

## **Communities Minister drives safety with £187,000 motorsports investment**

Communities Minister Gordon Lyons has announced funding of £187,000 to enable the motorsports sector to benefit from health and safety equipment.

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## **Education Minister announces dedicated support arrangements for controlled schools**

In September 2024, the Education Minister announced a Taskforce to identify solutions to better support the Controlled Schools sector. The Taskforce was chaired by Mr Mark Baker, Chief Executive of the Controlled Schools' Support Council (CSSC) and it comprised of senior representatives from the Education Authority (EA) and the Department of Education.

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## **Third phase of Women's Community Programme open for applications**

Communities Minister Gordon Lyons has announced that his department's Developing Women in the Community Programme Phase Three is now open for applications.

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## **O'Dowd reflects on his first year as Infrastructure Minister**

John O'Dowd has reflected on his first year as Infrastructure Minister.

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## **Justice Minister reflects on past year**

On the anniversary of the restoration of the NI Assembly and Executive, Justice Minister Naomi Long has reflected on achievements this year.