

LIVE ELECTIONS MAY 2012

Declaration of Results

Ward 05 - Ardrossan and Arran

04/05/2012

I declare that the result of the election in the Ward 05 - Ardrossan and Arran is as follows.

There are 4 councillors to be elected.

The percentage poll was 40.88%. There were 5590 valid papers and 106 rejected papers.

The quota of votes for a candidate to be elected is 1119.

The first preference votes received by each of the candidates and the stage at which any candidate was elected is as:

Name of Candidate	Number of First Preference Votes	Stage at which candidate has been elected
Gordon Niven ALLISON	221	
John BRUCE	837	8
Loretta GARDNER	659	
Tony GURNEY	982	8
Marc A HEAD	588	
John HUNTER	792	6
Campbell MARTIN	235	
Peter MCNAMARA	721	8
Nick SMITH	64	
David TATE	491	

Of the total ballot papers, the following were rejected as void and not counted on account of:

Adjudication Reject Reason	Number
Which does not bear a unique identifying mark in a form that is capable of being read by electronic means;	0
On which the figure "1" standing alone is not placed so as to indicate a first preference for some candidate	9
On which the figure "1" standing alone indicating a first preference is set opposite the name of more than one candidate	21
On which anything is written or marked by which the voter can be identified except the printed number and other unique identifying mark on the back	0
Which is unmarked or void for uncertainty	76
Total number of ballot papers rejected	106

Signature
Returning Officer

Date

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 Preference Summary Report
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Total Number of Valid Ballots	5590
Quota	1119
Percentage Turnout	40.88

Candidate Name	Number of 1st preference votes for each candidate	Number of 2nd preference votes for each candidate	Number of 3rd preference votes for each candidate	Number of 4th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 5th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 6th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 7th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 8th preference votes for each candidate
Gordon Niven ALLISON	221	192	244	131	63	35	35	26
John BRUCE	837	1021	273	127	48	18	21	14
Loretta GARDNER	659	691	341	170	42	36	21	22
Tony GURNEY	982	905	433	112	46	21	18	10
Marc A HEAD	588	259	371	154	85	61	39	18
John HUNTER	792	473	479	193	77	53	29	22
Campbell MARTIN	235	220	338	113	55	36	38	44
Peter MCNAMARA	721	727	353	185	68	24	20	22
Nick SMITH	64	134	158	117	62	53	37	32
David TATE	491	250	229	104	38	25	23	35

Number of 9th preference votes for each candidate	Number of 10th preference votes for each candidate
22	26
22	18
17	6
21	23
15	9
8	5
18	27
14	24
49	13
37	62

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Transfers Report

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Valid Ballots	5590
Positions to be Filled	4
Quota	1119

Stage 1	First Preferences
Gordon Niven ALLISON	221
John BRUCE	837
Loretta GARDNER	659
Tony GURNEY	982
Marc A HEAD	588
John HUNTER	792
Campbell MARTIN	235
Peter MCNAMARA	721
Nick SMITH	64
David TATE	491

Stage 2 - Exclusion of Nick SMITH

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to Gordon Niven ALLISON	6	1	6
Transfer to John BRUCE	4	1	4
Transfer to Loretta GARDNER	8	1	8
Transfer to Tony GURNEY	4	1	4
Transfer to Marc A HEAD	7	1	7
Transfer to John HUNTER	4	1	4
Transfer to Campbell MARTIN	2	1	2
Transfer to Peter MCNAMARA	9	1	9
Transfer to David TATE	16	1	16
Non-transferables	4		

Stage 3 - Exclusion of Gordon Niven ALLISON

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to John BRUCE	27	1	27
Transfer to Loretta GARDNER	25	1	25
Transfer to Tony GURNEY	12	1	12
Transfer to Marc A HEAD	14	1	14
Transfer to John HUNTER	37	1	37
Transfer to Campbell MARTIN	13	1	13
Transfer to Peter MCNAMARA	8	1	8
Transfer to David TATE	44	1	44
Non-transferables	47		

