



Court Duty Plans: Kilmarnock Sheriff & East Ayrshire JP Court

The Criminal Legal Aid (Scotland) Regulations 1996

3 APRIL 2026 – 2 OCTOBER 2026

Amended 20/4/26

Period (Friday – Friday)	Duty firm
3/4 – 10/4	PDSO
10/4 – 17/4	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
17/4 – 24/4	Neil F McPherson
24/4 – 1/5	PDSO
1/5 – 8/5	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
8/5 – 15/5	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
15/5 – 22/5	PDSO
22/5 – 29/5	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
29/5 – 5/6	James Irvine
5/6 – 12/6	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
12/6 – 19/6	Murray Solicitors & Notaries
19/6 – 26/6	PDSO
26/6 – 3/7	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
3/7 – 10/7	Neil F McPherson
10/7 – 17/7	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
17/7 – 24/7	PDSO
24/7 – 31/7	Mackintosh & Wylie
31/7 – 7/8	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
7/8 – 14/8	PDSO
14/8 – 21/8	James Irvine
21/8 – 28/8	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
28/8 – 4/9	PDSO
4/9 – 11/9	Murray Solicitors & Notaries
11/9 – 18/9	Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors
18/9 – 25/9	PDSO
25/9 – 2/10	Neil F McPherson

Note: The alternate solicitor is the next succeeding firm.

Alphabetical list of firms registered for Kilmarnock Court Duty

Firm	Address	Business telephone	Solicitors
Douglas Wright incorporating Allan Kerr Solicitors	13 Grange Place Kilmarnock, KA1 2AB 20 Chapelwell Street, Saltcoats, KA21 5EA	01563 571571 01563 532177	Gillian Swanney, Alexander Currie, Scott McLatchie, Brian Holliman.
James Irvine	57 High Street, Irvine KA12 0AL	01294 276116	Peter Murray.
Mackintosh & Wylie	Suite 4, Room 1, Caledonian House, 100 High Street, Irvine, KA12 0AX	01294 311422	Jack Blades (from July 2026)
Murray Solicitors & Notaries	5 St Marnock Street, Kilmarnock, KA1 1DZ	07719 043747	Roselyn Gallen.
Neil F McPherson	87B John Finnie Street, Kilmarnock, KA1 1BG	01563 535363	Paul Gallagher.
PDSO	17 Wellington Square Ayr, KA7 1EZ	01292 269139	