

MINISTERIAL ENGAGEMENTS FROM 1 JANUARY 2009 TO 13 MARCH 2009

Alex Salmond MSP
First Minister

Date of Engagement	Type of Engagement	Organisation/Individual Met With
Sunday, January 04, 2009	Interview	Radio Scotland
Tuesday, January 06, 2009	Interview	Property Week Magazine
	Interview	BBC Northern Ireland
Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Press Launch	CIS Scottish League
	Meeting	Tasmina Sheikh
	Lunch	Guardian Weekend
	Meeting	Robert Burns Film
	Other	Homecoming message - Fiona Kennedy
	Other	Record message of support
	Meeting	Ben Thomson
Thursday, January 08, 2009	Meeting	STV Rob Woodward
	Other	Setanta Press box
Tuesday, January 13, 2009	Meeting	Vincent de Rivaz EDF
	Meeting	Henry McLeish
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Clydesdale Bank Note
	Meeting	Glasgow Chamber Commerce
	Lunch	Homecoming
	Other	Burns Poem Reading
	Interview	West Sound Radio
Thursday, January 15, 2009	Meeting	Peter Lederer
	Other	Council of Economic Advisors
	Other	Photograph - Guardian
	Meeting	Stephen Gethins
Friday, January 16, 2009	Conference	Council of Economic Advisors
	Dinner	Council of Economic Advisors
Saturday, January 17, 2009	Photo Opportunity	Tesco Homecoming
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Interview	BBC Brian Taylor
	Meeting	Jeanette Findlay
	Reception	Consular Corps
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Meeting	Lloyds TSB
	Meeting	Eddie O'Connor Mainstream Energy
	Meeting	Niall Scott
	Other	BBC recording
Thursday, January 22, 2009	Lunch	Aberdeen Journals
	Meeting	Anders Dahl - Vattenfal
	Interview	BBC Radio 2
	Interview	Colin McKay
	Interview	Real Radio
	Interview	Joan McAlpine
	Other	Edinburgh Interfaith Association
Friday, January 23, 2009	Interview	BBC Daily Politics
	Other	Peterhead Burns Club
Saturday, January 24, 2009	Interview	Off the Ball
	Other	Ayr v Selkirk Rugby
	Dinner	Homecoming Burns Supper
Sunday, January 25, 2009	Other	Alloa Burns Church Service

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	Other	Burns Wreath Laying - Ayr
	Other	Burns Light Dumfries
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Meeting	Georg Adamowitsch -EU North Sea Grid Co-ordinator
	Meeting	Sir Jackie Stewart
	Other	The Edinburgh Lecture Series
Wednesday, January 28, 2009	Visit	Diageo Distillery
	Lunch	Scottish & Southern Energy Executives
	Meeting	Ken MacQuarrie
Thursday, January 29, 2009	Meeting	Moderator Church of Scotland
	Formal Opening/Launch	Career Academy
	Interview	BBC interview
Friday, January 30, 2009	Photo Opportunity	Royal Caledonian Curling Club
	Formal Opening/Launch	Official opening SSE Call Centre
	Meeting	David Dinsmore
Saturday, January 31, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	St Mirren Stadium
Tuesday, February 03, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Scottish Council for Development and Industry
	Dinner	China Stakeholders
Wednesday, February 04, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Drive it Home
	Reception	DebRA
	Meeting	Lord Smith
	Meeting	Courtesy - visit German Ambassador
Thursday, February 05, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	First Bus Homecoming Livery
	Meeting	Ed Richards Ofcom
	Other	Homecoming Concert
Friday, February 06, 2009	Other	Highlands & Islands Press Ball
Saturday, February 07, 2009	Other	Aberdeen v East Fife
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Meeting	Financial Services Advisory Board
	Media Briefing	UNITE Union
	Interview	Radio Five Live
	Dinner	Scottish Business
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Dumfries & Galloway College
	Meeting	Festival of Remembrance
Thursday, February 12, 2009	Meeting	Independent Commission on Finance
	Other	Rhodri Morgan
	Interview	BBC Documentary
	Interview	Boston Globe interview
Friday, February 13, 2009	Meeting	DC Thomson
	Other	Scottish Seafood Training Awards
Monday, February 16, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Sea Energy Renewables
Wednesday, February 18, 2009	Announcement	ESURE Jobs
	Meeting	Amnesty International
	Meeting	Lord Wilson
	Meeting	Jim Fox

	Dinner	Sir Angus Grossart
Thursday, February 19, 2009	Meeting	Ieuan Wyn Jones
	Dinner	British Irish Council
Friday, February 20, 2009	Meeting	British Irish Council Summit
	Other	Press Conference - BIC
	Lunch	BIC Ministerial Lunch -
	Conference	Tri-Lateral
Monday, February 23, 2009	Interview	USA - Fox Broadcasting Company
	Other	USA Lecture - Georgetown University Washington DC
	Meeting	Hilary Clinton
	Interview	Bloomberg TV
	Reception	DISCUS Reception
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Meeting	Senator Webb
	Meeting	Prof Robert Mundell
	Meeting	Dr Christina Romer
	Other	Burns Symposium
	Reception	Friends of Scotland Caucus
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Meeting	Prime Minister Gordon Brown
	Meeting	Jack Straw
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Meeting	Barry White
	Other	Princes Trust
Friday, February 27, 2009	Visit	Hospital visit
	Interview	Reuters
Tuesday, March 03, 2009	Other	Scottish Tourism Week
	Interview	BBC Alba
	Dinner	Network Rail
Wednesday, March 04, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Borders College
	Visit	Hawick High School
	Meeting	Scottish Daily Newspapers
	Other	Courtesy Welsh Assembly Presiding Officer
	Interview	Interview Public Finance magazine
Thursday, March 05, 2009	Other	Sign Get Fair Pledge
	Reception	Stephenson Adam Smith Lecture
Friday, March 06, 2009	Meeting	Cllr Tom Buchanan
	Meeting	Lord Mayor City of London, Ian Luder
	Other	Lady Mirrlees
Tuesday, March 10, 2009	Visit	Scottish Dementia Working Group
	Reception	Scottish Golf Union
	Meeting	Courtesy - New Zealand High Commissioner
	Dinner	Lloyds TSB
Wednesday, March 11, 2009	Meeting	SoS STUC CBI
Thursday, March 12, 2009	Lunch	Chinese Consul General
	Meeting	Graham Spiers
Friday, March 13, 2009	Lunch	Sikh Temple

Bruce Crawford MSP
Minister for Parliamentary Business

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	Meeting	Meeting with President of the Assembly of the Republic of Macedonia, Trajko Veljanovski
Thursday, January 8, 2009	Interview	Talk Radio Interview
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Meeting	Canon Kenyon Wright
Friday, January 30, 2009	Interview	Lesley Riddoch Programme
Thursday, February 5, 2009	Reception	RAF Reception