Stage 4 - Exclusion of Campbell MARTIN

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to John BRUCE	21	1	21
Transfer to Loretta GARDNER	28	1	28
Transfer to Tony GURNEY	35	1	35
Transfer to Marc A HEAD	11	1	11
Transfer to John HUNTER	62	1	62
Transfer to Peter MCNAMARA	32	1	32
Transfer to David TATE	10	1	10
Non-transferables	51		

Stage 5 - Exclusion of David TATE

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to John BRUCE	29	1	29
Transfer to Loretta GARDNER	30	1	30
Transfer to Tony GURNEY	15	1	15
Transfer to Marc A HEAD	94	1	94
Transfer to John HUNTER	130	1	130
Transfer to Peter MCNAMARA	42	1	42
Non-transferables	221		

Stage 6 - Exclusion of Marc A HEAD

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to John BRUCE	191	1	191
Transfer to Loretta GARDNER	43	1	43
Transfer to Tony GURNEY	33	1	33
Transfer to John HUNTER	166	1	166
Transfer to Peter MCNAMARA	59	1	59
Non-transferables	222		

Stage 7 - Surplus of John HUNTER

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to John BRUCE	70	0.06045	4.2315
Transfer to Loretta GARDNER	94	0.06045	5.6823
Transfer to Tony GURNEY	233	0.06045	14.08485
Transfer to Peter MCNAMARA	178	0.06045	10.7601
Non-transferables	37.24125		

Stage 8 - Exclusion of Loretta GARDNER

Action	Total Votes	Transfer Weight	Transfer Value
Transfer to John BRUCE	3	0.06045	0.18135
Transfer to John BRUCE	44	1	44
Transfer to Tony GURNEY	14	0.06045	0.8463
Transfer to Tony GURNEY	54	1	54
Transfer to Peter MCNAMARA	30	0.06045	1.8135
Transfer to Peter MCNAMARA	531	1	531
Non-transferables	166.84115		

Scottish Local Government Elections 2012: Publishing Voting Information

In compliance with Rule 61 of the Scottish Local Election Rules the Returning Officer is required to publish within one week of the declaration of the results of the poll information detailing:

- the number of first and subsequent preferences for each candidate at each polling station; and
- information for all postal ballots cast in a ward combined as if cast at a further polling station in that ward.

The relevant ward polling scheme has been adapted to assist in identification of polling station/ballot box and to provide further combination information.

Maintaining confidentiality

To ensure that an individual's voter preferences cannot be identified, it has been necessary to aggregate the data where the number of votes cast in a polling station is less than 200. Where aggregation has been necessary this has been identified in the accompanying data. In combining polling station results the returning officer has adopted the following criteria recommended by the Electoral Management Board for Scotland, which includes:

- wherever possible votes from the same polling place, have been combined with another station at the same polling place;
- combining single polling stations that are close geographically, particularly in rural areas, including combining villages with villages;
- no polling place data has been combined with that from another ward combined manually entered votes have been combined with the final box for the Ward; and
- all postal votes for the ward are combined as one ballot box.

Data from E-counting System

The data from the E-counting system provides the number of ballot papers that were counted electronically, including any that were entered manually rather than scanned.

Use of Data

In releasing the data, the Returning Officer is making it freely available for public use. It is not subject to copyright and material may be re-used provided that it is acknowledged, not used in a misleading way and is reproduced accurately. The Returning Officer does not accept responsibility for any alteration or manipulation of the data once released.

Contact Details

If there are any queries or comments on the data provided, please contact Martyn McKeown, Election Manager on 01294 324130 or elections@north-ayrshire.gov.uk.

