

Friday 30 June 2023

Reverse vending machine – end of trial A reminder the reverse vending machine at the main entrance to ARI will be taken out of service at the end of the working day today. Please do not place bottles or cans in the machine after that time. Thank you again to everyone who used the machine and made the trial such a success, with more than 19,000 items deposited.

Digital Health & Care leadership programme Fully funded by Scottish Government and led by NHS Education for Scotland, the Digital Health and Care Leadership Programme (DLP) is designed to support ambitious and experienced health and care professionals develop their leadership skills and influence digital health and care in their organisations. Cohort 21 will commence in August 2023 and is now open for applications until **17 July**. [More information is available here](#) (intranet link, networked devices only)

That was the week that was It's time for our weekly run through of the key items shared this week:

Monday 26 – NMAHP welcome session on 20 July, new bus service for ARI

Tuesday 27 – Vapes disposal – safety concerns, precautions when posting

Wednesday 28 – iMatter update/delivery of team reports, car parking at Foresterhill Health Campus

Thursday 29 – unscheduled care update sessions, donation by Sir Rod Stewart

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STAR Award No presentations to announce this week. If you work with somebody – or somebodies – who you feel deserves a STAR Award, then you can [complete the online nomination form](#), or email the details to gram.staffthanksandrecognition@nhs.scot

Aroma ARI Concourse birthday celebrations Don't forget, there will be special offers at Aroma ARI Concourse next week (3-7 July) to mark its 10th anniversary. If your disposable Aroma cup has this orange sticker (below) on it, you'll be given a fully stamped card to get your next drink for free. The team will also be giving out cards, at random, to people bringing a reusable cup



There will be other offers too, check the brief from Tuesday 27 July for more information.

Tune of the day You have been banging out the requests for today, and I hate to disappoint, so we're going to rattle through this Top of the Pops chart rundown style (you'll have to imagine the backing music):

At 5, Guns N' Roses and [Welcome to the Jungle](#), dedicated to Scott Johnson who leaves the Regional HEPMA team today.

A non-mover at 4, [Arms Open by The Script](#), for Gillian McDonald and Louise-Anne Budge who are off to see them in London this weekend.

No change at 3, [I'm Coming Out by Diana Ross](#), dedicated to Emily Smith, who finishes her placement with the Buchan Health Visiting team today.

Straight in at 2, The Rembrandts and [I'll Be There for You](#), requested by Kirsteen MacDonald for all the team in Clinical Pharmacology research, as she moves on to a new post.

Holding steady at 1 is [Running Up That Hill](#) by Kate Bush, dedicated to all the dental school students graduating today; they had an additional year of study thanks to COVID, so well done to them!

Phew! Whatever Saturday and Sunday hold, I hope you find a little bit of time just for you. The brief will return on Monday (EP)

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