

## Chairs Report

**Period of Report – 16 June to 24 October 2022**

### Meetings

5 <sup>th</sup> July	Professor Mary Brennan, Scottish Food Coalition and University of Edinburgh
8 <sup>th</sup> July	Caroline Lamb, Director General Health and Social Care
29 <sup>th</sup> July	Kate Rowell, Chair, QMS
1 <sup>st</sup> August	Diedre Brock, MP, SNP Spokesperson on Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
9 <sup>th</sup> August	Joint meeting with FSA Chair Chief Executive, with Geoff Ogle
17 <sup>th</sup> August	Morrisons
22 <sup>nd</sup> August	Meeting with SG officials, Food Law Enforcement and Local Authorities
3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Cleland Sneddon, Chair of SOLACE (Society of Local Authority Chief Executives) Food Group
4 <sup>th</sup> October	Professor Mary Brennan, Scottish Food Coalition and University of Edinburgh
19 <sup>th</sup> October	Lucinda Bruce-Gardyne, Chair, Scotland Food and Drink
24 <sup>th</sup> October	Sainsbury's, Healthy and Sustainable Diets and Government Affairs Teams

### Events/Conferences

23-24 <sup>th</sup> June	Royal Highland Show Meetings with retailers -: M&S, Lidl, Aldi, ASDA Introductions to Research Institutes: Rowett Research Institute, James Hutton Institute, Moredun Institute Met several MPs and MSPs
30 <sup>th</sup> June	Launch of Joint Food Standards Report, Westminster, with FSA
12 <sup>th</sup> September	Service of Reflection and Thanksgiving for The Life of Her Majesty The Queen at St Giles' Cathedral in Edinburgh.
22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Eatwell Guide-Is it time for a Shake-up. Webinar, My Nutriweb
3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Boyd Orr Lecture, Rowett Research Institute
5 <sup>th</sup> October	Women in Food and Drink Manufacturing, Networking Lunch

### Visits

27 <sup>th</sup> June	Visit to Rowett Research Institute, Aberdeen.
1 <sup>st</sup> August	Visit to Rowett Research Institute, with Diedre Brock MP
18 <sup>th</sup> October	James Hutton Institute, Invergowrie, and Integrated Growth Solutions, Invergowrie

### New Board Member Appointment Process

Interviews were held on the 26<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> September.

## **Presentations**

- 16<sup>th</sup> June Presentation to the Royal Environmental Health Institute of Scotland (REHIS). FSS Strategy and the Good Food Nation
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept Presentation to Scottish Association of Meat Wholesalers Annual Conference, Ambitions as Chair of FSS

## **Interviews**

None

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