

Scottish 
Liberal Democrats

AUTUMN CONFERENCE
EDINBURGH - 10 OCTOBER 2026

CHARITY BROCHURE



Welcome

Thank you for considering attending our Spring conference in Edinburgh on Saturday 10th October 2026.

We take pride in providing a first class experience to all of our bookings. Each of our parliamentarians take considerable time out of their day to attend events, and visit the exhibition stands, giving you an opportunity to speak to them and party members about your cause or organisation and gain support.

This brochure will help you take up one of our opportunities to put your organisation at the heart of our conference.

- Hosting a fringe meeting
- Hosting a stand in our exhibition area
- Advertising in our conference directory
- Attending as an observer

For more information on any of these opportunities, or for a booking form, please contact
conference@scotlibdems.org.uk

Our deadlines for fringe events, exhibition bookings or advertising is 21st September; and observer passes can be obtained up to Conference itself.

For smaller charities, we may be able to accommodate reduced rates. To discuss these with us, please contact Susannah on the email address provided above.

Hosting a fringe meeting

Starting cost: £1200+VAT

A fringe meeting is a very effective way to get your message across to a wide range of delegates. Our fringe meetings are always well attended and you can be sure of a lively debate. The choice of topic is yours and you can be as flexible as you like on how you structure the meeting.

All fringe rooms are within the conference venue so there will be no need for delegates to leave the vicinity of the main venue to find your event. Rooms will be set out in theatre style.

Fringe meetings last 55 minutes and will take place during the lunch break.

Your fringe booking will include:

- 3 Observer Passes
- 3 copies of our Conference Agenda
- A 150 word listing in the Conference Agenda including details of the topic of discussion and speakers

Please note, booking this event DOES NOT include catering for delegates. As this event is during the lunch break, this is an important incentive to have as many delegates involved in the event as possible, so is highly recommended.

Please state when booking if you would like catering, and

contact details for the venue can be forwarded. There is also very limited availability for fringe events, so please do book asap to avoid disappointment.

Hosting an exhibition stand

Cost: £740+VAT

Hosting an exhibition stand provides you with the opportunity to engage firsthand with our delegates.

We have an upstanding reputation that our MPs, MSPs, councillors and members spend a substantial amount of time during the day talking to organisations at our exhibitions; be assured that this will allow you to create connections within our party and make useful contacts during your time at our conference.

All stands are on a space-only basis. Any additional space is available by request, please get in contact with our conference team to discuss any requirements.

Exhibition spaces are open from 9:30 on the day of our conference.

An Exhibition booking will include:

- A table and two chairs
- 3 Observer Passes
- 3 copies of the Conference Agenda
- An Exhibitor Listing in our Conference Agenda including:
 - Your organisation's logo
 - A 50 word description

Advertising at conference

Every member who attends conference will receive a copy of the Conference Agenda - a crucial document for them to get the most out of their conference.

We can offer opportunities to advertise your organisation whether you are attending conference or not. Please get in touch to find out about what we can offer from full page adverts in the agenda to advertising on screen in the main hall.

Attending as an observer

Cost: £150+VAT

Every year, we are delighted to welcome observers from a wide range of sectors including business representatives, academics, diplomats and lobbyists.

As an observer, you will be free to attend debates in our main conference hall, browse our exhibitions, get involved in fringe meetings and speak to our many MPs, MSPs, councillors and members.

Our observer package includes:

- An observer Pass
- A copy of our conference agenda
- Access to debates and lunchtime events



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