP	01334 656 361
Jenny Gilruth, MSP	01592 764 815

Local Councillors:

David Alexander	01333 351 014
Eugene Clarke	07917 039 683
Colin Davidson	07864 619 335
Alistair Suttie	07515 289 170
Alternative number for Councillors	03451 555 555 Ext 44232

Local Churches:

Largo Parish Church	01334 781 142
St Agatha's & St Giles RC	01333 423 809
St Margaret's Episcopal Church	01333 426 609
Coastline Baptist Church (Pittenweem)	01333 312 041

What's On – Regular Events

DAY	FREQUENCY	EVENT NAME	START TIME	END TIME	LOCATION
Sunday	Monthly	Sunday Worship	10.30am		Durham Hall
Sunday	Weekly	Sunday Worship	10.30am		Largo Parish Church
Monday	Weekly	Largo Creative Writing Group	10.00am	12.00pm	Largo Library and Community Hub
Monday	Weekly	Yoga	10.00am	11.00am	Montrave Hall
Monday	Weekly	Community Cafe	11.00am	2.00pm	Paxton Centre
Monday	weekly	SupaStrikers	11.30am	12.15pm	Montrave Hall
Monday	Weekly	Pilates	6.00pm	7.00pm	Aurrie Mor
Monday	Weekly	Social Squash	6.00pm	7.30pm	Lundin Sports Club
Monday	Weekly	Karate Club	6.00pm	7.00pm	Montrave Hall
Monday	Weekly	Craft Group	7.00pm	8.30pm	Paxton Centre
Monday	Monthly	Largo Area Community Council	7.00pm		venue alternates round villages
Monday	Weekly	Hatha Yoga and Yoga Nidra	7.15pm	8.30pm	Aurrie Mor
Monday	Fortnightly	Camera Club	7.30pm		Simpson Institute
Monday	Weekly	Social Table Tennis	7.30pm	9.00pm	Lundin Sports Club
Tuesday	Weekly	Warm Welcome	11.00am	1.00pm (tbc)	Simpson Institute
Tuesday	Weekly	Art Classes (beginners)	10.00am	12.30pm	Largo Library and Community Hub
Tuesday	Weekly	RollerCoasters	11.00am	1.00pm	Paxton Centre
Tuesday	Weekly	Community Cafe	11.00am	2.00pm	Paxton Centre
Tuesday	Weekly	Complementary Therapies*	11.00am	3.00pm	Paxton Centre
Tuesday	Weekly	Book Bairs	3.15pm	4.30pm	Largo Library and Community Hub
Tuesday	Weekly	Bridge Group	6.30pm	9.30pm	Largo Library and Community Hub
Tuesday	Weekly	Community Choir	7.00pm	8.30pm	Montrave Hall
Wednesday	Weekly	Gardening Group	10.00am	12.00pm	The Paxton Centre
Wednesday	Weekly	Scrapstore (crafting materials)	10.00am	12.00pm	The Paxton Centre
Wednesday	Weekly	Qigong Women's Group	10.30am	11.30am	Montrave Hall
Wednesday	Fortnightly	Yappers and Yarners	2.00pm	4.00pm	Largo Library and Community Hub
Wednesday	Weekly	Scottish Country Dancing	2.00pm	4.00pm	Durham Hall
Wednesday	Weekly	Mindfulness	4.00pm	5.30pm	Paxton Centre
Wednesday	Weekly	Pilates	6.00pm	7.00pm	Montrave Hall
Wednesday	Weekly	Senior Cricket Training	6.30pm		Largo Cricket Ground
Wednesday	Weekly	Board and Card Games	6.30pm	10.00pm	Lily's Larder
Wednesday	Weekly	Largo Bay Art Society	7.00pm	9.00pm	Durham Hall
Wednesday	Weekly	Hatha Yoga and Yoga Nidra	7.15pm	8.30pm	Montrave Hall
Wednesday	Weekly	Dance Class	7.30pm	9.30pm	Simpson Institute
Thursday	Weekly	Drop-in Coffee Morning	10.15am	11.30am	Simpson Institute
Thursday	Weekly	Craft Activities*	10.30am	12.00pm	Paxton Centre
Thursday	Weekly	Lower Largo Friendship Group	1.00pm	3.00pm	Paxton Centre
Thursday	Weekly	Art Club	2.00pm		Montrave Hall
Thursday	Weekly	Messy Church	3.30pm	5.00pm	Durham Hall
Thursday	Weekly	Karate Club	6.00pm	7.00pm	Montrave Hall
Thursday	Monthly	Scottish Women's Institute	7.00pm		Village Hall
Friday	Weekly	Art	10.00am	1.00pm	Paxton Centre
Friday	Weekly	Fire Pit Friday	1.00pm	4.00pm	Paxton Centre
Friday	Weekly	Gardening Group	2.00pm		Paxton Centre
Friday	Weekly	Inspire Theatre Workshops	3.45pm		Montrave Hall
Friday	Weekly	Junior Cricket Training	6.15pm	7.45pm	Largo Cricket Ground
Saturday	Weekly	Largo Parents and Tots	10.00am	11.00am	Largo Library and Community Hub
Saturday	Weekly	Craft Class	10.30am	12.30pm	Paxton Centre
Saturday	Monthly	Coastbusters Walking Group	10.30am	3.00pm	Various Locations in Fife
	Monthly	Book Group	tbc		Largo Library and Community Hub
	Monthly	Largo Heritage Group	tbc		Largo Library and Community Hub

