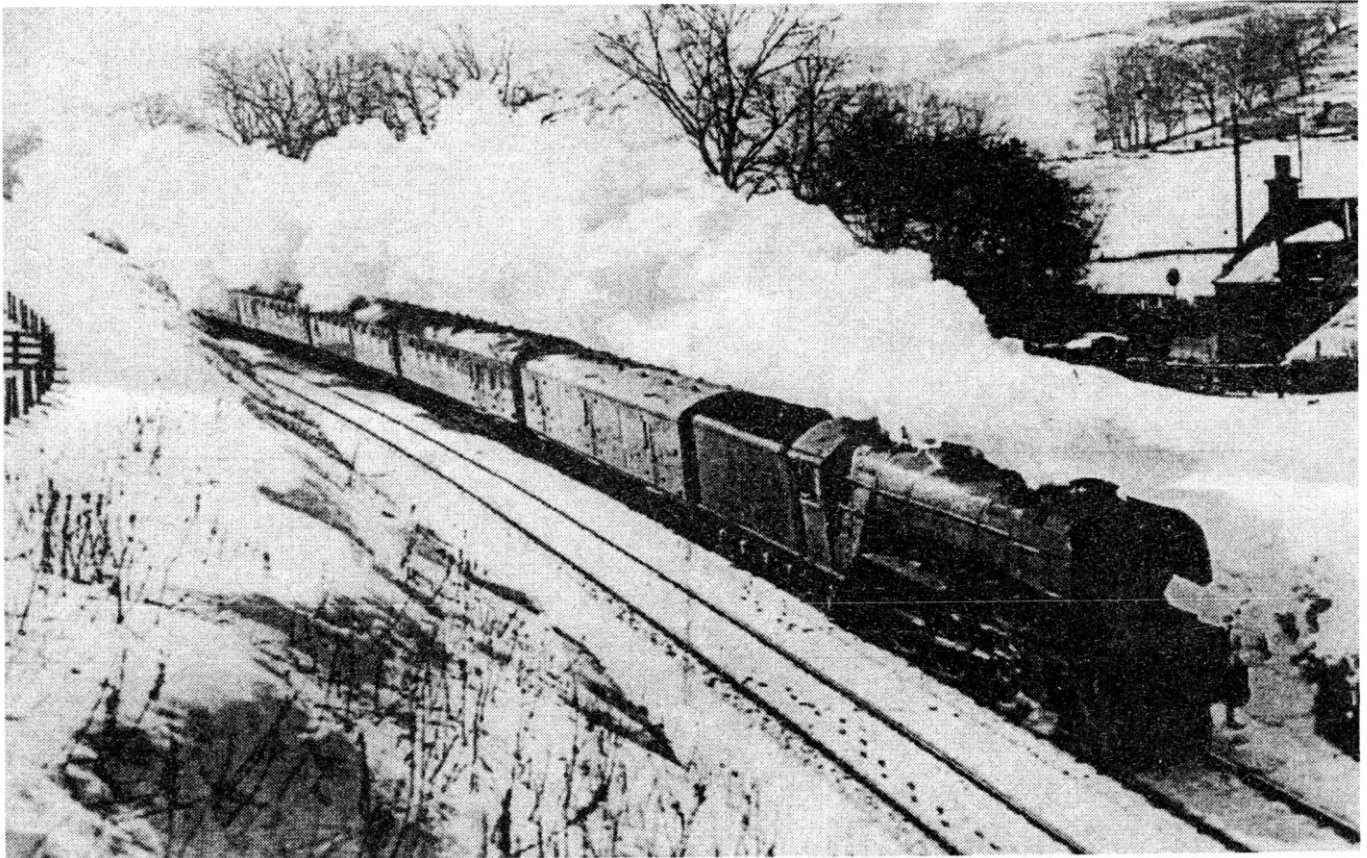


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Editorial

Happy New Year everyone.

Firstly many apologies for the non-appearance of a newsletter in December. The printer was unable to explain what had gone wrong, but by the time it was discovered it was considered to be too late to publish. Many things are still relevant, and have been incorporated into this issue, but I would like to apologise to anyone whose event was not publicised, for any inconvenience caused.

I have received a letter and an article, both of which are printed in the Newsletter, from the ATC in Kinross. In the past (and maybe the present) a number of young people from Glenfarg, including my own daughter, belonged to the squadron, and I know that she thoroughly enjoyed her time in the ATC, and derived a tremendous amount from it. I would, therefore, commend it to you as a very worthwhile activity. It is very pleasing to see that

adult volunteers have come forward, and I wish them well.