Ward	Polling Place	Polling District	Station Number	Ballot Box Ref	Street Splits	Notes on Combination
5	St Peter's Primary School	N501	1	STO62	Afton Place to Laird Weir	
5		N501	2	STO63	Lawson Drive to White Craig Road	
5		N506	3	STO64	Ardneil Court to South Isle Road	
5	Whitlees Community Centre	N502	1	STO65	Ailsa Gardens to MacDowall Place	Combined with STO66
5		N502	2	STO66	McKellar Avenue to Whitlees Crescent	Combined with STO65
5	St Anthony's Primary School	N503	1	STO67	Greenacres to Dykesmains Road	
5		N503	2	STO68	High Road to Three Sisters Court	
5	Ardrossan Civic Centre	N504	1	STO69	Barr Street to Moonlight Place	
5		N504	2	STO70	North Crescent to Young Street and Other Electors	
5		N505			Anderson Terrace to Kilmeny Terrace	
5		N505	3	STO71	Park Road to Caledonia Road	
5		N507			Aitken Place to Witches Linn	
5	Corrie and Sannox Hall	N508	1	STO72	North Sannox to Springwell	Combined with STO73
5	Shiskine Hall	N509	1	STO73	Bailemargaidh to Woodside	Combined with STO72
5	Brodick Hall	N510	1	STO74	Alma Park to West Mayish	
5	Lamlash Primary School	N511	1	STO75	Arranton to Whiterock	
5	Whiting Bay Hall	N512	1	STO76	Holy Isle to Whiting Bay	
5	Kilmory Hall	N513	1	STO77	Dippin to Whitefield	Combined with STO78
5	Lochranza Village Hall	N515	1	STO78	Balarie to The Row Catacol	Combined with STO77
		N514			Bein Bharrain Terrace to Woodside	

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First Preference By Ballot Box Report

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Numbers of Preferences allocated to each Candidate

BOX ST062	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	16	6	14	5	1	1	0	0	0	0
John BRUCE	22	47	16	3	2	1	0	0	0	1
Loretta GARDNER	24	32	11	6	3	2	0	0	0	0
Tony GURNEY	53	31	11	8	1	1	1	0	1	0
Marc A HEAD	2	2	4	5	0	0	4	0	0	2
John HUNTER	29	18	15	5	2	0	0	3	1	0
Campbell MARTIN	18	13	13	2	1	0	0	2	1	1
Peter MCNAMARA	37	27	11	5	6	1	0	1	0	0
Nick SMITH	1	0	2	2	0	4	0	0	3	0
David TATE	17	6	4	2	1	0	3	1	0	1
BOX ST063	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	21	8	11	6	1	3	1	0	2	1
John BRUCE	23	38	15	0	1	1	0	0	1	2
Loretta GARDNER	24	33	13	7	1	0	2	1	0	0
Tony GURNEY	47	36	12	1	1	0	0	1	1	1
Marc A HEAD	2	3	4	6	3	2	1	1	0	1
John HUNTER	52	17	18	4	1	2	0	0	1	0
Campbell MARTIN	18	16	22	3	3	3	0	2	0	0
Peter MCNAMARA	29	32	18	7	3	1	2	0	0	0
Nick SMITH	0	2	4	1	5	1	3	1	1	0
David TATE	3	6	5	5	1	0	1	3	1	2
BOX ST064	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	23	14	15	12	5	3	2	1	1	1
John BRUCE	16	89	17	8	2	0	2	4	3	1
Loretta GARDNER	46	63	21	10	3	1	1	2	4	1
Tony GURNEY	99	42	37	7	2	0	5	1	0	3
Marc A HEAD	0	4	7	9	6	8	2	1	2	1
John HUNTER	68	34	34	9	4	4	2	1	0	0
Campbell MARTIN	31	24	46	10	3	1	1	2	0	1
Peter MCNAMARA	84	49	20	11	3	0	1	0	2	5
Nick SMITH	4	9	12	9	5	4	4	3	3	0

