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Your recent request for information is replicated below, together with our response.

## Football clubs keep a record of the attendance of each match. This is made up of people who bought tickets - whether or not they used them or not, so it does not reflect the actual number of attendees.

## To help get a more accurate number, Police Scotland keeps a record of attendances of some clubs.

## Please send me the attendance record for Celtic and Rangers in the 2023-24 season.

In response to your request, the tables below provide attendance figures for Celtic and Rangers Football Clubs for the 2023 – 2024 season. The attendance figures are collected in consultation with the Football Clubs as Police Scotland have no methods of recording these figures.

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| Celtic Football ClubSPFL | | | |
| Date | Away Team | Number of Celtic fans in attendance | Number of away fans in attendance |
| 05/08/2023 | Ross County | 41,084 | 144 |
| 26/08/2023 | St. Johnstone | 48,222 | 140 |
| 16/09/2023 | Dundee | 48,413 | Not recorded |
| 07/10/2023 | Kilmarnock | 38,328 | 176 |
| 01/11/2023 | St. Mirren | 37,767 | 391 |
| 12/11/2023 | Aberdeen | 41,317 | 471 |
| 25/11/2023 | Motherwell | 41,243 | 290 |
| 06/12/2023 | Hibernian | 36,890 | 576 |
| 16/12/2023 | Hearts | 40,413 | 381 |
| 23/12/2023 | Livingston | Not recorded | Not recorded |
| 30/12/2023 | Rangers | 53,916 | 0 |
| 27/01/2024 | Ross County | 40,731 | 157 |
| 17/02/2024 | Kilmarnock | 43,084 | 284 |
| 28/02/2024 | Dundee | 37,985 | 242 |
| 16/03/2024 | St. Johnstone | 42,779 | 174 |
| 13/04/2024 | St. Mirren | 43,651 | Not recorded |
| 04/05/2024 | Hearts | 46,510 | 642 |
| 11/05/2024 | Rangers | 58,027 | 0 |
| 18/05/2024 | St. Mirren | 55,131 | 413 |

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| Celtic Football ClubScottish Cup | | | |
| Date | Away Team | Number of Celtic fans in attendance | Number of away fans in attendance |
| 21/01/2024 | Buckie Thistle | 36,252 | 1936 |
| 10/03/2024 | Livingston | 33,311 | 172 |

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| Rangers Football ClubSPFL | | | |
| Date | Away Team | Number of Rangers fans in attendance | Number of away fans in attendance |
| 12/08/2023 | Livingston | 49,320 | 111 |
| 03/09/2023 | Celtic | 48,808 | 0 |
| 24/09/2023 | Motherwell | 48,539 | 408 |
| 30/09/2023 | Aberdeen | 49,959 | 825 |
| 21/10/2023 | Hibernian | 42,837 | 913 |
| 29/10/2023 | Hearts | 48,176 | 859 |
| 03/12/2023 | St. Mirren | Not recorded | Not recorded |
| 09/12/2023 | Dundee | 33,704 | 296 |
| 20/12/2023 | St. Johnstone | 33,878 | 151 |
| 02/01/2024 | Kilmarnock | 38,572 | 731 |
| 03/02/2024 | Livingston | 41,348 | 50 |
| 06/02/2024 | Aberdeen | 36,800 | 444 |
| 14/02/2024 | Ross County | 38,038 | 97 |
| 24/02/2024 | Hearts | Not recorded | Not recorded |
| 02/03/2024 | Motherwell | 44,237 | 327 |
| 30/03/2024 | Hibernian | 48,259 | Not recorded |
| 07/04/2024 | Celtic | 50,936 | 0 |
| 05/05/2024 | Kilmarnock | 40,158 | 590 |
| 14/05/2024 | Dundee | 27,785 | Not recorded |

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| Rangers Football ClubViaplay (League) Cup | | | |
| Date | Away Team | Number of Rangers fans in attendance | Number of away fans in attendance |
| 19/08/2023 | Greenock Morton | 29,432 | 1695 |
| 27/09/2023 | Livingston | 24,749 | 127 |

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| Rangers Football ClubScottish Cup | | | |
| Date | Away Team | Number of Rangers fans in attendance | Number of away fans in attendance |
| 10/02/2024 | Ayr United | 34,545 | 1723 |

If you require any further assistance, please contact us quoting the reference above.

You can request a review of this response within the next 40 working days by [email](mailto:foi@scotland.police.uk) or by letter (Information Management - FOI, Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH). Requests must include the reason for your dissatisfaction.

If you remain dissatisfied following our review response, you can appeal to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner (OSIC) within 6 months - [online](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal), by [email](mailto:enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info) or by letter (OSIC, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, KY16 9DS).

Following an OSIC appeal, you can appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

This response will be added to our [Disclosure Log](http://www.scotland.police.uk/access-to-information/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log) in seven days' time.

Every effort has been taken to ensure our response is as accessible as possible. If you require this response to be provided in an alternative format, please let us know.