



DORNOCH BID NEWSLETTER



DORNOCH HOGMANAY STREET PARTY



Congratulations to all involved in organising Dornoch's famous Hogmanay Street Party. Led by DADCA and delivered by a small, dedicated volunteer team, this long-running event has been bringing people together for over **25 years** and is funded **entirely through donations and raffle ticket sales!** Estimates suggest around 2,500 partygoers were in town celebrating, providing a welcome boost to local businesses.

Many businesses donated raffle prizes, sold tickets and supported the event. Particular recognition goes to Dornoch Distillery and participating retailers and venues for the specially selected Clynelish 11 Year Old bottle, which raised over £4,000 for the event! While sold out online, bottles were also sold from Dornoch Castle Hotel and Dornoch Stores and drams were poured at The Eagle, Dornoch Station, Royal Dornoch, Dornoch Castle and the Coach House Bar - a strong example of community and business collaboration supporting a much-loved local event.

150th ANNIVERSARY OF ROYAL DORNOCH GOLF CLUB BUSINESS BRIEFING - POSTPONED



The planned business briefing scheduled from tomorrow evening to hear about Royal Dornoch Golf Club's 150th Anniversary celebrations (28 June–4 July 2027) **has been postponed due to wintry weather.** A new date will be confirmed soon.

We hope you can attend the rescheduled meeting to learn more about how Dornoch can collectively prepare for this major milestone and make the most of the opportunities it represents.

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MEMBER COMMUNICATIONS

Stay up to date - The Minutes of the BID Board meetings are saved at the base of the website homepage.

WhatsApp Groups - There are Retail, Accommodation, Restaurant and Professional Services WhatsApp groups. Please text the BID on 07471 200103 to have your number added to the relevant group.

'Dornoch BID' Facebook Page - This is for member communications, business updates, funding opportunities, consultations, a behind-the-scenes look at how we support businesses, plus the latest on local projects and ways to get involved in our community. Please follow **@dornochbid** on Facebook and tag us to re-share your updates. Give this page a like and/or leave a comment.

'This Is Dornoch' Facebook and Instagram - Follow **@thisisdornoch** on Facebook and **@visitdornoch** on Instagram and discover local shops & services, seasonal events, town news, community celebrations, and tourism campaigns bringing visitors to the town. Remember to tag us to re-share your posts and please share our posts.

Get in touch - Email DornochBID@thisisdornoch.com to discuss any membership matter and/or to arrange a call or meeting with Sharon, Dornoch BID Manager.



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