In a recent newsletter there was a report from the Community Council regarding "Croft Brae", which was later corrected to "Crawford Brae". A resident has informed me, and indeed has shown me an old OS map proving it, that the correct name is in fact "Calf Ford Brae". The name is self explanatory, and it is easy to see how, over the years, it has come to be called "Crawford Brae".

It has been suggested that with so many people in the village now using e-mail, there may be an interest in having an e-mail directory in either a printed or electronic form. You will find the beginnings of this later in the newsletter, and if you wish to have your e-mail address added, drop me an e-mail! – or better still, speak to me – I'm still fiercely resisting being dragged into the twentieth century, let alone the twenty first!

Letters to the Editor

Dear Sir/Madam,

38 (Kinross) Detached Flight, Air Training Corps

I attach an article for your consideration for publication in the next issue of the Newsletter.

38 DF were, unfortunately, near to closing last year due to lack of cadet numbers. New staff have volunteered their assistance to the squadron, and it is imperative that every attempt is made to keep the squadron "alive and well". This also ensures that

young men and women in the local area have the chance to take part in the vast range of activities on offer, and in so doing have fun and make new friends .

My remit is to try and engender a new spirit and enthusiasm into the squadron, and would thus appreciate your kind assistance.

Yours faithfully,
Miss J A Pick

Retraction

In the October newsletter the article referring to dumping in the glen made a reference to the fact that the lay bay opposite the Bein Inn was to be fenced off. This was in fact an error on the part of the Community Council, and should have read Feldie road end. We hereby retract this statement and apologise for any distress this may have caused.

Jim McHardy

An appeal for photographs of Glenfarg

I am about to produce a computer CD of various images of Glenfarg for use by the school. I already have permission to copy photographs held by Perth library, and have been out taking my own photographs. Now I'm looking for anyone with images of the village who is prepared to let me copy them. The pictures don't have to be sepia-tinted images from the 19th century - snaps from the 60s can be just as interesting. If there's a story behind any of the photographs then so much the better. I hope the disc will provide the school with images and maps of the village over the past hundred years or so.

Douglas Ness

From Councillor Kathleen Baird

December 1999

This article will appear in what will be the last Newsletter of this century – time to reflect. Each one of us should stop for a moment and give thanks to the generations who have sacrificed so much so that we can enjoy freedom to wander the countryside as we wish. Perhaps also think on not only what has the Community done for me, but what have I done to help the Community, to help Glenfarg to be a better place for today's children to grow up.

We live in a beautiful part of Scotland, and I was pleased to hear at the Community Council meeting that consideration was being given to forming a

“Pride in Glenfarg” (though that may not be the chosen name). What a wonderful start to the New Millennium – all sections of the community working together. Young and old, everyone has something to contribute, from advice to the weeding!

I would like to congratulate everyone who is involved in the production of this very worthwhile Newsletter. I am sure it is much appreciated by all sections of the Community.

I will take this opportunity to wish all readers a Happy Christmas and a Peaceful New Year.

Neighbourhood Watch

There is to be a meeting on

Wednesday 15 March at

8pm

in the ***Church Hall***

All welcome

Please arrange for a representative from each street/road/area to attend

Rachel Webb (Secretary, Community Council)

Arngask Guild

February	15	Slides of Switzerland	Mr. W. Shand		
	22	Presbyterial Council	Rev. Dr. Adrian Varwell	St. Ninian's Crieff	2 pm
	29	Ambassador to the Pope	Miss McGlashan		
March	3	World Day of Prayer			
	14	Highlights of the Holy Land	Mrs. S. MacNeill		
	28	Slides and talk on clothes	Perth Museum		
April	8	Coffee Morning		Church Hall	10 am-12 noon
	11	AGM and Beetle Drive			

All meetings are held in the Church Hall at 7.30pm unless mentioned otherwise. New members are made welcome.

Community Council

The following is an extract from the minutes of the meeting held on 10 January 2000.

FOOTBRIDGE The Chairman has informed P&K Council of incomplete repairs to the bridge, and awaits a reply.

DUMPING IN THE GLEN The dumping along the Glen continues. The sub-committee established to look at environmental issues will meet to initiate a proposal of action for the landowner.

DRAINAGE This is still a problem on Greenbank Road, and has been reported recently. P&K Council will investigate.

GALLOWHILL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION A quorum of four is required to make decisions with regard to money. Jim McHardy will arrange this.

POLICE REPORT Please also refer to **POLICE BOX**.

NB It is an offence to ride a bicycle in darkness without lights front and back.

The Police have received complaints about the burning of rubbish. Unless this happens near a road making driving hazardous, it should be reported to Environmental Health.

