

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL (PLAY STREET EVENTS) (CHARLES STREET (PART), INVERNESS) ORDER 2025

The Highland Council in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 16A and 16B of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended, and of all other powers enabling them to do so hereby make this Order.

In accordance with section 16A(2) of that Act, they are satisfied that the traffic on the length of road specified in Part 1 of the schedule hereto ("the Schedule") should be prohibited or restricted for the purpose of facilitating the holding of a Play Street event.

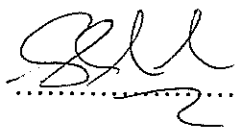
In accordance with section 16A(3) of that Act, they are satisfied that it is not reasonably practicable for this event to be held otherwise than on a public road.

In accordance with section 16A(8) of that Act, The Highland Council have had regard to the safety and convenience of alternative routes suitable for the traffic which will be affected by this Order.

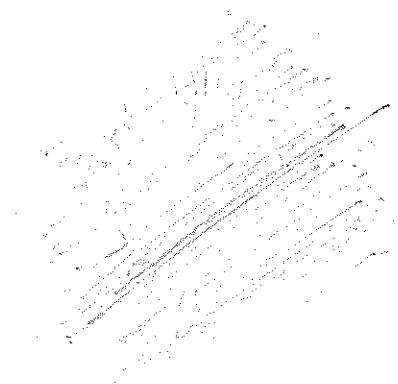
The Scottish Ministers have agreed in terms of section 16B(1) of that Act that this Order should continue in force for a longer period than 3 days beginning with the day on which it comes into force.

1. This Order may be cited as "The Highland Council (Play Street Events) (Charles Street (Part), Inverness) Order 2025" and shall come into effect at 10:00 hours on 20th July 2025 and remains in effect until 13:00 hours on 26th October 2025.
2. The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
3. Between 10:00 hours and 13:00 hours on the dates specified in Part 1 of the schedule hereto ("the Schedule"), subject to Article 4 of this Order no person shall drive or cause or permit to be driven any motor vehicle, trailer or cycle on the length of road, or part or parts of the length of road specified in Part 1 of the Schedule when a prohibition is identified as applying to the length of road or a part or parts of the length of road by means of one or more of the traffic signs of a type generally provided for under Section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended. Access for pedestrians shall be permitted at all times.
4. Nothing in Article 3 of this Order applies to:
 - (a) Vehicles requiring access to or from premises situated on or adjacent to the said length of road or which are only accessible from the said length of road, and only then at the discretion of, and being driven in accordance with, instructions given by responsible site personnel.
 - (b) Emergency Services' vehicles being used in an emergency for Ambulance, Coastguard, Fire Brigade or Police purposes, and only then at the discretion of, and being driven in accordance with, instructions given by responsible site personnel.

Sealed with the Common Seal of The Highland Council and signed for them and on their behalf at Inverness on 15/07/2025 by, Steven Grant, Area Roads Operations Manager.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'SG', with a horizontal line drawn underneath it.

..... Proper Officer



This is the Schedule referred to in the foregoing The Highland Council (Play Street Events) (Charles Street (Part), Inverness) Order 2025

SCHEDULE

PART 1

LIST OF SCHEDULED PLAY STREET EVENT DATES

Date
Sunday 20th July
Sunday 24th August
Sunday 21st September
Sunday 26th October

PART 2

TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC

U3835 Charles Street, Inverness, closed between its junction with the U3769 Ardconnel Street and its junction with the U3857 Denny Street.