

[Dodds announces 20 high quality training places for north west](#)

Economy Minister Diane Dodds has launched a new FinTrU North West Assured Skills Academy offering 20 high quality training places for people with degrees.

[Small Capital Grants Programme launched](#)

The Department for Communities (DfC) has today launched this years' Small Capital Grants Programme.

[Weekly Road Report – West End Ward #dundeewestend](#)



DUNDEE CITY COUNCIL – WEEKLY ROAD REPORT

Please note that most works are subject to change and late completion due to the restrictive measures in place following UK and Scottish Government advice that only emergency/urgent works and those considered essential should take place during this period.

REPORT FOR WEST END WARD – WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY 20 JULY 2020

20mph speed limit zone road marking and traffic sign works commencing Monday 29 June 2020 for 2 weeks to improve road safety for the higher levels of pedestrians and cyclists in the following streets in the Perth Road area:

Roseangle, Magdalen Yard Road, Richmond Terrace, Richmond Court, Fort Street, Nethergate from its junction with West Marketgait to its junction with Perth Road, Perth Road from its junction with Nethergate to its junction with Hawkhill, Minto Place, Strawberrybank, Osborne Place (where adopted), Shepherds Loan, Taylors Lane, Spinners Wynd, Union Place, Step Row, Patons Lane, McGonagall Square, Tayfield Place, Provost McGowan Place, Thomson Street, Seafield Lane, Seafield Road, Seafield Close, Bellfield Avenue, Magdalen Place, Westfield Lane, Westfield Place, Westfield Avenue, Greenfield Place, Park Place (where adopted), Pennycook Lane, St Peter Street, Ryehill Lane, West Wynd, Mid Wynd, Millers Wynd (where adopted), Springfield, Hawkhill Place, Artillery Lane, Cross Lane, Temple Lane, South Tay Street, Palais Court, Tay Street Lane, Tay Square, Long Wynd, West Port, Old Hawkhill and Hunter Street.

Lower Pleasance (at junction with Lochee Road) – closed on Sunday 26 July for Scottish Water ironwork repairs.

Forthcoming Road Works

Greenbank Place – closed from Monday 5 August for 3 working days for carriageway resurfacing works.

[Updated Covid-19 testing data](#)

Updated NI Covid-19 testing data published ahead of the resumption of the dashboard on Monday.

[Everyday Packs](#)

DUNDEE VOLUNTEER & VOLUNTARY ACTION

'EVERYDAY PACKS'



Each pack will contain 1 small bottle of hand sanitiser and 1 re-usable washable face mask or 5 disposable masks.

Packs are intended as a helping hand until you are in a position to get additional supplies in.

Are you:

- aged 55+
- socially isolated
- digitally excluded
- your general wellbeing will be improved as a result of receiving this.

To make a referral/self referral please contact:

Shirley on skyles@number10.org or

Georgie-Ann on 01382 305721 (10am - 1pm only)

Dial OP can also be contacted on 01382 305757

This partnership project with Dundee Community Transport, Grey Lodge Settlement, HOPE (Helping Older People Engage) and GetLocalSupport.org volunteers has been made possible due to funding received from the Big Lottery Supporting Communities fund.



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Thanks to funding received from the Big Lottery Supporting Communities Fund Dundee Volunteer and Voluntary Action has been able to support a really good project for Dundee's older people.

Working in partnership with Dundee Community Transport, HOPE – Helping Older People Engage, Grey Lodge Settlement and volunteers from GetLocalSupport.org it has put together 'Everyday Packs' for distribution to the older people's community in Dundee.

The Everyday Packs will contain a small bottle of hand sanitiser and either a reusable washable face mask or 5 disposable masks.

These packs are for those who are:

- aged 55+
- socially isolated – so who don't have any support networks in place that can get these items for them
- digitally excluded – so are unable to purchase them online themselves
- whose general wellbeing will be improved as a result of receiving this

We know that older people who have been shielding and who haven't been out the house for the past 15 weeks are concerned about going into a shop to purchase a mask and hope that this will be able to alleviate some of their concerns. These packs are designed as a helping hand to enable older people to get out safely in the first place.

Given the Scottish Government's instruction that everyone is to wear a face covering in all shops from 10th July, referrals have been accepted from Monday 13th July and packs will be delivered approximately 1 week after applying.

If interested, please contact Shirley by email on skyles@number10.org or call Georgie-Ann on Dundee 305721 (Mon to Fri 10am – 1pm only).

Dial OP can also receive referrals by contacting Dundee 305757.