

Five things to do in Edinburgh in the next five days



26 April 2017

Ash Denham MSP for Edinburgh Eastern will convene a meeting for residents of Lochend Gardens to discuss implementing parking restrictions in the area.

A number of residents have contacted the MSP's office to tell her about the problems with vehicles in the area when Hibs play home games.

Constituents have said that the extra cars use pavements and green spaces, and that the road becomes restricted. Residents are concerned about access for emergency vehicles.

In one circumstance, an elderly resident fell and hurt her hip due to mud on the pavement from the vehicles which had parked there.

The meeting will take place Wednesday, 26 April, 6:00pm at the Restalrig Lochend Community Hub.

27-30 April 2017

The Spring Knitting & Stitching Show takes place from 27-30 April 2017 at the Highland Hall, Royal Highland Centre, Edinburgh.

The show offers hundreds of workshops, demonstrations and interactive features, curated galleries showcasing the work of leading textile artists and groups from all over the world, and hundreds of specialist craft companies selling essential

supplies.

28 April 2017

There will be an inclusive screening of Academy Award winning *Moonlight* at the [WHALE Arts Centre](#) (30 Westburn Grove) on Friday **28 April, 6pm**.

Entry to the screening is **free** and donations are welcome. All funds raised will go towards future WHALE Community Cinema screenings.

Please register for tickets here: <https://whaleartsmoonlight.eventbrite.co.uk/> or on 0131-4583267.

This film is suitable for ages 15+.

Told in three chapters, *Moonlight* follows the life of Chiron, a young black man who has faced adversity since childhood due to his sexuality and struggles to develop his own identity in a neighborhood looking to punish anyone seen as weak. A luminous and heartbreaking story, revealing the joy and pain of life, self-discovery and falling in love.

One more thing to do is book a place on **The Edinburgh Reporter May Workshop**.

You will learn how to use your phone to the best effect for social media, video and photographs. Come and have a day of fun with us! It will be a really good learning experience for business or your voluntary organisations.

The Edinburgh Reporter uses video and audio a lot and has many tips and tricks to share.

This is taking place on 16 May 2017 at The White House on Niddrie Mains Road. The price includes lunch.

[Booking details here.](#)



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If you need a reminder about who your candidates are then have a look at our print edition [here](#) or in this online [article](#).