

Five things you need to know today

Georgian House invites you to party like it's 1796

On the eve of Pride Edinburgh the Georgian House would like you to put on a regency frock, a curly wig, pull up your breeches and get dancing.

A historical dance workshop will be held along with a specialist after hours guided tour. The evening will include an introduction to LGBTQ+ life in Georgian Edinburgh.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/pride-and-prejudice-an-lgbt-inspired-historical-dance-workshop-tickets-641323073577?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

Drylaw & Telford Community Council

The community council is making major waves about the parks and open spaces in their area and demanding that they are improved. You can help. Their AGM is next Thursday 29 June. Go along and get involved. Or email secretary@drylawtelfordcc.org.uk

DRYLAW & TELFORD COMMUNITY COUNCIL ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



**WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE OUR PARKS
AND OPEN SPACES IMPROVED?**

THEN COME ALONG ON

THURSDAY 29TH JUNE 2023

7PM

**IN DRYLAW NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE
TO HEAR ALL ABOUT OUR
GREENSPACE CONSULTATION**

**WHY NOT JOIN THE
COMMUNITY COUNCIL?**

**WE ARE LOOKING FOR LOCAL
PEOPLE TO JOIN US TO IMPROVE
DRYLAW AND TELFORD.**

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OR DROP US AN EMAIL**

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Controlled Parking Zone becoming operational in Leith

The controlled parking zone in Leith will be operational on Monday. This includes Leith Walk, Pilrig, Leith and North Leith. Parking permits for residents are already on sale online.

The new controls will mean that, during the controlled hours Monday to Friday, 8.30am to 5.30pm, all parking is controlled. During those hours all kerbside space will be managed by yellow lines or parking places. Some restrictions such as double yellow lines and some parking places like disabled bays and car club bays operate 24 hours a day.

Most parking places will be a mix of permit holder only, shared use which can be used by permit holders and visitors paying to park and pay and display bays, with signage situated at each parking place confirming the restrictions that apply.

Cllr Scott Arthur, Transport and Environment Convener, said: "New controlled Parking Zones which will soon become operational in some streets in Leith have been designed to protect residents' parking. Controls aim to address issues like commuter parking, which people across the city have told us is a problem in their neighbourhoods.

"We've been writing to residents and businesses to keep them up to date on when the changes but I would also encourage anyone who lives in or visits the area to visit our website to find out more about the changes and to purchase a permit, if they need one.

"As part of our Strategic Parking Review officers have spent a great deal of time speaking to residents and gathering information on each area. Once in place, they'll also be monitoring the impact of the changes to make sure they work for everyone.

“Parking controls don’t only help to maintain priority for residents, but protect against vehicle dominance, encouraging alternative modes of transport, while improving the safety and efficiency of the city’s streets.”

[More information here.](#)

Morningside Community Council

The community council are running a Street Life survey saying: “We’d love to get your feedback on the crossing at Morningside Park and the space around M&S and Superdrug, the bus stop and ‘A Pinch of Salt’ coffee box.”

[There is a link to the survey here.](#)

MORNINGSIDE
COMMUNITY COUNCIL
working together for our local community

STREET LIFE
SURVEY



Morningside Road is an important place for us all.

We would love to find your views on the space in and around M&S, Superdrug, the coffee box and the bus stop.

And what you think would attract you to enjoy using this place more!

Please take time to fill in our short survey, thank you!
(no personal data is recovered)

The results of the survey will be available on our website and our Facebook.



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EDINBURGH'S THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER... A CAPITAL READ FROM START TO FINISH



RHS artists find their inner sheep for show

By PHYLIS STEPHEN

IT'S JUNE AND that means it is time to get ready for the annual Royal Highland Show at Ingliston which is sponsored by Royal Bank of Scotland.

To publicise the event the Royal Highland and Agricultural Society of Scotland (RHASS) commissioned "Flock to the Show", a public art trail made up of fibreglass sheep sculptures which are on tour in Edinburgh and Lothians.

Rosie (photographed left) had incredible fun getting to know these two sculptures at Port Edgar marina.

On the left is Eaha designed by Central Scotland artist Anna Bilyk and sponsored by Galloway MacLeod. Anna said her inspiration came from a mixture of landscape and process. She said: "The images are all inspired from travels and surrounding landscapes brought together and merged into a type of visual story. The style of the design comes from the process and style I use to design images for lino printmaking."

On the right Davy Baa-wie was designed by Fife knitwear designer, Jennifer McHardy, and sponsored by Macklin Motors. Jennifer said she just loves David Bowie. She said: "he is a true music and style icon, the inspiration for my sheep design came from the iconic knitted jumpsuit designed by Kansai Yamamoto for David Bowie during the Ziggy Stardust era worn by him in 1974."

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