

The St Andrews Loches Alliance

December 2024

Dear Members

2024 has been one of our busiest years and before it comes to a close, there is just one more thing.....

HOLY TRINITY TRUST
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**CHRISTMAS TREE
FESTIVAL**

Holy Trinity Church, South Street, St Andrews
from Sunday 15th December 2024 1 pm - 5 pm
(volunteer and church availability permitting)

if you would like to sponsor a tree, please phone
07969 333 944 or email callummac@aol.com
£50 for personal or family sponsorship
£100 for businesses or organisations

admission free : collection for **TCCL** : all welcome

I hope as many of you as possible will find a moment even at this very busy time of year to pop into Holy Trinity Church to admire the display of Christmas trees sponsored by clubs, societies and businesses in the town, including the Loches Alliance. There is a collection for TCCL, the Tayside and North East Fife Charity for Children with Cancer and Leukaemia. In addition to the information on the poster there are three events scheduled:

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**Children's Christmas
Craft Workshop**

*come and make elves, trees and stars
with an eco theme with Lorna & Rosalind*

Holy Trinity Church, South Street, St Andrews


Saturday 21st December 2024 2 pm – 3.30 pm

admission free but please reserve a place at
callummac@aol.com or on 07969 333 944

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“The stories behind your
favourite Christmas carols”
(and the chance to sing them!)
A Festive Talk
by
Professor Ian Bradley
Author of the “Penguin Book of Carols”

Holy Trinity Church South Street St Andrews

Saturday 21st December 2024 4 pm

admission free : retiring collection : all welcome

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“The lighter side of Christmas”
a recital of festive music and carols
Callum MacLeod
piano

Holy Trinity Church South Street St Andrews

Sunday 22nd December 2024
4 pm

admission free : retiring collection : all welcome

Looking forward to 2025, our first event is as usual our New Year Drinks Party; slightly later this year but we have just managed to squeeze it into January.

January Drinks Party
Friday 31st January 6.30-8.00
The St Rule Club
£10



We hope you will join us. Ticket price includes a glass of wine or soft drink and delicious canapés
Please email me if you are able to attend.

Payment details: Sort code: 83-26-28 A/c 00246214

Name: The St Andrews Loches Alliance. Please enter your name in the reference space.

Some other dates for your diary:

Thursday 13th February: Film night We are joining forces with the Byre to show ‘Anatomie d’une Chute’ (2023) The film is in French and some German with English subtitles. The Financial Times

reviewed it as ‘a top-drawer thriller of gravity and complexity’ and it won the Palme d’Or at the Cannes Film Festival.

Friday 28th February : Christine Bovill at the Byre We are not involved in the organisation of this concert but many of you enjoyed her performance at our event in St Leonards in 2021 and might like to hear her again. Booking is through the Byre Theatre.

Friday 9th May: AGM and Wine Quiz

Friday 20th - Monday 23rd June: Visit to Loches No details finalised as yet. Several people have expressed interest, please let me know if you would like to be kept informed. There is no commitment at this stage.

Please save the dates, there will more information about these events in the New Year.

2024 was a busy year for us and here are some of the highlights:



The Other Guys



Loches en 1944 exhibition



V E Celebration at Craigtoun



Lunch in the Botanics



French Tennis Tournament – The Winners



Loches Cup for Junior Golf

The Committee and I are look forward to your continued support and to seeing you in 2025.

*Joyeux Noël
et
Bonnes fêtes de fin d'année*

Joyce and the Loches Alliance Committee



The Loches Alliance Tree in Holy Trinity

