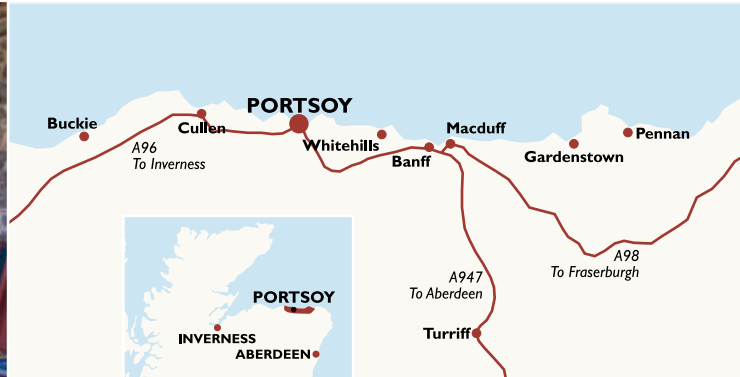


... upstairs at the bothy

... where to find us

Discover and enjoy THE SALMON BOTHY at Portsoy



The Salmon Bothy is open throughout the year. For days and times check www.salmonbothy.co.uk or call **01261 842951**.

UPSTAIRS *at the* BOTHY

Watch out too for the great programme of talks, workshops and entertainments held throughout the year "Upstairs at the Bothy" - a unique and characterful venue ideal for meetings, workshops and music events. To book the facility, call **01261 842474**.



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A fascinating, charming and enjoyable place to visit with its museum and genealogical research facility

... a superb example of a combined icehouse with working and living accommodation



Completed in 1834 and now lovingly restored, this beautiful building is a superb example of a combined icehouse with working and living accommodation which served Portsoy's salmon fishing industry.

In its vaulted ground floor chambers you will learn about the salmon fishing industry which was once far greater in volume and value than white fish. You will see where the men lived and worked and where ice was stored in a building which ensured natural refrigeration with its floors laid with sea cobbles upon bare earth.

The intimate museum tells the story of Portsoy's harbour with its fascinating history as a trading, smuggling and fishing port. Learn too about Portsoy's extraordinary industrial history with products which found their way around the world - and still do today.

Macdonald Foundary workers



Alexander Macdonald and his wife.



Explore your roots in the

fully equipped genealogical research facility housed in the room (the bothy) where the men ate and slept.

Our volunteer team is available to help if needed.



The Anderson family of Portsoy, c. 1882.

The Bothy also provides a great base from which to explore Portsoy's splendid harbour and town, plus attractive and rewarding walks along the seashore of the Banffshire coast.