Linda Fabiani MSP
Minister for Europe, External affairs, and Culture

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Tuesday, January 06, 2009	Interview	Jazz Waves Radio
Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Dumfries & Galloway Arts Association Burns Light
Thursday, January 08, 2009	Meeting	Rob Woodward & Alan Clements of STV
Saturday, January 10, 2009	Other	Attending Airdrieonians v Spartans Homecoming Cup
Tuesday, January 13, 2009	Meeting	Henry Eagles & Sandy Ross re Salford
	Meeting	Prof Charles McKean of University of Dundee
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Interview	BBC Scotland at Ten re Arts Funding
	Reception	Russian New Year, Russian Consul General
Thursday, January 15, 2009	Interview	Catherine Rose, Arts Professional Magazine
	Meeting	Henry McLeish re various issues
	Other	Attend the Celtic Connections Opening Concert
Monday, January 19, 2009	Reception	Salford Conference on TV 2009
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Conference	Salford Conference on TV 2009 (Nations & Regions)
	Reception	Consular Corps
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Progression Award for Conservation of Masonry
	Dinner	Opportunity International
Thursday, January 22, 2009	Meeting	Norwegian Honorary Consul, David Windmill
Friday, January 23, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Famous Scots Exhibition
	Meeting	Ambassador of Denmark Birger Riis-Jorgensen
	Other	Celtic Connections Festival Concert, Youssou Ndour
Saturday, January 24, 2009	Conference	Scottish Youth Parliament
	Other	Celtic Connections Auld Lang Syne Homecoming Concert
Sunday, January 25, 2009	Other	Stained glass window of Robert Burns
	Meeting	Councillor Andrew Wood & Representatives from Dumfries & Galloway Council
	Reception	"This is who we are" Exhibition
	Other	Burns Light on Burns Night
Monday, January 26, 2009	Conference	The Future of the Women of Darfur
	Meeting	National Endowment for Science, Technology and the Arts
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Meeting	Habib Malik of Scottish Islamic Relief
	Meeting	Scottish NGOs, Gaza Humanitarian Crisis
	Lunch	Eleanor McAllister, Chair of the Lighthouse Board
	Meeting	Cultural Think Tank
	Meeting	Cultural Alliance
	Other	Royal Society of Edinburgh Lecture 2009
Wednesday, January 28, 2009	Meeting	Ewan Brown of Creative Scotland Company 2009 & Cllr Harry McGuigan of Convention of Scottish Local Authorities
	Meeting	Scottish Trades Union Congress & Scottish Federation of Entertainment Unions re Creative Scotland & Broadcasting
	Meeting	Quick meet & greet with Knightswood Youth Theatre
Thursday, January 29 2009	Reception	Celebrate the Launch of SG Gaelic Language Plan
	Meeting	Alasdair Allan MSP re Kisimul Castle
Friday, January 30, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	" One Book, One Edinburgh" reading campaign
Saturday, January 31, 2009	Lunch	Traditional Music and Song Association
	Other	Final performance of the 2008 Traditional Music and Song Association, Young Traditions Tour
	Meeting	Québec Minister, Christine St-Pierre

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	Other	Attending the Québec Spotlight concert
Sunday, February 1, 2009	Other	Opening BBC Radio Scot Young Traditions Musician Awards
Monday, February 02, 2009	Announcement	Titian Announcement
	Meeting	reps of Variant Group & Scottish Artists Union
	Interview	Fergus Muirhead of Celtic Radio re Homecoming
Tuesday, February 03, 2009	Meeting	Representatives of Tartan Silk, Edinburgh Festival Fringe Award
	Meeting	Reps of the Scottish Diaspora Forum
	Meeting	Director & Chief Executive of the National Galleries of Scotland
	Formal Opening/Launch	Scotland's Images
Wednesday, February 04, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	mygaelic.com website
Thursday, February 05, 2009	Media Briefing	Creative Industries
	Meeting	Ed Richards, Chair of The Office of Communications
Friday, February 06, 2009	Other	Wreath laying & Holy Mass for Polish Navy Day
	Meeting	Alasdair Morrison of MG Alba
	Reception	"Digital Shorts Competition" Film
	Other	Award ceremony "Digital Shorts Competition" Film G
Monday, February 09, 2009	Photo Opportunity	St Ninians Primary School
	Seminar	Scots Language
	Reception	Consul General Ramesh Chander

Mike Russell MSP
Minister for Culture, External Affairs and the Constitution

Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Launch	Middle East Festival 2009
Thursday, February 12, 2009	Launch	Edinburgh International Science Festival Programme
	Meeting	Czech Ambassador to the UK, Jan Winkler
	Meeting	Independent Commission on Finance & funding for Wales
Tuesday, February 17, 2009	Meeting	Scottish Arts Council & Scottish Screen
	Meeting	National Collections
	Meeting	Bòrd na Gàidhlig and MG Alba
	Interview	STV re funding for Glasgow Museums & Galleries
	Meeting	International Development organisations
Wednesday, February 18, 2009	Meeting	Artistic Community
	Meeting	Henry McLeish re the Scottish Mining Museum
	Meeting	Introductory meeting with Arts Journalists
	Interview	Scotland on Sunday
	Interview	Scotland at 10 on the Arts (Radio)
	Interview	BBC Newsnight (TV)
Thursday, February 19, 2009	Dinner	British-Irish Council
Friday, February 20, 2009	Meeting	British-Irish Council Summit
	Media Briefing	Post British-Irish Council
	Meeting	Devolved Administrations Tri-lateral
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Meeting	British Council re International Development
	Photo Opportunity	Photoarch competition winners
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Interview	Sue Nickalls of Classical Music Magazine
	Dinner	European Parliament Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Meeting	EU Commissioner for Multilingualism, Leonard Orban
	Meeting	Angus Robertson MP
	Dinner	Madam Tan Xiuiian, Consul General of the People's Republic of China

John Swinney MSP
Cabinet Secretary for Finance and Sustainable Growth

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Monday, January 05, 2009	Meeting	Sir Tom Farmer
Tuesday 6 January	Meeting	Louise Hannigan
Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Seminar	Strategic Command Course
	Meeting	Sir Angus Grossart
	Meeting	Mike Rumbles
Thursday, January 08, 2009	Meeting	Concessionary Fares
	Meeting	Patrick Harvie
	Meeting	Andy Kerr
Tuesday, January 13, 2009	Meeting	David Manion
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Visit	LAB901 Ltd
	Meeting	Charles Hammond
	Dinner	Edinburgh Chamber of Commerce
	Meeting	Patrick Harvie
Thursday, January 15, 2009	Meeting	Crawford Gillies
	Meeting	Meeting with COSLA
	Meeting	Derek Brownlee
Friday, January 16, 2009	Meeting	Council of Economic Advisors
	Other	CEA Dinner
Monday, January 19, 2009	Meeting	Gordon Dewar
	Meeting	Sir Angus Grossart
	Meeting	Procurement Reform Board
	Meeting	Crawford Gillies
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Meeting	Sir Angus Grossart
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Meeting	Finance Ministers Trilateral
Thursday, January 22, 2009	Meeting	Jonathan Fair
	Dinner	State Street Burns Supper
	Meeting	Derek Brownlee
	Meeting	Andy Kerr
	Meeting	Patrick Harvie
Monday, January 26, 2009	Conference	Holyrood Concordat
	Meeting	Patrick Harvie
	Meeting	Derek Brownlee
	Meeting	Ian Gray
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Meeting	Jonathan Baume
	Meeting	Patrick Harvie
Thursday, January 29, 2009	Meeting	Cllr Jim McCabe
	Meeting	Derek Brownlee
	Meeting	Margo MacDonald
	Meeting	Andy Kerr
	Meeting	Jeremy Purvis
	Meeting	Patrick Harvie
Monday, February 2, 2009	Conference	RSPB/CSPP
	Meeting	Sir Angus Grossart
	Meeting	Public Sector Collaboration
Wednesday, February 4, 2009	Meeting	Volunteering
	Meeting	Japanese Consul
Thursday, February 5, 2009	Meeting	Edinburgh BioQuarter Forum
	Meeting	Wyeth Pharmaceuticals
	Other	Scottish Enterprise Life Sciences Dinner