ROADSIGNS Glenfarg is on the waiting list for warning speed signs at the north and south approaches to the village

COMMUNITY LEARNING STRATEGY The Council has been requested to consult with local communities to gain a better understanding of resource in each area. The Secretary will liaise with the Community Development worker.

AGM will be held on Monday 20 March, when an election of new Councillors will take place. Any new nominees will be most welcome. Please contact Rachel Webb for nomination forms.

NEXT MEETING Monday 6 March at 8pm in the Church Hall.

Public Hall Association

Our application for a grant from the National Lotteries Charity Board has been unsuccessful due to the financial breakdown of the application, and the adjoining garage and shed being part of the package. The committee and design team will be meeting to streamline the financial outlay, and will re-apply later in the year. Unfortunately, because of this, we have been unable to take up the Carnegie Trust grant of £2500, which was part of the co-funding and will now lapse. This in no way means a change of plans or direction, just a delay in action. Please continue to support all fund-raising as we still want to stay on track!

The sound system is in place, and any organisation is free to use it with care. A microphone and stand

are available from David Watt, but will soon be locked in the hall. Keys to the sound system are presently available from David Watt or Pierette Melville (across the road), but organisations will shortly be issued with a key. Please log in usage of the system in the book that is kept with it.

The hall's fire equipment and alarms have been updated and changed. It is still each organisation's own responsibility to have a fire drill procedure.

The AGM will be taking place on Monday 8 May at 8pm in the ante room. We ask all organisations to send a representative as the present hall let prices will be under review. This is your opportunity to have your say in hall matters!

Police Box

Welcome to the first Police Box of the new millennium. I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy new year. For our part the festivities were largely incident-free, with no sign of the dreaded millennium bug. I would also like to thank everyone in the Glenfarg area for their support in the past year. I have enjoyed working with everyone, and hope to continue to do so in the

coming year. The past year, thankfully, has seen little in the way of crime in Glenfarg, but there have been one or two incidents which show that Glenfarg, like everywhere else, can be targeted by criminals.

CRIMES At the beginning of December two houses on Main Street were broken into. Both houses were left unlit during a period of darkness,

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and consequently may have attracted the attention of housebreakers. In both cases, valuable property, which cannot be replaced easily, or at all, was stolen. Please do all you can to prevent this. Report anything suspicious to the Police straight away.

It is no secret that criminals look for the easy option, and an unlit house in the evening is an obvious sign that the house is unoccupied. I cannot stress enough that if you leave the house, make sure that a light is left on somewhere. Use timer switches if you have them. Another product on the market is a light bulb which is light-sensitive, and, when activated, comes on at dusk, and goes off as daylight returns. Ask any electrical supplier, and I'm sure they will point you in the right direction.

COUNTERFEIT COINS

A concerning development lately, from our point of view, has been the appearance of counterfeit £1 coins which have been discovered by staff at Glenfarg Post Office. There have been approximately a dozen such coins in recent weeks, and at first glance some of the coins appear to be genuine. They differ, however, from the real thing in the following ways:

- They are a slightly darker colour
- They make a different sound when dropped i.e a slightly dull sound
- When scratched with another coin they show silver underneath the surface
- The design on the coin may not be centred exactly

If you come into possession of any of these coins, or if you have any idea as to the origin of them, please let the Police know as soon as possible. DO NOT, under any circumstances, attempt to pass any counterfeit coin on to anyone else, as this would be a criminal offence.

WINTER DRIVING I know you have heard this advice before, but now is an appropriate time to repeat it. At this time of the year the likelihood of accidents is increased because of bad weather and ill-prepared vehicles and drivers. It is vital, if you haven't already done so, that you prepare your car for the winter weather.

Check anti-freeze, tyres, brakes and so on, and make sure that you completely clear the windscreen of ice before setting off. I remember once seeing a driver in Perth who had simply cleared an area no bigger than his hand, and argued that he was in complete control, even though he could see nothing to the side. Needless to say he was reported for the offence.

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH You may have read in a previous newsletter of my intention to expand the Glenfarg Neighbourhood Watch Scheme, so that it encompasses the whole village. As it stands the current scheme covers a limited area of the village, and does not, for example, include the Main Street, along which most criminals probably travel. To this end I have arranged for a public meeting to be held in Arngask Church Hall on Wednesday 15 March at 7.30pm.

Ideally I would like each street in the village to send a representative to the meeting. My aim is to explain exactly how a neighbourhood watch scheme works. Put simply, this type of scheme is a partnership between the local community and the Police, whereby information is exchanged. The success of the scheme largely depends on the public reporting anything of a suspicious nature as soon as possible. This enables the Police to act quickly in the event of criminals being in the area. So if you are free to come along on 15 March, please do. In the meantime if you have any questions regarding this then contact Steve West at Kinross Police Station.

