

# Annual Library Profile 2018-2019

Invergordon Library



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#### Introduction

Library Profiles are prepared annually for each library within the Highland Libraries network as part of our commitment to service improvement, and to engage with our communities. They serve three main purposes:

- To assist local staff to evaluate the performance of their library in relation to their local community.
- To assist managers to monitor performance and plan service improvements across the wider network.
- To provide a concise document that can be offered to any person or organisation seeking information about a library.

Each library reflects its specific local community, making it unique. Any comparison of statistics such as issue figures must be made cautiously.

Performance and community information is based on library statistics, ward statistics or where available data relating to specific Integrated Learning Communities (Secondary school catchment areas)\*. Ward or census information can be found at: <a href="http://www.highland.gov.uk/info/695/council information performance and statistics/575/highland\_facts\_and\_figures">http://www.highland.gov.uk/info/695/council information performance and statistics/575/highland\_facts\_and\_figures</a>

## **Summary of Library and Services Available**

Branch: Invergordon Library

Address: 37 High St,

Invergordon IV18 0DG

Telephone No: 01463 236463

Email address: <u>inverness.library@highlifehighland.com</u>

Web Address: <a href="https://www.highlifehighland.com/libraries/invergordon-library/">https://www.highlifehighland.com/libraries/invergordon-library/</a>

Associated School Group: Invergordon Academy

Ward: 6 Cromarty Firth

#### **Accommodation**

Shared premises with service point. Adapted building on ground level, with main public entrance via long passage to front and disabled/ delivery entrance to side. Main library refurbished in 2006.

## **Opening Hours**

Mon - 09:00 - 12:30, 13:30 - 17:00

Tue - 09:00 - 12:30, 13:30 - 17:00

Wed - 09:00 - 12:30, 13:30 - 17:00

Thur - 09:00 - 12:30, 13:30 - 17:00

Fri - 09:00 - 12:30, 13:30 - 20:00

Sat - Closed

Sun - Closed

## **Accessibility**

### Car Parking:

Car parking in High Street outside library

#### **Public Transport:**

Frequent bus services, bus stops nearby. Railway station is a 5 minutes'

#### **Additional information**

Disabled access via side door provided May 2009. Front and rear entrance doors have semi-automatic push pads. One disabled parking bay at front door. Induction loop provided.

#### **Activities**

# Regular Children's Activities:

#### **Bookbug Sessions**

Free Bookbug Sessions for babies and toddlers are held each Thursday morning during school terms, from 10:30-11:00.

#### Gaelic Bookbug session

Learn more about the benefits of your child having more than one language. First Thursday of every month 10:30-11:00.

#### Lego Club

The Lego Club is once per month on the last Wednesday of each month, 1500-1545.

#### **Regular Adult Events:**

#### **Reading Group**

The reading group meets the first Friday of every month at 18:30.

#### **Traditional Board Games**

Chess, Backgammon, Snakes & Ladders, Ludo, Yahtzee and many more! Drop-in on a Monday 10:00-12:00.

#### **Tech sessions**

We have drop-in sessions for downloads, apps, social media on tablets, iPads and smartphones every Thursday 13.30-15:00.

#### **Knit & Natter Group**

We meet every Tuesday at 14:00 to knit, crochet, drink tea and have a great natter!

# How are we performing?

# Invergordon Library

	2018-19	
Visitors	25,434	
Events	269	
Participants	1,752	
Computer Sessions	2,059	
Issues	10,248	

# **Reference and Local History Collections**

(please tick)	Basic collection	Area	Collection of Highland Significance	National
Reference Collection		<b>~</b>	✓	✓
Local History		<b>✓</b>	✓	✓

Please visit our website for more information:  $\underline{www.highlifehighland.com} \; .$ 

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