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Monday, February 9, 2009	Meeting	Nick Horler
	Other	Climate Change Lecture
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Meeting	FiSAB
	Meeting	Scotch Whisky Association
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Meeting	Andrew Walsh/Jackie Baille
	Other	Interview Dr Arnott ESRC Research:
	Meeting	Sarah Boyack
Thursday, February 12, 2009	Meeting	Winning Foundation
	Meeting	Universities Scotland
Wednesday, February 18, 2009	Meeting	Sir Angus Grossart
Monday, February 23, 2009	Meeting	Scottish and Southern Energy
	Visit	Axeon Technologies Ltd
	Meeting	Strategic Forum
	Meeting	SG Unions
	Other	Scottish Government Forum
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Meeting	Raymond O'Hare
	Other	Scottish Property Federation Conf.
	Other	COSLA
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Other	Archangel Dinner
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Meeting	Federation of Small Businesses
	Meeting	Strategic Review of Public Spending
	Meeting	SERCO
Friday, February 27, 2009	Meeting	Select Committee
	Other	Finance Director of the Year Award
Monday, March 2, 2009	Other	Public Sector Reform Conference
	Visit	RTP Chairs
	Other	Youthlink Awards Dinner
Tuesday, March 3, 2009	Visit	McSense Groups
	Meeting	Jackson Carlaw
	Other	Ron McAulay
Wednesday, March 4, 2009	Meeting	Chief Secretary to the Treasury
Thursday, March 5, 2009	Meeting	National Express
Friday, March 6, 2009	Meeting	WWF
Monday, 9 March, 2009	Visit	Roslin Institute
	Meeting	Edinburgh University Staff
	Other	Scottish Tourism Week Dinner
Tuesday, 10 March, 2009	Meeting	Crawford Gillies
	Meeting	Sir Angus Grossart
	Other	Lloyds Bank Group Dinner
Wednesday, 11 March, 2009	Other	Young Planners Network
	Meeting	STUC/CBI
	Meeting	COSLA
	Other	Altran CIS UK
Thursday, 12 March, 2009	Meeting	Finance Ministers Quadrilateral
	Meeting	Clydesdale Bank
	Other	Owen Kelly

Jim Mather MSP
Minister for Enterprise, Energy, & Tourism

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Monday, January 05, 2009	Meeting	Councillor Hugh Hunter, South Ayrshire Council
	Meeting	Editor and Chief of NUJ
Tuesday, January 06, 2009	Meeting	Colin Hood Scottish and Sothern Enterprise
	Meeting	Dr Belford
Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Meeting	Geoff Mawdsley, Reform Scotland
	Reception	Scottish Venison Working Group
Saturday, January 10, 2009	Other	Homecoming Cup Matches
Monday, January 12, 2009	Meeting	Gordon Archer
	Meeting	Centre for Excellence
	Interview	BBC
	Event	Scottish Futures Forum
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Announcement	Economic Climate Assistance to Small Businesses
	Dinner	The Glasgow Dinner Club
Thursday, January 15, 2009	Meeting	Alex Ferguson, CVOs
	Dinner	JRC Marine Conference Dinner
Sunday, January 18, 2009	Media	Year of Homecoming, Edinburgh airport
	Dinner	British Irish Inter Parliamentary Assembly
Monday, January 19, 2009	Visit	Visit to LifeScan Inverness
	Visit	Centre of Health Sciences, Inverness
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Conference	IPA Power Scotland Conference
	Visit	Visit to Aggreko
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Meeting	Russell Griggs
	Meeting	Regulatory Review Group
	Meeting	Captain West
	Other	Cross Party Group on Life Sciences
Thursday, January 22, 2009	Announcement	Marine Energy
	Media Bid	Politics Now
	Media Bid	Newsnight
Saturday, January 24, 2009	Other	Celtic Connections
Sunday, January 25, 2009	Other	Wreath laying service, Edinburgh and District Burns Club Association
Monday, January 26, 2009	Conference	Scottish Enterprise Leadership Conference
	Meeting	FREDS (Forum on Renewable Energy Development Scotland) meeting
	Dinner	Mr Adamowitsch, EU North Grid Co-ordinator
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Conference	Scottish Renewables Grid Conference
	Meeting	Mr Adamowitch, EU North Grid Co-ordinator
	Conference	Enterprise Scotland Conference
Thursday, January 29, 2009	Meeting	Mr Karabaczek - Austrian Trade Commissioner
	Meeting	Proven Energy
Monday, February 2 2009	Meeting	Dumfries and Galloway Council
	Other	Mind mapping Stakeholder Event in Sranraer

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Tuesday, February 3, 2009	Meeting	APC Schneider
Wednesday, February 04, 2009	Meeting	FMC Biopolymer
	Other	Scottish Media Forum
	Reception	Scottish Branch German Chamber of Commerce
Thursday, February 05, 2009	Meeting	Community Services Volunteers Meeting
Friday, February 6, 2009	Media Event	Book of Scottish Connections Regulations
Monday, February 9, 2009	Meeting	John Purvis MEP
	Lunch	With Participants in the 'Delivering the Strategic Energy Review & 2020 Package Objectives'
	Other	Delivering the Strategic Energy Review & 2020 Package Objectives
Tuesday, February 10 2009	Meeting	FiSAB
	Meeting	STUC
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Other	Pre-record H&S Seminar
	Meeting	Ian Ritchie, Coppertop
	Visit	Gracemount High School
	Interview	Sunday Herald
	Dinner	US/European Press Tour
	Photos	Sunday Herald
	Meeting	Mitsubishi
Monday, February 23, 2009	Conference	Leadership Conference
	Meeting	Peter Mowforth
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Visit	University of Abertay Dundee: Digital Creative Industry Visit
	Meeting	Bjarne Hansen
	Meeting	Raymond O'Hare, Microsoft
	Meeting	Alasdair Allan MSP
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Other	Pre-record SUSPLAN Event
	Meeting	Scottish Tourism Forum
	Dinner	Archangel Annual meeting and dinner
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Meeting	Russell Griggs
	Conference	Conference on Governance Issues in the Third Sector
	Meeting	Michael Johnston, Scotsman
Monday 2 March 2009	Launch Event	Scottish Tourism Week
	Visit	Stepper Technology Greenock
	Meeting	Sail Scotland
Tuesday, 3 March, 2009	Conference	Glasgow Visitor Experience conference
	Meeting	Shetland Destination Management Organisation meeting
	Meeting	India Plan Consultation Group meeting
	Dinner	Sustainable Development Commission Scotland
Wednesday, 4 March, 2009	Conference	Scottish Tourism Forum Industry Conference
	Meeting	Hewlett Packard Meeting

