

Monday 21 August 2023

Staff car parking – Foresterhill Health Campus A reminder the survey on future options on managing staff car parking at Foresterhill is still open. You should only complete it once, and only if you are a member of NHS Grampian staff with Foresterhill Health Campus as your main or only base. Please read this briefing sheet first, available here: [NHS Grampian News - Staff car parking – Foresterhill Health Campus... \(scot.nhs.uk\)](#)

[The survey is available via this link.](#)

Sustainability strategy workshops Thanks to everyone who attended today's workshop on Delivering Net Zero. There will be a session tomorrow (22 August) on Greening the Health System, then on Thursday (24 August, 11am-12noon) there will be a session on Greening Places & Communities. As before, we're testing your knowledge in advance - what is the recommended maximum distance humans should have between their home and an area of quality green space? Take our [warm up quiz](#) and save the meeting details along with the [link to join](#) (no need to register in advance).

NHS Grampian Patient Catering Update

Fruit Juices/Hypo Boxes

Fruit Juices, Apple & Orange in 1 litre containers are now back in stock. The orange juice with bits in will be phased out, as supplies are used up, and returned to the usual product in the coming days.

Hypo Box Orange Juice

For Hypo Boxes, orange juice will continue to come in 200ml ambient small cartons of "Calypso" smooth Orange juice as the carbohydrate levels are better in this product.

Potatoes

A solution for the supply of potatoes has been sourced by our supplier.

All patient & staff menus will move back from the temporary potatoes with skins on to the usual potatoes from Wed 23rd August.

NHS Grampian Summer Four-Ball Pairs Handicap Golf Tournament at Banchory Golf Club There are still a few places left for this event which takes place on the afternoon of Friday 25th August.

If you don't have a golfing partner we may be able to pair you with someone else.

Discounted price of £30 per person which includes coffee and bacon roll before the event and a two course meal after the golf. Teeing off starts at 1.50pm.

For more information please email gram.sports@nhs.scot

Pause for thought We're in to harvest season, and the landscape is changing. What have you been cultivating that it is now time to harvest? What might you share with others?

Tune of the day Last Monday it was a shout out to the parents and carers in Moray, today this one is for those in Aberdeen and Aberdeenshire. Schools there reopen tomorrow, [Slipping Through my Fingers](#) by ABBA goes out to all of you, as you send the bairns off for a new term (GC)

If you want to request a tune, follow up on items included in this brief, or suggest an item for sharing, drop us an email via gram.communications@nhs.scot