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## Changes for Perth's favourite paper...

The copy deadlines for the Perthshire Advertiser are changing with immediate effect.

Although the region's favourite local newspaper will still be published on Tuesdays and Fridays, it will be printed earlier the day before as of week commencing January 15.

For the Tuesday edition, contributors are requested to submit entries by noon on the Friday of the previous week to ensure the best possible chance of publication.

For the Friday edition - which features our comprehensive Club News and District News sections - all submissions must be received by 1pm the previous Wednesday.

We've always been the best-read local newspaper, packed full of informative, entertaining and ground-breaking stories - and that won't change.

Neither will our commitment to bring you exclusives, to continue to tackle the issues that matter most to our communities, hold those in power to account, stick up for local people and celebrate all that is great about this area.



## IT'S SO ICE TO SEE YOU

Royal Caledonian curlers' big welcome for Canadian rivals

A competition described as the "pinnacle of club curling" slides into action in Perth this weekend.

Ten touring teams from Canada will compete against local players and other Scottish rinks for the prestigious Strathcona Cup. The competition alternates

between Canada and Scotland every five years and was last staged in the Fair City in 2008.

George Delgaty (pictured) - of the Perth-based Royal Caledonian Curling Club - describes his pride at hosting the showpiece on page 44 of today's PA.

### BATTLE CRY

# ROAD PLAN JACOBIBITES OBJECTORS

## Fears major A9 revamp will 'destroy' heritage site

Melanie Bonn

Community councillors have voted unanimously to object to proposed alterations on a section of the A9 amid fears a historic Jacobite battlefield site would be obliterated.

Killiecrankie Community Council met on Monday night to discuss the finalised route of the soon-to-be widened A9 trunk road from Perth to Inverness, specifically a one-mile stretch of the 13-mile section from Killiecrankie to Glen Garry.

It is claimed the earth work would "totally destroy the topography" of the historic Killiecrankie battlefield, a place of international significance.

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