



SNP Candidate: Caroline Lowe, 3F2

Independence

The SNP have a vision of Independence and responsibility in the modern world. We believe that Independence and equality offers the best future for Scotland.

Crime

Alcohol misuse could be costing Scottish taxpayers around £3.56 billion per year, according to an independent study. That's £900 for every adult in our country. We want to tackle the problems alcohol can cause in our society. The SNP want to stop pocket money prices being charged for alcohol in supermarkets to tackle binge drinking in Scotland.

In Strathclyde there were over 45,000 crimes of vandalism last year.

Youth crime costs the Scottish taxpayers an estimated £730 million a year. The SNP Government want to take tough action on those who carry and use knives. The SNP promise to deliver a record number of police officers on the beat to prevent crime and to take weapons off our streets.

Education

The SNP pledges to build many new schools. Cults Academy is the 5th new school in two years in Aberdeen to be build and the 251st new school across Scotland. A 50% budget increase will be available for nursery places. The SNP want to abolish the graduate endowment fee, this is money paid by graduates in Scotland in lieu of tuition fees. We also want to remove 50,000 students from inadequate accommodation by 2011.

Say No to Trident!

The SNP wants a safer, healthier and wealthier Scotland. We believe nuclear weapons are the wrong choice for a successful Scotland. We do not want to waste money on nuclear weapons when it can be better spent in our schools, hospitals and other public services.

Environment

We aim to reduce Scotland's carbon foot print and develop renewable energy sources.

Economy

The SNP will remove business rates from 120,000 small businesses. We also want to replace council tax with a local income tax with the rate 3p. We also want to create a £2million fund to promote Scottish work at the Edinburgh festival.

VOTE SNP!

