Five things you need to know today

Police box for sale at auction

The police box on Brandon Terrace next to The Tollhouse Restaurant is coming up for auction next week.

The former flower shop has been empty for a time and is now on the market at offers over £22,000 with an added administration charge of a minimum of £3,600 including VAT.

Police boxes are always popular with entrepreneurs and start up businesses and are used in the city as coffee shops, book shops and pop up spaces for businesses.

More details here.



Bross Bagels

Our exclusive story about the failed Portobello based bagel company Bross Bagels Limited has developed further with the firm of Interpath Advisory being appointed as liquidators.

The company's registered office has now been changed to c/o Interpath.

The two directors of the company, Larah Bross and Marc Millar are no longer in control of the company and must hand over its

assets, records and paperwork.

Read more here.



Bross Bagels Bruntsfield

New bike bus

There are several bike buses in Edinburgh offering opportunities for children and parents to cycle or scoot to school. The newest is at Craigour Park Primary School which runs on Mondays from 8.15am — the stops are shown on the video and listed below.

- Leaves from school at 8.15am
- Moredun Park Street 8.18am
- Moredun Park Green 8.20am
- Moredun Park Grove 8.23am
- Fernie Park 8.25am
- Fernie Crescent Lane 8.27am

- St John Vianney 8.29am
- Fernieside Place 8.31am
- Craigour Crescent 8.33am
- Moredun House 8.35am
- Goodtrees 8.36am
- Arrive at School around 8.40am

From Monday 28th August there will be a school Bike Bus every Monday leaving at 8:15am. Join along the route at any of our stops. You must have a safe bike & a helmet to join. Nursery to p4 pupils must come with a riding parent or carer, P5 -P7 pupils can ride on their own. pic.twitter.com/qYx1D3TBrJ

- Craigour Park PE (@CraigourPe) August 21, 2023

Today at Corstorphine Library

Jane Tulloch will be at the library at 2pm discussing the lost department stores of Edinburgh. She will talk about stores such as Jenners and Patrick Thomson on North Bridge. The event is completely free and open to all.



Take a walk through memory lane with Jane Tulloch as she discusses the history of Edinburgh's department stores, such as Jenners and Patrick Thomson.





7 September
2pm
Corstorphine
Library

For more details, please contact staff on 0131 529 5506

Our September issue

Our September newspaper is freshly published and on the streets of the capital today.

Our cover story is about the Lord Provost and Council Leader who are taking riding lessons to allow them to take part in the Riding of the Marches while inside we take up the story of Larah Bross and her chain of bagel shops which employ around 70 people in the city — some of which are now temporarily closed.

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Lord Provost saddling up in September

By PHYLLIS STEPHEN

THE EDINBURGH Riding of the Marches will take place on 10 September in a canter back to the Royal Mile after a three year gap, and this year the Lord Provest, the Provest Consort and the Council Leader will all be on horseback.

The spectacle is more than just a bunch of horseriders taking over the city centre. This is a reenactment of city centre. This is a reenactment of the ancient custom of marching the boundaries, a symbolic tradition of inspecting the Common Land of Edinburgh which dates back to at least 1579.

This year the entertainment on the Royal Mile will begin at 12.30pm with music and stunt performances. The riders will complete their morning of high-energy alloos, starting at

of high-energy gallops, starting at the Drum Estate in the south of the city, before making their way through the streets through Holyrood Park and proceeding up The Royal Mile from Holyrood Palace at around 3.30gm.

And in a break from recent tradition, the Rt Hon Lord Provost and Lord Lieutenant, Robert Aldridge, who will be joining the event for the first time, will be making the journey up the Royal Mile on horseback, accompanied by the Lord Provost's Consort, Colin Cunningham, and by the Council Leader Cammy Day. Clir Day admitted to bribing the

horses with treats. He said: "I have been taking riding lessons. I have done a little horse riding more than 20 years ago so I would say I am a real beginner.

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