David TATE	35	18	26	4	3	2	1	4	3	4
BOX ST065 & STO66	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	22	14	18	7	3	2	4	3	0	2
John BRUCE	22	55	18	15	4	2	1	0	1	0
Loretta GARDNER	75	54	22	12	3	0	2	2	0	0
Tony GURNEY	70	37	29	6	3	2	0	0	0	1
Marc A HEAD	1	4	4	8	6	7	5	0	3	0
John HUNTER	86	41	31	9	2	4	2	1	0	2
Campbell MARTIN	40	27	27	9	0	1	2	5	0	2
Peter MCNAMARA	45	71	32	14	6	1	0	1	0	1
Nick SMITH	1	8	4	2	2	4	1	3	4	2
David TATE	20	8	17	5	3	1	3	1	6	3
BOX ST067	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	0	7	11	7	0	0	2	0	0	1
John BRUCE	16	48	8	8	3	2	0	0	1	0
Loretta GARDNER	38	43	18	5	2	0	0	1	0	0
Tony GURNEY	61	31	15	6	3	0	0	0	0	1
Marc A HEAD	1	8	4	6	3	1	0	0	1	0
John HUNTER	61	13	35	4	5	2	0	0	0	1
Campbell MARTIN	8	5	20	6	0	1	1	0	0	0
Peter MCNAMARA	49	42	7	10	2	0	1	1	0	0
Nick SMITH	3	3	3	6	3	4	0	2	1	0
David TATE	10	11	11	9	2	1	2	0	1	1
BOX ST068	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	5	10	15	6	4	4	0	0	1	1
John BRUCE	28	46	16	4	8	0	0	2	1	2
Loretta GARDNER	21	49	11	10	0	5	2	2	0	1
Tony GURNEY	60	38	19	9	1	2	0	1	3	1
Marc A HEAD	0	7	9	9	6	4	4	1	1	0
John HUNTER	66	29	29	9	8	0	4	1	0	0
Campbell MARTIN	6	12	9	9	5	4	1	2	1	1
Peter MCNAMARA	59	34	19	8	1	1	0	2	0	2
Nick SMITH	4	7	13	6	5	4	3	1	4	0
David TATE	30	11	12	2	4	2	1	2	2	4
BOX ST069	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	10	7	20	13	4	2	1	0	5	3
John BRUCE	23	66	11	13	6	2	0	3	0	2
Loretta GARDNER	38	35	32	6	1	1	2	2	0	0
Tony GURNEY	82	37	20	10	3	2	2	0	3	1
Marc A HEAD	1	6	10	8	6	3	4	2	1	1
John HUNTER	57	35	36	7	6	3	1	1	3	0
Campbell MARTIN	11	19	32	6	3	2	5	2	2	4
Peter MCNAMARA	52	46	21	14	0	1	0	1	0	1
Nick SMITH	2	3	5	8	3	5	3	2	4	1
David TATE	15	11	8	5	4	1	1	6	1	3
BOX ST070	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	23	8	14	4	6	3	4	3	2	1

John BRUCE	31	72	21	12	6	1	2	0	4	0
Loretta GARDNER	38	48	22	13	1	2	0	3	1	0
Tony GURNEY	78	42	32	5	4	1	0	0	0	4
Marc A HEAD	0	8	14	11	1	3	5	1	1	0
John HUNTER	79	30	29	9	6	4	3	2	0	0
Campbell MARTIN	15	22	24	9	6	5	0	2	0	3
Peter MCNAMARA	50	42	21	12	5	1	0	3	1	1
Nick SMITH	2	4	9	5	3	3	5	1	3	2
David TATE	20	19	11	12	2	1	3	3	4	4
BOX ST071	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	18	14	15	6	6	1	0	1	2	1
John BRUCE	25	93	23	8	1	2	2	0	0	1
Loretta GARDNER	47	31	27	7	2	0	4	2	1	1
Tony GURNEY	111	50	21	6	4	0	2	2	1	0
Marc A HEAD	1	7	7	10	5	5	0	1	1	1
John HUNTER	94	56	45	6	1	2	0	1	1	0
Campbell MARTIN	18	19	22	9	4	0	4	0	1	2
Peter MCNAMARA	44	50	27	13	0	1	2	1	3	2
Nick SMITH	1	6	6	4	4	4	0	1	1	1
David TATE	31	19	17	4	2	2	0	2	0	2
BOX ST072 ST073	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	6	4	5	8	3	1	5	0	0	4
John BRUCE	90	45	15	2	1	1	1	1	0	0
Loretta GARDNER	24	19	25	13	3	3	1	0	1	1
Tony GURNEY	11	78	22	10	4	1	1	0	1	0
Marc A HEAD	88	22	40	13	4	1	2	0	0	1
John HUNTER	5	14	15	11	2	9	0	2	0	0
Campbell MARTIN	6	3	14	4	4	2	3	5	1	1
Peter MCNAMARA	20	40	15	13	2	1	1	2	1	1
Nick SMITH	2	12	10	8	4	0	2	2	5	0
David TATE	36	16	13	7	3	1	0	2	4	4
BOX ST074	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	11	8	20	8	3	1	1	3	0	0
John BRUCE	106	48	18	6	3	1	2	0	2	1
Loretta GARDNER	36	52	15	10	5	1	1	2	0	0
Tony GURNEY	15	90	29	8	2	1	1	0	1	3
Marc A HEAD	86	22	52	9	6	1	1	0	0	1
John HUNTER	16	18	19	22	4	5	0	0	1	0
Campbell MARTIN	8	9	6	7	1	1	4	0	2	1
Peter MCNAMARA	41	39	22	11	4	2	0	0	0	1
Nick SMITH	7	11	18	13	2	1	1	0	1	1
David TATE	29	19	15	5	4	0	0	3	1	0
BOX ST075	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	6	9	11	2	8	1	1	1	2	3
John BRUCE	94	42	8	6	5	0	0	1	1	0
Loretta GARDNER	18	12	18	11	3	4	1	0	3	0
Tony GURNEY	11	83	18	6	0	1	2	0	0	1

