

# Annual Library Profile 2024-2025

Brora Mobile 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: Brora Mobile Library

Mobile Base: Brora Library & Cultural Centre,

Gower Street,

Brora KW9 6PD

Telephone No: 01408 621128 Mobile Tel. 07771 505 173

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

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

Associated School Group: Dornoch Academy, Golspie High School, Kinlochbervie High School and Wick Academy.

Ward: 4 East Sutherland & Edderton; Ward: 1 North, West & Central Sutherland

#### **Accommodation**

Brora Mobile Library provides a mobile library service on a three-weekly timetable to communities, residential homes and primary schools in Caithness and Sutherland.

#### **Opening Hours**

Three-weekly timetable to communities, residential homes and primary schools in Caithness and Sutherland.

The vehicle is on the road from Monday-Thursday, with a base day on Thursday or Friday, according to the route that week.

Please visit Brora Mobile Library web page for the latest routes and timetable information: <a href="https://www.highlifehighland.com/libraries/brora-mobile-library/">https://www.highlifehighland.com/libraries/brora-mobile-library/</a>

### **Accessibility**



N/A. All stops are selected for safe access by customers.

#### **Public Transport:**

N/A. All stops are selected for safe access by customers.

#### **Additional information**

Vehicle is fitted with a lift for use by those unable to climb the steps.

#### **Activities**

#### Regular Children's Activities

Summer Reading Challenge held every year for 0–12-year-olds.

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

#### **Collect and Return Service**

For customers who do not wish to browse our shelves in the library, we provide a Collect and Return service. By phoning or emailing your local library, a member of staff will select books for your chosen genre and arrange a convenient time for you to collect them.

# How are we performing?

# Brora Mobile Library

|                  | 2023-24 |
|------------------|---------|
| Visits           | 6971    |
| Event Attendance | 242     |
| Issues           | 4062    |
| Events           | 14      |

# **Reference and Local History Collections**

| (Please tick)           | Basic<br>collection | Area | Collection of Highland Significance | National |
|-------------------------|---------------------|------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Reference<br>Collection |                     |      |                                     |          |
| Local<br>History        |                     |      |                                     |          |

Please visit our website for more information: www.highlifehighland.com

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