






North Ayrshire  
Community Planning Partnership

## COVID-19 Update for Communities 3 April 2020

### North Coast and Cumbraes

#### COMMUNITY ACTION RESPONSE: COVID-19

5 things you can do to make a positive difference in your community

 <p><b>Think of others, consider your actions &amp; be kind</b></p> <p>People in every community will face the challenges of Covid-19 in some way – from needing basic provisions to help while they are unwell.</p>	 <p><b>Connect and reach out to your neighbours</b></p> <p>As self-isolation increases, we need to find new ways to stay connected and check in on one another for our physical and mental wellbeing. Share phone numbers and stay in touch.</p>	 <p><b>Make the most of local online groups</b></p> <p>Keep up to date, share information and be a positive part of your local community conversations.</p>	 <p><b>Support vulnerable or isolated people</b></p> <p>Different groups in our communities are at increased risk and social isolation and loneliness are key concerns for all ages. There are things you can do like volunteering for local support services or donating to food banks to help.</p>	 <p><b>Share accurate information and advice</b></p> <p>Support anyone who may be anxious about Covid-19. Sign post them to the correct advice from Public Health England and encourage people to follow the correct hygiene practices.</p>
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Please contact the North Ayrshire Community Planning Team for sharing good ideas for community support during this time. The Team can be contacted by emailing: [communityplanning@north-ayrshire.gov.uk](mailto:communityplanning@north-ayrshire.gov.uk)

## North Coast

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### Doctor's Surgeries & Out of Hours

<b>Largs Medical Group</b> Tel: 01475 674545	<b>Skelmorlie Surgery</b> Tel: 01475 520248	<b>West Kilbride Medical Practice</b> Tel: 01294 823607
<b>Cumbræ Medical Practice</b> Tel: 01475 531 400	<b>Out of Hours Social Services</b> Tel: 0800 328 7758	<b>Out of Hours GP</b> Tel: 111

### Social Media Groups

<b>Being West Kilbride</b> <a href="https://en-gb.facebook.com/groups/WestKilbride/?ref=direct">https://en-gb.facebook.com/groups/WestKilbride/?ref=direct</a>	<b>West Kilbride People</b> <a href="https://en-gb.facebook.com/groups/563648587155921/">https://en-gb.facebook.com/groups/563648587155921/</a>	<b>Largs People</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/1439440952936838/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/1439440952936838/</a>
<b>We know Skelmorlie Well</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/Skelmorlie/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/Skelmorlie/</a>	<b>Fairlie Ayrshire</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/576946825650066/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/576946825650066/</a>	<b>Safer Fairlie</b> <a href="https://m.facebook.com/Safer-Fairlie-106472864317984/">https://m.facebook.com/Safer-Fairlie-106472864317984/</a>
<b>Millport Support Group</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/millportsupportgroup/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/millportsupportgroup/</a>	<b>West Kilbride Villagers</b> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/1303048669843759">https://www.facebook.com/groups/1303048669843759</a>	

### New updates

- Please note the **Village Inn in Fairlie is now closed** and not supplying meals.
- **The Living Room** in Largs offers emotional support, including in relation to anxiety, isolation and bereavement. Call **01475 789580** between 12noon and 4pm from Monday to Friday.

- **Help at Hand Largs** - Representatives from Largs Community Resilience Team, Largs First Responder Unit, the Living Room and North Ayrshire Council are coordinating a community approach to tie up individual need with volunteer provision. Follow their Facebook Page for more information: [www.facebook.com/groups/helpathandlargs/?ref=share](http://www.facebook.com/groups/helpathandlargs/?ref=share)
- **Millport Support Group** – Local support is available via this group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/millportsupportgroup/> The Millport Support Group is now fully established with a large team of volunteers all of whom have been issued with photo IDs. The volunteers have provided an information card to every household on the island detailing a named person and dedicated phone numbers to be used if anyone is requiring any assistance including with shopping, delivery of prescriptions, dog walking etc. Contact details are 01475 789 179. Email: [cumbraecs@gmail.com](mailto:cumbraecs@gmail.com)
- **West Kilbride Coronavirus Community Support Group** – If you need to self-isolate and you do not have your own support network or need someone to take to please call **Karen on 07792 116 375**. Those interesting in volunteering to help should also call this number.

- **Home Delivery**

<b>General</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>W&amp;J Brown</b> provides breakfast provisions and newspaper deliveries in Largs, Fairlie and Millport. Call 01475 673392</li> <li>• <b>Haylie Stores</b>, delivering meat and produce boxes to West Kilbride, Fairlie, Largs and Skelmorlie. Call 01475 673826</li> <li>• <b>McCaskie's Butchers</b>, Wemyss Bay, delivers locally. For more information visit their website. <a href="https://www.mccaskiebutcher.co.uk/">https://www.mccaskiebutcher.co.uk/</a></li> </ul>
<b>Largs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>AD Patons</b> butchers: 01475 672225</li> <li>• <b>Haco Convenience Store</b>: 01475 673826</li> <li>• <b>Room</b> restaurant are offering their menu for home delivery: 01475 675767</li> <li>• <b>C Fayre</b> in Largs provides fish &amp; seafood deliveries: 01475 672102</li> </ul>
<b>Millport</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Caldwells Newsagents</b>: 01475 530344</li> <li>• <b>Hamiltons Newsagents</b>: 01475 530324</li> <li>• <b>MacLachlan's Family Butchers</b> home delivery: 01475531007</li> <li>• <b>Premier Store</b> 01475530404</li> <li>• <b>Pots &amp; Pets Pet food supplies</b> for orders &amp; deliveries: 01475 530 829 or 07974 760 370</li> </ul>
<b>Skelmorlie</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Skelmorlie Village Store</b>: 01475 520746</li> </ul>
<b>West Kilbride</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Climie's Butchers</b>: 01294 823112</li> </ul>

Useful information will also be shared on the Locality Facebook Page and North Ayrshire Council's Twitter accounts:

- North Coast Locality Facebook Page - [www.facebook.com/NorthCoastLocalityPartnership/](http://www.facebook.com/NorthCoastLocalityPartnership/)
- North Ayrshire Council Twitter - [https://twitter.com/North\\_Ayrshire](https://twitter.com/North_Ayrshire)