Marc A HEAD	69	26	38	12	6	4	1	2	0	0
John HUNTER	7	14	14	13	3	3	1	3	1	0
Campbell MARTIN	9	5	16	6	1	1	3	1	3	1
Peter MCNAMARA	10	26	20	7	6	3	2	3	0	1
Nick SMITH	5	15	17	9	2	2	3	1	2	1
David TATE	49	9	11	9	0	2	0	1	0	5
BOX ST076	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	3	12	10	8	0	2	3	1	0	0
John BRUCE	75	31	19	3	0	1	0	0	2	3
Loretta GARDNER	10	14	20	7	1	1	0	1	1	0
Tony GURNEY	10	62	28	6	1	1	0	0	3	2
Marc A HEAD	110	32	31	4	6	0	0	0	0	0
John HUNTER	4	21	13	12	3	1	1	1	0	0
Campbell MARTIN	3	5	5	5	2	2	1	2	1	1
Peter MCNAMARA	6	15	15	8	6	2	1	1	0	0
Nick SMITH	5	13	4	5	4	3	1	2	0	0
David TATE	20	16	10	3	0	1	1	0	0	1
BOX ST077 & ST078	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	15	6	12	3	2	1	0	1	1	3
John BRUCE	76	44	9	9	1	1	0	1	0	1
Loretta GARDNER	15	21	16	5	2	3	0	1	1	0
Tony GURNEY	18	56	28	4	5	1	0	0	2	0
Marc A HEAD	97	30	34	6	3	2	0	0	1	0
John HUNTER	5	21	15	9	3	3	2	1	0	0
Campbell MARTIN	3	2	14	3	6	1	2	1	2	0
Peter MCNAMARA	8	27	18	10	3	2	2	1	0	1
Nick SMITH	4	5	7	9	3	4	3	1	1	0
David TATE	30	17	12	4	1	0	2	1	0	3
BOX Postals	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Gordon Niven ALLISON	42	65	53	36	17	10	11	12	6	5
John BRUCE	190	257	59	30	5	3	11	2	6	4
Loretta GARDNER	205	185	70	48	12	13	5	3	5	2
Tony GURNEY	256	192	112	20	12	8	4	5	5	5
Marc A HEAD	130	78	113	38	24	20	10	9	4	1
John HUNTER	163	112	131	64	27	11	13	5	0	2
Campbell MARTIN	41	39	68	25	16	12	11	18	4	9
Peter MCNAMARA	187	187	87	42	21	7	8	5	7	8
Nick SMITH	23	36	44	30	17	10	8	12	16	5
David TATE	146	64	57	28	8	11	5	6	14	25

NB The STV election results cannot be calculated from these numbers.