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**Crime, comedy, mystery and lots more at Kinross-shire Winter Festival 2018**

Kinross-shire is looking forward to a very busy end of year with many events being organised throughout November and December. To celebrate all the various local events that are happening KLEO (Kinross-shire Local Events Organisation) has produced a Winter Festival Brochure promoting the numerous events organised by local community groups and businesses. To download this brochure or for more information go to [www.kleo.org.uk](http://www.kleo.org.uk) or for brochure click here:

[https://issuu.com/kinrosswinterfestival/docs/kinross-shire\\_s\\_winter\\_festival\\_201](https://issuu.com/kinrosswinterfestival/docs/kinross-shire_s_winter_festival_201)

**Crime & mystery events**

KLEO is a Bookweek Scotland partner and together with Loch Leven Community Library we hope to bring an exciting crime and mystery themed programme!

The following events all take place at Loch Leven Community Campus:

**Quintin Jardine**, known for his Bob Skinner series will be talking on Tuesday 20 November at 7pm. Tickets £5

Local crime authors **Gillian Galbraith and Shirley McKay** will talk about crime-writing on Wednesday 19 November, 7pm. Tickets £5

**Ann Cleeves**, the international best-selling author of BBC One's Shetland & ITV's VERA, will be discussing her final book on Thursday 22 November at 7pm. Tickets £5.

**Robin Stevens**, author of the 'Murder Most Unladylike' series will be in Kinross on Friday 30 Nov at 6pm. Tickets £5/£3 concession

Children's author **David MacPhail**, will do a fun interactive event for children aged 8 and over about his Top Secret Granddad and Me books on Tuesday 20 November at 4pm. Tickets £2

Highlights at the festival will also include **Hairspray** on Friday 17 and Saturday 18 November 7pm at the campus, **The Bevvie Sisters** on Saturday 17 November, 7pm at Kinross Parish Church and **The Winter Festival Comedy Night** on Friday 9 November (8pm) at the Masonic Hall in Kinross.

The **Gruesome & Ghastly History Mystery Bus Tour** (Sunday 18 November) is now **SOLD OUT**.

Tickets for all these these events are for sale at Macbeth Currie Estate Agents and Solicitors in Kinross, Light Up My Heart in Milnathort and on [www.kleo.org.uk](http://www.kleo.org.uk) or through [TicketWeb](http://TicketWeb).

**Winter Festival's Festive Street Market / Light Up Kinross**

The hugely successful Festive Street Market is back on 24 November (4pm-7pm), giving shoppers the chance to find unusual and unique gifts in time for Christmas. There will be a bustling festive atmosphere with over seventy stalls, hot food and

drink, music and street entertainment. The Light Up Kinross event will then take place on the same evening at the conclusion of the Market at 7pm.

Please visit [www.kleo.org.uk](http://www.kleo.org.uk) for the complete programme and more information about the Festival.

### **Ends**

Photo's / images from Kinross-shire's Winter Festival events that can be used are in the following dropbox folder:  
[https://www.dropbox.com/sh/fudlvm2ztlzj2c7/AAD6dgoWsvYSR\\_ufE1CpFa-6a?dl=0](https://www.dropbox.com/sh/fudlvm2ztlzj2c7/AAD6dgoWsvYSR_ufE1CpFa-6a?dl=0)