	Reception	Scottish Tourism Forum
	Interview	Scotsman Energy
	Meeting	Andrew Rigby
	Meeting	Rob Gibson MSP
	Interview	The Hirer
	Dinner	Institute of Directors
Friday, March 6, 2009	Meeting	Councillor Tom Buchannan
Monday, March 9, 2009	Other	East Lothian Stakeholder Session
	Other	Asian Professionals Stakeholder Session
Tuesday, March 10, 2009	Other	Better Regulation Stakeholder Session
	Other	Strathclyde Institute for Operations Management (SIOM) Research Seminar
Wednesday, March 11, 2009	Committee Appearance	Enterprise, Energy and Tourism Committee – Renewables Obligation evidence session
	Other	Systems Thinking stakeholder event
Thursday, March 12, 2009	Meeting	Glaxosmithkline(GSK)
	Dinner	Promoting economic recovery opportunities from 2012
	Interview	Newsnight, the Economy

Stewart Stevenson, MSP
Minister for Transport, Infrastructure and Climate Change

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Monday, January 05, 2009	Meeting	Middlefield Area Action Group
	Meeting	NESTRANS Regional Transport Partnership
Tuesday, January 06, 2009	Meeting	Jackie Baille MSP and COSLA
	Lunch	Jaqueline Kennedy, Holyrood Magazine
	Interview	ITV
	Interview	Newsdrive
Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Meeting	Alastair Watson, Strathclyde Passenger Transport
	Interview	Craig Williams, BBC
	Meeting	Tayroad Bridge Authority
	Meeting	Forth Road Bridge Authority
Saturday, January 10, 2009	Event	Peterhead v Queenspark Homecoming football match
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Launch	Eco Driving
	Dinner	Chamber of Commerce
Saturday, January 17, 2009	Dinner	Burns Supper, Kilmarnock Operatic Society
Monday, January 19, 2009	Visit	M80, Glasgow
	Meeting	Operating companies: AMEY, Bear and Transerve
	Meeting	Scottish Business in the Community
	Interview	Real Radio
	Conference	Holyrood Magazine
	Event	Campaign to Open Blackford Railway Station AGM
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Launch	Tesco - Inverness rail service
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Meeting	The Chevening Fellowship
	Meeting	Captain West, Loch Lomond Seaplanes
	Dinner	SCOTS
Friday, January 22, 2009	Meeting	Angus Transport Forum
Sunday, January 25, 2009	Meeting	Grenville Johnstone, Highlands and Islands Aviation Ltd
Monday, January 26, 2009	Event	Dundee and Angus Partnership signing
	Visit	Forth Rail Bridge, Network Rail
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Meeting	Business Stream Board
Wednesday, January 28, 2009	Event	Zero Emissions Vehicles
Monday, February 02, 2009	Visit	Irish Government, Dublin
Thursday, February 05, 2009	Meeting	Councillor Hugh Hunter, Ayrshire Council
	Interview	Colin McKay, Independent Radio
Saturday, February 07, 2009	Ceremony	Rothsay Pier
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Meeting	Homes for Scotland, Jonathan Fair
	Conference	Dreams on Wheels
	Reception	Dreams on Wheels
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Meeting	Henry McLeish, Halogen Communications
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Meeting	Civil Engineering Contractors Association
Thursday, February 12, 2009	Visit	M74, Glasgow
Friday, February 20, 2009	Event	Food for Life Catering Awards, Nottingham
Monday, February 23, 2009	Launch	Inverness Airport Radar, Inverness Airport
	Event	National Conversation Event
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Meeting	Stop Climate Chaos

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Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Meeting	British Council International Climate Change
	Dinner	Civil Engineering Contractors Association

**Fiona Hyslop MSP
Cabinet Secretary for Education and Lifelong Learning**

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Sunday, January 04, 2009	Other	National Youth Orchestra Scotland
Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Meeting	Law Society Liz Campbell
	Meeting	British Telecom
	Other	Scottish Ballet - Sleeping Beauty
Thursday, January 08, 2009	Interview	The Courier
Sunday, January 11, 2009	Other	East Stirling v Dundee United
Monday, January 12, 2009	Other	Annual Part-time forum University West of Scotland
Tuesday, January 13, 2009	Meeting	Educational Institute of Scotland
	Meeting	Chris Travis Scotland's Colleges
	Meeting	Scottish Business
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Visit	James Watt College
Thursday, January 15, 2009	Interview	–Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Education report
Thursday, January 15, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Glasgow University - Robert Burns
	Meeting	Association of Headteachers
	Meeting	Douglas Bulloch
	Meeting	Mr Swinney & Convention of Scottish Local Authorities
	Other	Fulbright Award
Friday, January 16, 2009	Interview	BBC
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Meeting	Aberdeen University
	Meeting	Billy Singh
Thursday, January 22, 2009	Meeting	Isabel Hutton
	Dinner	Ayrshire Colleges Burns Supper
Friday, January 23, 2009	Meeting	Andy Denholm The Herald
	Other	Internal Staff Seminar
Saturday, January 24, 2009	Dinner	Homecoming Burns Supper
Sunday, January 25, 2009	Other	Alloway Parish Church Service
	Other	Wreath Laying Ceremony
	Other	Burns Light Parade
	Dinner	Southern Scottish Counties Burns Supper
Monday, January 26, 2009	Visit	Crichton Campus
	Visit	Brownhall Primary School
	Visit	Kirkcudbright Academy
	Formal Opening/Launch	Alloway Primary School
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Meeting	Cllr MacLaren
	Meeting	Sir Jackie Stewart
Wednesday, January 28, 2009	Meeting	Mtg with Derek Mackay Renfrewshire Council
	Other	Heart of Midlothian Team of the Round Award
Thursday, January 29, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Confucius Classroom
Friday, January 30, 2009	Meeting	Society of Local Authority Chief Executives
	Visit	St Andrews RC Primary School
Tuesday, February 03, 2009	Dinner	China visit
	Visit	Annie'sland College
Wednesday, February 04, 2009	Meeting	Universities & College Union

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Thursday, February 05, 2009	Meeting	Learning Teaching Scotland
	Visit	New Dunning Primary School
Friday, February 06, 2009	Conference	Partnership Action for Continuing Employment
Monday, February 09, 2009	Visit	Job Centre with Tony McNulty Department of Work and Pensions
	Other	Curriculum for Excellence Stakeholder Group
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Announcement	Skillset
	Meeting	Scottish Funding Council
	Formal Opening/Launch	Self Evaluation Guide to Social Work Services
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Other	Filming Skills for Scotland update
Thursday, February 12, 2009	Interview	Politics Show
	Meeting	Tony Finn General Teaching Council
Wednesday, February 18, 2009	Meeting	Willy Roe Skills Development Scotland
	Meeting	John Watson Amnesty International
	Meeting	Dr Richardson St Andrews University
	Formal Opening/Launch	North Lanarkshire Confucius Classroom Hub
Friday, February 20, 2009	Other	Strategic Forum
Monday, February 23, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Galston Primary School
	Formal Opening/Launch	Science Campaign
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Meeting	Gurjit Singh NUS
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Interview	Times - Rural Schools Bill
	Meeting	Delegation of Chinese journalists
	Dinner	Edinburgh Napier University Gala
	Formal Opening/Launch	Schools Science Campaign
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Meeting	Action of Churches Together in Scotland
	Meeting	Tony Finn General Teaching Council Finn Educational Institute of Scotland
Friday, February 27, 2009	Meeting	Andrew Miller West Lothian Council
Monday, March 02, 2009	Interview	Colin McKay BBC
Tuesday, March 03, 2009	Other	John McClelland
	Meeting	Jim McColl Clyde Blowers
Wednesday, March 04, 2009	Other	COSLA Excellence Awards
Thursday, March 05, 2009	Visit	Oatridge College
Friday, March 06, 2009	Conference	International Women's Day

