

# Annual Library Profile 2024-2025

Invergordon & Black Isle 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: Invergordon & Black Isle Mobile Library

Base: c/o Invergordon Library

High Street Invergordon IV18 0DG

Telephone No: 01349 852698 Mobile Tel. 07733 300761

Email address: <a href="mailto:invergordonmobile.library@highlifehighland.com">invergordonmobile.library@highlifehighland.com</a>

Web Address: https://www.highlifehighland.com/libraries/invergordon-mobile-

<u>library/</u>

Associated School Group: Invergordon Academy

Wards: 6 Cromarty Firth; 9 Black Isle

### Accommodation

The mobile library will now operate a 4-weekly schedule of visits to communities, residential homes and primary schools in Black Isle, Ross-shire and Sutherland. Please contact <u>Invergordon Library</u> for more information and about alternative services in your area.

### **Collect and Return Service**

We currently provide a mobile 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.

### **Opening Hours**

Monday to Thursday, 09:00 - 17:00

# Car Parking: N/A Public Transport: N/A

### Additional information

Vehicle fitted with 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.
- Bookbug Library Challenge
- Regular storytelling in nurseries

## Regular Adult Events:

Summer Reading Challenge during the summer holidays.

# How are we performing?

Invergordon Mobile Library

|                  | 2023-24 |
|------------------|---------|
| Visits           | 3842    |
| Event Attendance | 0       |
| Issues           | 8456    |
| Events           | 0       |

# **Reference and Local History Collections**

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

Please visit our website for more information: <a href="www.highlifehighland.com">www.highlifehighland.com</a>

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