

Appointment announcement to the Historic Monuments Council

Communities Minister Gordon Lyons has announced the appointment of Mr John Anderson as a Member of the Historic Monuments Council (HMC).

Warning issued over counterfeit toys this Christmas

Trading Standards Service (TSS) has recently seized over £22,000 worth of fake toys, including Labubu dolls, K Pop Demon Hunters merchandise, Lego figures and Disney's Lilo & Stitch products.

Statement on Nazareth House Primary School

Education Minister Paul Givan has set out plans to allow pupils of Nazareth House Primary School to return to face-to-face learning from 7 January 2026.

Prof Ian Young to step down as DoH Chief Scientific Adviser

Department of Health Permanent Secretary Mike Farrar has paid tribute to Professor Ian Young, who is stepping down as the Department's Chief Scientific Adviser.

New suspected case of Bluetongue virus under investigation 11/12/25

DAERA has announced the emergence of two more suspected Bluetongue cases on a third Co Down farm.