Maureen Watt MSP
Minister for Schools and Skills

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Sunday, January 11, 2009	Reception	Opening of Learning and Technology World Forum
Monday, January 12, 2009	Conference	Learning and Technology World Forum
Tuesday, January 13, 2009	Conference	Learning and Technology World Forum
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Conference	Learning and Technology World Forum
	Reception	General Teaching Council For Scotland
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Meeting	Offender Learning Advisory Group
	Meeting	Discipline Stakeholder Group
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Conference	Education for Sustainable Development
	Meeting	Aberdeen University
	Dinner	FutureChef Regional Final Awards
Thursday, January 22, 2009	Meeting	TEACH - The European Academy for Catering and Hospitality
	Meeting	Isabel Hutton, COSLA - Convention of Scottish Local Authorities
	Reception	Chinese Consulate Spring Festival Celebration
Friday, January 23, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	OPITO The Oil & Gas Academy
Monday, January 26, 2009	Other	Exclusion Statistics Publication
	Visit	Cradlehall Primary School, Burns School
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Conference	Scottish Centre For Information On Language Teaching And Research / Her Majesty's Inspectorate of Education
	Visit	Cowie Primary School and Nursery
	Visit	Kirkintilloch High School
	Other	Holocaust Memorial Day
Thursday January 29 2009	Meeting	Scottish Council for Independent Schools
Friday, January 30, 2009	Dinner	Burns Extravaganza
Monday 2 February 2009	Visit	Moray College Technology Centre
Tuesday, 3 February 2009	Visit	Renfrewshire Council
	Visit	Mentoring Support Programme, Paisley
	Event	Burns Night –General Teaching Council for Scotland
Thursday, 05 February 2009	Visit	WorldSkills Promotional Material, North Glasgow College
	Event	Burns Supper, Prestonfield Hotel--
Monday, 09 February, 2009	Conference	Partnership Action for Continuing Employment

Keith Brown MSP
Minister for Schools and Skills

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Friday, February 13, 2009	Conference	Learning to work together for our future
Monday, February 23, 2009	Photo Opportunity	Homecoming Cup School Tour
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Conference	Respect Me Anti Bullying
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Conference	Parental Involvement
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Conference	Scottish Disability Sport
Monday, March 02, 2009	Conference	Holocaust Education Seminar
Tuesday, March 03, 2009	Meeting	Introductory meeting with Cllr Isabel Hutton
Wednesday, March 04, 2009	Meeting	Meeting with Lawrence Wason – USDAW (Union of Shop, Distributive and Allied Workers)
Thursday, March 05, 2009	Launch	Confucius Classroom Launch
Friday, March 06, 2009	Event	The Children's Parliament Event
Saturday, March 07, 2009	Event	THE HOMECOMING SCOTTISH CUP
Tuesday, March 10, 2009	Meeting	Introductory meeting with Bernard McLeary – LTS (Learning and Teaching Scotland)

Adam Ingram MSP
Minister for Children and Early Years

Date of Engagement	Type of Engagement	Organisation/Individual Met With
Saturday, January 10, 2009	Other	Homecoming Football Match Ayr United V Kilmarnock
Monday , January 12, 2009	Meeting	Aberdeen City Council
	Visit	ART Project, Craiglea Children's Centre, Aberdeen
	Visit	Deeside Family Centre, Aberdeen
	Meeting	Focus Group, Aberdeen
	Meeting	Chief Executive, Council Leader & others, Aberdeen City Council
Tuesday, January 17, 2009	Meeting	Moray Chief Officers Child Protection
Friday, January 16, 2009	Other	National Theatre of Scotland Premiere of Be Near Me
		Gary Coutts, Convenor & council members of Scottish Social Services Council
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Meeting	Members of Clackmannanshire, Stirling & Falkirk Children's Panels
	Meeting	Members of Clackmannanshire, Stirling & Falkirk Children's Panels
Thursday, January 22, 2009	Forum	Scottish Mediation Network Additional Support Needs Mediation
	Other	Young Scot Homecoming Burns Celebration
Friday, January 23, 2009	Visit	Nursery class, Doonfoot Primary
	Visit	Monkton Primary School
Saturday, January 24, 2009	Dinner	Official Homecoming Burns Supper
Sunday, January 25, 2009	Other	Annual Church Service
	Other	Ayrshire Association of Burns Club
	Other	Annual Wreath Laying Ceremony
	Other	Ayrshire Association of Burns Club
	Dinner	Ayr Burns Club Anniversary
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Conference	Holyrood Communications Looked After Children conference
	Meeting	Dr Bronwen Cohen - Children in Scotland
	Meeting	Cross Party Group on Dyslexia
Wednesday, January 28, 2009	Meeting	Renfrewshire Council
	Reception	Launch of the Church & Society Council's Report on Growing Up In Scotland
Thursday, January 29, 2009	Meeting	Scottish Council of Independent
		Scottish Government/Scottish Alliance for Children's Rights Consultation conference on The United Nations Children's Rights Charter
Tuesday , February 3, 2009	Other	Scottish Government/Scottish Alliance for Children's Rights Consultation conference on The United Nations Children's Rights Charter
Wednesday, February 4, 2009	Meeting	Tam Baillie, Scottish Alliance for Children's Rights
Friday, February 6, 2009	Other	Bridgeton Boys Club prize giving co
Saturday, February 7, 2009	Other	Polish Navy Day – Final Memorial Service & Wreath Laying
		Scottish Government/Scottish Alliance for Children's Rights Consultation conference on The United Nations Children's Rights Charter
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Other	Scottish Government/Scottish Alliance for Children's Rights Consultation conference on The United Nations Children's Rights Charter

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Tuesday, February 10 2009	Meeting	Strategic Project Board for the Children's Hearing System
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Meeting	Working group on Child Protection Guidance
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Lecture	Association of Directors of Social Work Lecture
Friday, February 13, 2009	Launch	East Dunbartonshire Confucius Classroom Hub
Thursday, February 19, 2009	Other	University of Edinburgh – The Frank Buttle Trust Quality Mark for Care Leavers in Higher Education
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Meeting	Purnima Tanuku, National Day Nurseries Association
Friday, February 27, 2009	Launch	Glasgow City Confucius Classroom Hub

