



ACT OF COURT

No 2 of 2024

SHERIFFDOM OF NORTH STRATHCLYDE

COURT HOLIDAYS AND CUSTODY COURT ARRANGEMENTS 2025

I, SEAN F MURPHY KC, Sheriff Principal of the Sheriffdom of North Strathclyde, by virtue of the provisions of Section 28(1) of the Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014 and Sections 8(2) and 8(3)of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1995, as amended, do HEREBY prescribe:

- (a) Those days specified in Column A of Schedule 1 attached to this Act of Court as Court holidays for those courts within the Sheriffdom specified in Column B of Schedule 1 in the period to January 2026; and
- (b) That there will be a sitting for the disposal of criminal business on those dates specified in Column A of Schedule 2 in those courts specified in Column B of Schedule 2 if necessary to deal with any person in custody in respect of criminal business emanating from the courts specified in Column C of Schedule 2.

I appoint this Order to be inserted into the Act Books in every court within the Sheriffdom, published on the Notice Board of each court within the Sheriffdom and on the Scottish Court and Tribunals website.

Sheriff Principal of North Strathclyde

Sean & Map

Paisley, 3 June 2024

SCHEDULE 1

Court Holidays

COLUMN A	COLUMN B	
Wednesday 1 January 2025	All courts	
Thursday 2 January 2025	All courts	
Friday 18 April 2025	All courts	
Monday 21 April 2025	All courts	
Monday 5 May 2025	All courts	
Monday 26 May 2025	All courts	
Monday 7 July 2025	Greenock, Dunoon and Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice of the Peace	
	Courts, Lochgilphead Justice of the Peace Court	
Monday 14 July 2025	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice of the Peace Court	
Monday 21 July 2025	Oban Sheriff and Justice of the Peace Court	
Monday 4 August 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of the Peace Court	
Monday 1 September 2025	Greenock, Dunoon and Oban Sheriff and Justice of the Peace Courts,	
	Lochgilphead Justice of the Peace Court	
Monday 15 September 2025	Campbeltown Sheriff and Justice of the Peace Court	
Monday 22 September 2025	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice of the Peace Court	
Monday 29 September 2025	Dumbarton and Paisley Sheriff and Justice of the Peace Courts	
Monday 6 October 2025	Campbeltown Sheriff and Justice of the Peace Court	
Monday 1 December 2025	All courts	
Thursday 25 December 2025	All courts	
Friday 26 December 2025	All courts	
Thursday 1 January 2026	All courts	
Friday 2 January 2026	All courts	

SCHEDULE 2

Custody Court Arrangements

COLUMN A	COLUMN B	COLUMN C
	sitting court	for custody business
		emanating from
Saturday 19 April 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley, Greenock and Dunoon
	the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts and Lochgilphead
		Justice of the Peace Court
	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice
	of the Peace Court	of the Peace Court
	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton, Oban and
	of the Peace Court	Campbeltown Sheriff and
		Justice of the Peace Courts
Monday 5 May 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley, Greenock and Dunoon
	the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts and Lochgilphead
		Justice of the Peace Court
	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice
	of the Peace Court	of the Peace Court
	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton, Oban and
	of the Peace Court	Campbeltown Sheriff and
		Justice of the Peace Courts
Monday 26 May 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley, Greenock and Dunoon
	the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts and Lochgilphead
		Justice of the Peace Court
	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice
	of the Peace Court	of the Peace Court
	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton, Oban and
	of the Peace Court	Campbeltown Sheriff and
		Justice of the Peace Courts
Monday 7 July 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley, Greenock and Dunoon
	the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts and Lochgilphead
		Justice of the Peace Courts
	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice
	of the Peace Court	of the Peace Court
Monday 14 July 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley and Dumbarton Sheriff
	the Peace Court	and Justice of the Peace Courts
Monday 21 July 2025	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton and Oban Sheriff
	of the Peace Court	and Justice of the Peace Courts
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	sitting court	for custody business
		emanating from
Monday 4 August 2025	Paisley Sheriff & Justice of the	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of
	Peace Court	the Peace Court
Monday 1 September 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley, Greenock and Dunoon
	the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts and Lochgilphead
		Justice of the Peace Court
	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton and Oban Sheriff
	of the Peace Court	and Justice of the Peace Court
Monday 15 September 2025	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton and Campbeltown
	of the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts
Monday 22 September 2025	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice
	of the Peace Court	of the Peace Court
Monday 29 September 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley and Dumbarton Sheriff
Monday 27 September 2020	the Peace Court	and Justice of the Peace Courts
Monday 6 October 2025	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton and Campbeltown
	of the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts
Monday 1 December 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley, Greenock and Dunoon
	the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts and Lochgilphead
		Justice of the Peace Court
	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice
	of the Peace Court	of the Peace Court
	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton, Oban and
	of the Peace Court	Campbeltown Sheriff and
		Justice of the Peace Courts
Saturday 27 December 2025	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley, Greenock and Dunoon
	the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts and Lochgilphead
		Justice of the Peace Court
	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice
	of the Peace Court	of the Peace Court
	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton, Oban and
	of the Peace Court	Campbeltown Sheriff and
		Justice of the Peace Courts
Saturday 3 January 2026	Paisley Sheriff and Justice of	Paisley, Greenock and Dunoon
	the Peace Court	Sheriff and Justice of the Peace
		Courts and Lochgilphead
		Justice of the Peace Court
	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice	Kilmarnock Sheriff and Justice
	of the Peace Court	of the Peace Court
	Dumbarton Sheriff and Justice	Dumbarton, Oban and
	of the Peace Court	Campbeltown Sheriff and
		Justice of the Peace Courts