

## Scottish Government Events

### Saturday 23 November

**Roseanna Cunningham:** Speaks at The Scottish Rights of Way and Access Society AGM, Perth **(13:30) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: John Fitzgerald - 0131 244 2614**

### Sunday 24 November

**Derek Mackay:** Announces latest innovation projects to be supported by the CivTech Accelerator programme, Edinburgh **(00:01) (Twitter, news release)**  
**Desk Contact: Kristen McNicoll - 0131 244 5172**

### Monday 25 November

**John Swinney:** Meets school children for an outdoor lesson on climate change with Nature Scot, Royal Botanic Gardens, Edinburgh **(12:30) (quote in news release, Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Holly Garland - 0131 244 5096**

**Joe FitzPatrick:** Speaks at Drugs Research Network for Scotland conference, Glasgow **(09:35) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Suzi Mair - 0131 244 3400**

**Joe FitzPatrick:** Visits Jericho House which helps people with a history of drug dependency, Greenock **(11:45) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Suzi Mair - 0131 244 3400**

**Ash Denham:** Gives speech at COSLA violence against women conference, Edinburgh **(15:35) (Twitter, pro-active quote)**  
**Desk Contact: Lucy Smith - 0131 244 2951**

**Graeme Dey:** Attends US Consulate Thanksgiving and Veterans Dinner, Edinburgh **(18:00) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Andy Denholm - 0131 244 7363**

### Tuesday 26 November

**Ivan McKee:** Speaks at the Scotsman Life Sciences conference, Edinburgh **(09:30) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Kristen McNicoll - 0131 244 5172**

**Christina McKelvie:** Visits Shakti Women's Aid, Alloa **(10:00)**  
**Desk Contact: Cameron Ramos – 0131 244 4279**

### Wednesday 27 November

**John Swinney:** Speaks at Education Buildings Scotland Conference and presents awards to school pupils competing in 'Design your School for the Future' competition, Edinburgh International Conference Centre **(09:45) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Jack Matthews - 0131 244 2960**

**Maree Todd:** Speaks at the YouthLink Scotland's National Conference 'Excellence and Equity: Youth Work and the Learner Journey', Glasgow **(09:30) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Paula Nowicka - 0131 224 2701**

**Roseanna Cunningham:** Speaks at Global Challenges for a Blue Green Economy event, Edinburgh **(09:00) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: John Fitzgerald - 0131 244 2614**

**Kevin Stewart:** Launches guidance for local authorities to support pet-owning people who are facing homelessness, Edinburgh **(09:30) (news release, media-call, Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Kirsty Jenkins - 0131 244 3054**

**Humza Yousaf:** Speaks at Victim Support Scotland annual conference, Stirling **(10:00) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Jack Matthews - 0131 244 2960**

### Thursday 28 November

**Maree Todd:** Speaks at the Child Criminal Exploitation (CCE) conference, University of Strathclyde **(09:45) (Twitter)**  
**Desk Contact: Jackie Stewart - 0131 244 2530**

**Joe FitzPatrick:** Speaks at the Unicef Baby Friendly Initiative conference, Glasgow **(09:15) (Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Suzi Mair - 0131 244 3400**

**Joe FitzPatrick:** Speaks at Faculty of Public Health conference, Dunblane **(10:45) (Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Suzi Mair - 0131 244 3400**

**Christina McKelvie:** Visits the Dog's Trust dog fostering service for people leaving domestic abuse, Uddingston **(09:45) (Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Cameron Ramos - 0131 244 4279**

**Fergus Ewing:** Meets Scottish food producers at ASDA store event, Edinburgh **(10:00) (Twitter, quote in news release)**

**Desk Contact: Jenny Kane - 0131 244 7514**

**Humza Yousaf:** Welcomes launch of Police Scotland's annual Festive Drink/Drive campaign **(00:01) (news release, Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Paula Nowicka - 0131 224 2701**

**Ash Denham:** Attends Castlemilk Law Centre's 40th Anniversary celebrations, Glasgow **(19:00) (Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Chris Johnson - 0131 244 2939**

**Michael Matheson:** Announces successful applicants of the second Plugged-in Household fund, providing electric vehicle car share schemes to housing associations **(10:00) (Transport Scotland news release, Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Matthew Millar - 0141 272 7199**

**Graeme Dey:** Attends visit of Poppy Scotland 'Poppy Bud' HGV to Victoria Quay, Edinburgh **(09:00) (Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Andy Denholm - 0131 244 7363**

## **Friday 29 November**

**Joe FitzPatrick:** Meets staff from Recovery Tay substance-misuse group, Dundee **(16:30) (Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Suzi Mair - 0131 244 3400**

**Jeane Freeman:** Speaks at the Annual Conference of Representatives of Scottish Local Medical Committees, Clydebank **(09:00) (Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Gerard Klein - 0131 244 6928**

**Christina McKelvie:** Launches the expansion of the Fearless project, an initiative to tackle gender based violence **(11:00) (Twitter, media-call)**

**Desk Contact: Cameron Ramos - 0131 244 4279**

**Mairi Gougeon:** Speaks at Rural Youth Ideas Fest, Biggar **(12:00) (Twitter)**

**Desk Contact: Luke Boddice - 0131 244 2797**