Nicola Sturgeon MSP
Cabinet Secretary for Health and Wellbeing

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Monday, January 05, 2009	Photo Opportunity	Car Parking Charges
Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Interview	Women on Top
	Meeting	Council of Mortgage Lenders
	Meeting	Scottish Federation of Housing Associations
Thursday, January 08, 2009	Meeting	Lord Penrose
Monday, January 12, 2009	Visit	Scottish Centre for Telehealth
	Visit	Royal Aberdeen Sick Kids Hospital
	Meeting	Occupational Health Service Aberdeen Royal Infirmary
	Visit	Medical Ward Aberdeen Royal Infirmary
	Visit	New Health and Carers Point Aberdeen Royal Infirmary
	Visit	Operational Support Team offices Aberdeen Royal Infirmary
	Formal Opening/Launch	New Catheterisation laboratory Aberdeen Royal Infirmary
	Meeting	Bed Management System Demo Aberdeen Royal Infirmary
Tuesday, January 13, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	MRI Suite at Queen Margaret Hospital
	Seminar	Science in Scotland Seminar
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Other	Signing Get Fair Scotland Pledge
Thursday, January 15, 2009	Interview	Elected Health Boards
Friday, January 16, 2009	Dinner	Eglinton Burns Club Burns Supper
Sunday, January 18, 2009	Interview	Capital Investments
Monday, January 19, 2009	Visit	Marie Curie
	Press Launch	Primary and Community Care Premises Modernisation
	Formal Opening/Launch	Govanhill Bath Closure Study
	Photo Opportunity	Junior Jog Scotland
	Meeting	MRSA Screening Pilot Group
	Visit	Gorbals Regeneration Project
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	National Delivery Plan for Children Service
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	NHS Staff Survey Results
	Meeting	Healthy Living Centres Alliance
	Meeting	Royal National Institute of the Deaf
	Other	Evening Times Scots Woman of the Year Awards
Thursday, January 22, 2009	Interview	The Herald
Saturday, January 24, 2009	Dinner	Burns Supper for Ms Revive Support
Sunday, January 25, 2009	Other	250th Anniversary Service Robert Burns
Monday, January 26, 2009	Press Launch	Zero Tolerance Campaign on Hand Hygiene
	Meeting	NHS Board Chairs
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Announcement	Affordable Housing Investment Programme TRANCHE 3

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	Photo Opportunity	Gaza Protest
Thursday, January 29, 2009	Interview	Question Time
Friday, January 30, 2009	Conference	Scottish Federation of Housing Associations
Monday, February 02, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Caledonia House
Tuesday, February 03, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Evaluation Research Reports
	Visit	Includem
	Formal Opening/Launch	Plean Street Dental Facility
Wednesday, February 04, 2009	Meeting	Glasgow Housing Association
	Meeting	Association British Pharmaceutical Industry
	Interview	Cochlear Implants
Monday, February 09, 2009	Announcement	Revenue and Capital Allocations
	Interview	Colin McKay
	Formal Opening/Launch	Falkirk Dental Centre
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Meeting	Repossessions
	Meeting	Director General Justice, Robert Gordon
	Meeting	Cabinet
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Pre Meeting	John Brown, Life Sciences Advisory Board
	Meeting	Life Sciences Advisory Board
	Meeting	Health and Wellbeing Bi Lateral
	Meeting	National Conversation
Wednesday, February 18, 2009	Visit	Hairmyres Hospital
	Launch	Launch of Minimum Wage Entitlement for Migrant Workers
Thursday, February 19, 2009	Meeting	Edwina Hart, Welsh Health Minister
	Dinner	British Irish Council Summit Dinner
Friday, February 20, 2009	Conference	British Irish Council Summit
	Meeting	Tri lateral Devolved Administrations
Monday, February 23, 2009	Visit	Rachel House Children's Hospice
	Interview	Real Radio
	Meeting	NHS Board Chairs
	Interview	STV
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Announcement	Waiting Times Announcement and visit
	Conference	Scottish Centre for Telehealth and Joint Improvement Team
	Meeting	Scottish Borders Registered Social Landlords
	Interview	Herald
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Dinner	Scottish Council for Development and Industry
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Dinner	Black Leadership Network
Monday, March 2, 2009	Announcement	Alcohol Framework Publishing
Tuesday, March 3, 2009	Formal Opening / Launch	Renal, Haematology and Oncology Services, Perth Royal Infirmary
	Interview	Radio 2
Wednesday, March 4, 2009	Meeting	NHS Orkney Chair
	Meeting	Scottish Cancer Coalition
Thursday, March 5, 2009	Interview	BBC 1 Breakfast
	Formal Opening	Joint Community Equipment Service

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Monday, March 9 2009	Formal Opening / Launch	Care Environment Inspectorate
	Formal Opening / Launch	Deans Pharmacy
	Meeting	Marketing Group on Nurses and Midwives
	Interview	BBC Scotland
Tuesday, March 10, 2009	Visit	Govan High School
	Meeting	Somerville Case
	Interview	Daily Record
Wednesday, March 11, 2009	Meeting	Stephen Timms MP
	Lunch	Joint Ministerial Committee
	Meeting	Joint Ministerial Committee,
Friday, March 13, 2009	Interview	Frontline Scotland
	Conference	Unity Family Services

Shona Robison MSP
Minister for Public Health

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Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Media Briefing	The Cooking Bus
Friday, January 09, 2009	Media Briefing	Dementia
Monday, January 12, 2009	Meeting	Queens Nursing Institute
	Meeting	Statutory Regulation of Alternative Medicine
Tuesday, January 13, 2009	Conference	Mental Health and Tobacco
	Meeting	Scottish Muscle Network
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Media Briefing	BBC Radio Aberdeen – Dentistry
Monday, January 19, 2009	Other	National Conversation Roadshow
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Meeting	Long Term Conditions Alliance Chief Executive
	Visit	Age Concern Helpline Centre
	Reception	Scottish Motor Neuron Society
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Media Briefing	Waiting times statistics
	Conference	National Carers Conference
Thursday, January 29, 2009	Media Briefing	Paths to Health Media event
Friday, January 30, 2009	Meeting	COSLA leaders meeting
Sunday, February 1, 2009	Other	Breathing Space Day
Monday, February 2, 2009	Visit	Sinforiani's Newsagency
	Meeting	COSLA
	Other	Mental Welfare Stakeholder Event
Tuesday, February 3, 2009	Conference	Male Survivors of Sexual Abuse
Wednesday, February 4, 2009	Reception	DebRa
Monday, February 9, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Launch of NHS Aroma Coffee Shops
	Media Briefing	Kingdom FM – Boozebusters event
	Other	LGBT History Month
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Other	Boozebusters Performance
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Meeting	British Geriatrics Society / Royal College of General Practitioners
	Meeting	Scottish Care
	Conference	Stonewall Scotland Workplace
Tuesday, February 17, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Neurosurgery Managed Service Network
	Visit	Sick Kids ward – Aberdeen Royal Infirmary
	Media Briefing	Northsound Radio - Alcohol
	Media Briefing	Original 106 Radio – Alcohol
Sunday, February 22, 2009	Media Briefing	Five Live Radio – Alcohol
Monday, February 23, 2009	Visit	Fife Health Living and Sensory Awareness Project
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Conference	Nation Physical Activity and Health Alliance Conference
	Meeting	Scottish Rugby Union
	Media Briefing	Kingdom FM - Alcohol
	Media Briefing	BBC Scotland – Alcohol
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Media Briefing	Good Morning Scotland – Elderly/Unpaid Carers
	Conference	Victoria and Albert
	Formal opening/Launch	Tobacco Sales Enforcement
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Meeting	Iain Gray MSP– Cockenzie Nursing Home