For detailed information and contact email addresses go to the What's on page on the Largo Communities Together website www.largoct.org.uk

*must be booked in advance

What's On – Occasional Events

DATE	EVENT NAME	START TIME	END TIME	TICKETS/BOOKING LINKS
05 December 2025	Christmas Art and Craft Fair	3.00pm	6.00pm	www.theaurriemor.com
05 December 2025	Christmas Recital - with Robin Bell on the The Aurrie Mor Pipe Organ and accompanying Yvonne Stephenson (mezzo-soprano)	4.00pm	4.30pm	www.theaurriemor.com
06 December 2025	Christmas Art and Craft Fair	10.00am	4.00pm	www.theaurriemor.com
06 December 2025	Winter Craft Fayre	10.00am	3.00pm	
06 December 2025	Christmas Tree Lights - Switch on and Carols around the tree	4.30pm		No need to book, just turn up! Mince pie
06 December 2025	Curry and Quiz Night	7.00pm		Simpson.institute@gmail.com
07 December 2025	Christmas Art and Craft Fair	10.00am	4.00pm	Admission free www.theAurrieMor.com
07 December 2025	Advent 2 - Communion Service	10.30am		
06 December 2025	Party Night - 3's A Crowd	7.00pm	1.00am	Bookable via Pratis Barns
07 December 2025	Boozy Brunch - DJ Jonny Ruiz & Elliot G Sax	11.00am	6.00pm	Bookable via Pratis Barns
11 December 2025	Miniature Houses	10.30am	12.00pm	Miniature Houses – Homelands Trust-Fife
11 December 2025	Party Night - 3's A Crowd	7.00pm	1.00am	Bookable via Pratis Barns
12 December 2025	Party Night - DJ Jonny Ruiz	7.00pm	1.00am	Bookable via Pratis Barns
12 December 2025	Disco Party Night	6.30pm		£42.95 (disco and 3 course dinner)
13 December 2025	Disco Party Night	6.30pm		£42.95 (disco and 3 course dinner)
13 December 2025	Party Night - 3's A Crowd	7.00pm	1.00am	Bookable via Pratis Barns
14 December 2025	Advent 3 - Family Nativity Service	10.30am		
14 December 2025	Christmas Lunch	12.30pm	6.00pm	Bookable via Pratis Barns
16 December 2025	Santa Visits the Barns	5.00pm	7.00pm	Bookable via Pratis Barns
17 December 2025	Santa Visits the Barns	5.00pm	7.00pm	Bookable via Pratis Barns
18 December 2025	Chair Line Dancing - Christmas Special	10.30am	12.00pm	Chair Line Dancing Christmas Special –
18 December 2025	Santa Visits the Barns	5.00pm	7.00pm	Bookable via Pratis Barns
20 December 2025	Messy Church Christmas Club	12.00pm	4.00pm	
20 December 2025	Christmas Concert - an evening of festive fun	6.00pm	7.30pm	Tickets (£5) for sale at the Library on 8th
21 December 2025	Advent 4 - Lessons and Carols	10.30am		
24 December 2025	Christmas Eve - Carol Singing	11.15pm	11.30pm	
24 December 2025	Christmas Eve - Watchnight Service	11.30pm		
12 December 2025	Christmas Day Family Service	10.30am		children invited to bring a Christmas toy
25 December 2025	Community at Christmas	11.00am	2.00pm	Community drop-in for some Christmas
28 December 2025	First Sunday after Christmas Worship	10.30am		
31st January 2026	After Burns - an evening of poetry and song by, or inspired by, Robert Burns	7.00pm	10.00pm	simpson.institute@gmail.com

Main Event Location Contacts

Simpson Instituteenquiries to: simpson.institute@gmail.com
or phone 07921 463413

Montrave Hall.....enquiries to: montravehall@gmail.com

Durham Hall & The Stables.....enquiries to: hallbookinglargochurch@gmail.com

The Aurrie Mor.....see www.aurriemor.com for contact details

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The events will be published on the LCT web site www.largoct.org.uk/events/ and a relevant extract taken for printing in our magazine as always. Look out for more information on the LCT web page, but in the meantime;

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