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Saturday, February 28 , 2009	Meeting	Cashback partners
Monday, March 2, 2009	Meeting	British Dental Association
	Meeting	Ministerial Steering Group on Community Care
Tuesday, March 3, 2009	Media Briefing	Kingdom FM - Wheelchair Action Plan
	Conference	Senscot
	Formal opening/Launch	Wheelchair Modernisation Action Plan
	Meeting	SportScotland
	Meeting	Scottish Association for Mental Health
Wednesday, March 4, 2009	Visit	Dubai - Rugby 7s World Cup
Thursday, March 5, 2009	Visit	Rugby 7s World Cup events
Friday, March 6, 2009	Visit	Rugby 7s World Cup events
Saturday, March 7, 2009	Visit	Rugby 7s World Cup events
Monday, March 9, 2009	Media Briefing	Borders Radio – Physical Activity Event
Tuesday, March 10, 2009	Other	Physical Activity - Lord Coe
Wednesday, March 11, 2009	Media Briefing	Cricket Funding
	Meeting	Health and Safety Executive
Thursday, March 12, 2009	Media Briefing	BBC Radio 4 – Commonwealth Games Legacy Funding
Friday, March 13, 2009	Reception	Women's' Centre 40 th Anniversary

Alex Neil MSP
Minister for Housing and Communities

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Monday, 23 February, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Citizens Advice Scotland CASH Event
Tuesday, 24 February, 2009	Meeting	National Group re. Violence Against Women
	Meeting	Jonathan Fair, Homes for Scotland
	Interview	Inside Housing Magazine
Thursday, 26 February, 2009	Meeting	Retties and the Noble Group
Friday, 27 February, 2009	Interview	BBC Radio Good Morning Scotland re. Home Reports
	Conference	Fuel Poverty Event
Monday, 2 March, 2009	Visit	Raploch and Irvine Bay Urban Regeneration Companies
	Formal Opening/Launch	Cordale Housing Association
Thursday, 5 March, 2009	Interview	Daily Record re. Energy Assistance Package
	Meeting	Scottish Gas
Monday, 9 March, 2009	Interview	Colin Mackay re Affordable Housing Investment Programme
Tuesday, 10 March, 2009	Conference	Chartered Institute of Housing Conference
	Interview	Central FM
	Meeting	Scottish Federation of Housing Associations
Wednesday, 11 March, 2009	Meeting	Mike Dailly, Govan Law Centre
	Meeting	CoSLA
	Interview	Holyrood Live interview re. Affordable Housing Investment Programme
Thursday, 12 March, 2009	Interview	BBC Scotland re. Migrant Workers

Stewart Maxwell MSP
Minister for Communities and Sport

Date of Engagement	Type of Engagement	Organisation/Individual Met With
Monday, 12 January, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Parents Guide to Money Event
Tuesday, 13 January, 2009	Meeting	Scottish Golf Union
	Meeting	Scottish Gas – Eddie Collier
	Reception	Scotland's Housing Expo: Highland Housing Fair
Thursday, 15 January, 2009	Meeting	Scottish Rugby Union Meeting re. Rugby World Cup
Friday, 16 January, 2009	Interview	BBC re. London 2012
	Visit	Scottish Short Course Swimming Championships
Saturday, 17 January, 2009	Dinner	Scottish Amateur Football Association Centenary Dinner
Monday, 19 January, 2009	Visit	Meetings with Western Isles Council in Stornoway
Tuesday, 20 January, 2009	Conference	Scottish Federation of Housing Associations Affordable Housing Investment Reform Conference
Friday, 23 January, 2009	Visit	Pension Service Visit
	Meeting	Urban Regeneration Companies
Sunday, 25 January, 2009		Celtic Connections Homecoming 2009 Event
Monday, 26 January, 2009	Meeting	CoSLA Quarterly Meeting
	Meeting	Law Society of Scotland
Tuesday, 27 January, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Community Regeneration and Tackling Poverty Launch Event
	Visit	Home Heat Helpline visit
	Reception	National Holocaust memorial Day Ceremony
Wednesday, 28 January, 2009	Reception	Ownership Options in Scotland Anniversary Event
Saturday, 31 January, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Opening of new St Mirren Park, Paisley
Wednesday, 4 February, 2009	Meeting	Glasgow Housing Association
	Dinner	Elizabeth Montgomery Appeal Dinner
Sunday, 8 February, 2009		Scotland v Wales Rugby International
Monday, 9 February, 2009	Interview	BBC Radio Good Morning Scotland re. Housing Association Grants
	Visit	Ladywood Leisure Centre

Richard Lochhead MSP
Cabinet Secretary for Rural Affairs and the Environment

Date of Engagement	Type of Engagement	Organisation/Individual Met With
Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Reception	Venison Working Group
Monday, January 12, 2009	Conference	Beef and Sheep Conference
	Visit	Grahams Dairy
Tuesday, January 13, 2009	Meeting	Scottish Tenant Farmers Association
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Interview	John Furlong of CBC Radio
Thursday, January 15, 2009	Interview	Public Servant Magazine
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Meeting	Chair - the Scottish Sea Fisheries Council
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Conference	Zero Waste
	Meeting	Clyde Fishermans Association
Monday, January 26, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Ground breaking ceremony to launch the building of a new facility
Wednesday, January 28, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Scottish Agricultural College
Thursday, January 29, 2009	Meeting	Inquiry into Fisheries Management
	Meeting	Programme Monitoring
Monday, February 02, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Dee Salmon Fishing Season
Tuesday, February 03, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Fishermans Protection Agencies
Wednesday, February 04, 2009	Meeting	Professor James Mitchell
Monday, February 09, 2009	Visit	Sutherland
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Announcement	New Harbour for Peterhead
	Meeting	Dairy Farmers of Scotland
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Conference	International Food and Drink Day
	Meeting	Jim McLaren
	Other	Scottish Country Alliance awards
	Dinner	Peter Cook
Thursday, February 12, 2009	Meeting	Quality Meat Scotland
	Meeting	Mcdonalds
	Meeting	Deer Farmers
Friday, February 20, 2009	Meeting	National Farmers Union of Scotland AGM
Monday, February 23, 2009	Other	Pre record for television coverage of the marine bill
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Visit	Craigmillar School
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Meeting	Shark Action Group
	Dinner	European Union agriculture committee
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Meeting	Fallen Stock Group
	Dinner	Lantra Land Based Learner of the Year Awards

**Roseanna Cunningham MSP content
Minister for Environment**

Date of Engagement	Type of Engagement	Organisation/Individual Met With
Thursday, February 12, 2009	Meeting	Meeting wood panel industry
Thursday, February 12, 2009	Meeting	Meeting with Tearfund
Wednesday, February 18, 2009	Conference	Wildlife Crime Conference
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Meeting	Meeting with National Farmers Union Scotland
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Meeting	Woodfuel Taskforce meeting
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Reception	Scottish Environment week reception
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Dinner	European Parliament Committee Dinner
Saturday, February 28, 2009	Conference	Scottish Raptor Study Groups annual Conference
Tuesday, March 03, 2009	Interview	Scottish Environmental Survey
Wednesday, March 04, 2009	Meeting with MSPs	Meeting with Robin Harper MSP
Wednesday, March 04, 2009	Meeting	Meeting with SAC advisory Group
Thursday, March 05, 2009	Visit	Visit ASDA recycling centre
Thursday, March 05, 2009	Meeting	PAW Executive meeting
Monday, March 09, 2009	Meeting	Rural Development Council meeting
Tuesday, March 10, 2009	Conference	Community Recycling at Zero Waste Scotland
Tuesday, March 10, 2009	Meeting	Meeting with Association of British Insurers
Tuesday, March 10, 2009	Meeting	Meeting to Discuss ISA
Thursday, March 12, 2009	Meeting	Meeting with the John Muir Trust

**Kenny MacAskill MSP
Cabinet Secretary for Justice**

Date of Engagement	Type of Engagement	Organisation/Individual Met With
Wednesday, January 07, 2009	Interview	Holyrood Live
Thursday, January 08, 2009	Meeting	Alan Burnett & Willie Bald
	Meeting	Peter Fahy, Director and Chief Constable of Greater Manchester Police
Friday, January 09, 2009	Visit	Celtic Park
Monday, January 12, 2009	Meeting	Vic Emery
	Meeting	Community Justice Authority Conveners
Wednesday, January 14, 2009	Interview	Mike Howie - Scotsman
	Reception	Russian New Year
Thursday, January 15, 2009	Meeting	Lorna Jack , Law Society Chief Executive
	Meeting	Mr & Mrs Bell
	Interview	Sunday Mail
Friday, January 16, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	University of Abertay
Monday, January 19, 2009	Interview	Extreme Porn
	Meeting	Serious and Organised Crime Taskforce
	Meeting	Susan Matheson -SACRO
	Meeting	National Advisory Board on Offender Management
	Other	National Conversation
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Conference	Rape Crisis Scotland Conference on Extreme Porn
Friday, January 23, 2009	Other	St Andrews Society Toronto Burns Supper
Saturday, January 24, 2009	Other	Digby Board of Trade - Burns Supper
Sunday, January 25, 2009	Other	Salute to Robert Burns, Scots Society, Digby
	Interview	Seaside Radio
	Other	Scots Society Annual Burns Supper
Monday, January 26, 2009	Meeting	Deputy Premier of Nova Scotia Angus MacLssac
	Meeting	Speaker of Nova Scotia House of Assembly Alfie MacLeod
	Meeting	Attorney General of Nova Scotia Cecil Clarke
	Meeting	Diaspora Talk
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Interview	Colin McKay
Wednesday, January 28, 2009	Conference	Serious Organised Crime
	Photo Opportunity	Street (Cage) Football Cashback for Communities
	Formal Opening/Launch	East Ayrshire Risk Management Centre
Friday, January 30, 2009	Meeting	Cosla
Monday, February 02, 2009	Meeting	Scottish Whisky Association
Wednesday, February 04, 2009	Meeting	Dr Andrew McLellan
Thursday, February 05, 2009	Meeting	Dean of Faculty
Saturday, February 07, 2009	Visit	Glasgow Licensing Board
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Meeting	Cllrs Kay & Grant
	Conference	Skills for Justice

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	Interview	Andrew Johnston - Holyrood Highlights
	Interview	Radio 4
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Meeting	Bill Aitken MSP Criminal Justice & Licensing Bill
	Meeting	Ann McKechin, Bridget Prentice, Bob Ainsworth,
	Meeting	Scottish Taxi Federation
Thursday, February 12, 2009	Meeting	Isabel Hutton - COSLA
	Other	Film Screening
	Reception	Economic Education & Research Consortium /Czech Presidency
Friday, February 13, 2009	Meeting	CC McKerracher
	Visit	Broxburn Utd F.C.
Sunday, February 15, 2009	Other	Jump2It Basketball Finals
Monday, February 16, 2009	Visit	Smithstone House Community Service Placement
	Meeting	South Ayrshire Licensing Board
	Lunch	Sheriff Principal - Ayr
	Visit	What can I Doo? - Cashback Project
	Meeting	Criminal Justice Authority Chief Officer & Convener
Thursday, February 19, 2009	Visit	Apex Offices
	Visit	Community Service Scheme
	Lunch	Fiscals Inverness
	Visit	National Intelligence Model Co-ordination Unit
	Meeting	CC Latimer
	Meeting	Eastern European Community
Friday, February 20, 2009	Conference	Victim Support Conference
	Visit	Sikorski Polish Club
	Meeting	Scottish Business in the Community & Sodexo
	Visit	Scottish Police Services Authority Forensic Laboratory
	Dinner	Royal Faculty of Procurators Dinner
Monday, February 23, 2009	Press Launch	West Edinburgh Community Resilience Week
	Meeting	Scottish Legal Aid Board
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Meeting	Custodial Sentences and Weapons (Scotland) Act
Friday, February 27, 2009	Visit	Cashback Basket Ball, Portobello and Pilton
Saturday, February 28, 2009	Conference	Sheriffdom Training
	Meeting and visit	Cashback meeting and Scotland v Italy , Murrayfield

Fergus Ewing MSP
Minister for Community Safety

Date of Engagement	Type of Engagement	Organisation/Individual Met With
Tuesday, January 06, 2009	Meeting	Association of British Insurers
Tuesday, January 13, 2009	Conference	MacKay Hannah debt
	Visit	Second Chance Project
	Meeting	Scottish Interfaith Council
Tuesday, January 20, 2009	Announcement	Drugs - Aberdeen
Wednesday, January 21, 2009	Meeting	Debt Action Forum
Friday, January 23, 2009	Other	Knife Crime Debate
Saturday, January 24, 2009	Other	Highland Hospice Burns Supper
Monday, January 26, 2009	Meeting	Meeting Rabbi Awraham Soetendorp
Tuesday, January 27, 2009	Interview	Drug addicts and benefits radio interview
	Other	Holocaust Play
Wednesday, January 28, 2009	Meeting	Clydeside Action on Asbestos
	Reception	Association of British Insurers
Friday, January 30, 2009	Meeting	COSLA Leaders Anti Social Behaviour review
Wednesday, February 04, 2009	Conference	C4 Fire Conference
Thursday, February 05, 2009	Meeting	Dean of the Faculty of Advocates
Monday, February 09, 2009	Formal Opening/Launch	Westport Business Park in Paisley
Tuesday, February 10, 2009	Meeting	Alcohol and Drug Action Team Chair Meeting
Wednesday, February 11, 2009	Meeting	Part 3 of the Bankruptcy & Diligence Scotland Act
	Meeting	Debt Action Forum
Monday, February 23, 2009	Meeting	Boards of the Secure Units
Tuesday, February 24, 2009	Meeting	Volunteering Opportunities in Criminal Justice System
Wednesday, February 25, 2009	Meeting	Community Pharmacies Alex MacKinnon
	Meeting	Penicuik Crime Prevention Panel
Thursday, February 26, 2009	Reception	Fire Brigades Union
Friday, February 27, 2009	Meeting	Fairtrade Business Breakfast
	Meeting	Cashback Rugby