CHILDREN ON BICYCLES I have noticed on more than one occasion recently that children in the village have been riding bikes which are not fitted with lights. As someone who knows only too well the damage and injury that a vehicle can cause to a cyclist, I implore parents to make sure that they fit lights to their children's bikes. Lights cost only a few pounds. Children are priceless and cannot be replaced.

PC Steve West
Kinross Police Station

Scout Group Coffee Afternoon

The Scout Group is holding a Coffee Afternoon from 2.30-4.30pm, on Saturday 26 February in the Village Hall.

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Admission is £.50 for adults, '75p for children, with under 5s free.

All are welcome to join us in a few games of Bingo, and to take the opportunity to buy home made goodies.

38 (Kinross) Detached Flight, Air Training Corps

38 (Kinross) Detached Flight, Air Training Corps is looking for new recruits in the Glenfarg area. The ATC is a youth organisation open to young men and women between the ages of 13 and 17 inclusive, although cadets may stay until the age of 22 if they have reached the highest rank of Cadet Warrant Officer.

At present 38 DF is going from strength to strength, and this has ensured that the cadets can take part in an action packed programme.

All cadets receive training in a variety of air-minded subjects, including principles of flight, map reading, first aid and basic expedition training. All cadets also gain the opportunity to take part in activities which take them well away from the classroom: the one every cadet looks forward to being FLYING. Cadets go on Air Experience flights for 20-25 minutes, and during the flight they may take control of the aircraft as well as try out some aerobatics if they wish! The Bulldog is a 2 seater aircraft, which allows the cadet to sit side by side with the pilot. Opportunities often arise to fly in other military and civilian aircraft types.

Gliding plays an important part in cadet activities, with all cadets given the opportunity to fly solo at the age of 16.

Annual camp takes place on a Royal Air Force station on mainland Britain, and for one week the cadets are the guests of the Royal Air Force. They will be shown around the station, take part in adventure training, sports and flying, and in general have a fun week. As cadets get older there are opportunities to attend camp in Germany, Cyprus and Gibraltar.

Back at the squadron project work is an excellent way of teaching new skills. The cadets of 38 DF are presently involved in mechanics, photography (the squadron has its own darkroom) radio controlled model building, newsletter production and electronics.

Shooting is also available to cadets of the ATC, with Kinross DF taking part in several shooting competitions. Only after strict safety tests can a cadet fire the weapons, and with close supervision at all times from qualified staff. Cadets do not need to fire if they do not wish to.

Sports are essential for any youth organisation, with the Corps taking part in soccer, rugby, athletics, cross country running, netball, hockey and swimming. If a cadet is proficient enough he or she could be chosen to represent Dundee and Central Scotland Wing, or indeed Scotland, for the ATC.

Adventurous training is vitally important, as it allows cadets to put into practice their navigation skills, while it also lets them develop their leadership skills and their ability to mould as a team. Much of this form of training is encompassed within the expedition section of the Duke of Edinburgh's Award Scheme. This particular award is considered to be an important area of cadet training, with 38 DF actively taking part.

The ATC is, without question, an organisation that can offer so much to young people who are willing to listen, learn and take part in the many differing activities. It offers fun, friendship and a great deal of challenge and excitement.

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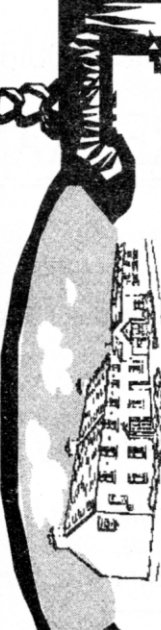
If you would like more information on becoming a member of 38 (Kinross) Detached Flight, please contact Flying Officer J. A. Pick on 01383 727620, or call into the squadron on any Monday or Thursday evening 1930 - 2130. You will find the Squadron HQ at Swansacre, Kinross, (just behind David Sands supermarket). We look forward to meeting you.

Bridge Club

The AGM was held on 5 November, and the following office bearers were elected: President, Mrs. S. Harley; Secretary, Mrs. J. Gent; Treasurer, Mrs. M. Davidson.

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The first meeting of the new season was opened by the president, Mrs. Kate Fairweather. She welcomed everyone present, and thanked all who had contributed to the Glenfarg Fete and Perth and Kinross shows. Mrs. Fairweather also congratulated all the successful entrants in these shows.

The entertainment for the evening was provided by Mr. Michael Ower, from Fern Green Nursery, who demonstrated how to produce a splash of colour through the dark winter months with tubs and hanging baskets. Mrs. Sylvia Wall thanked Mr. Ower, saying we would all be dashing home to put his ideas into action.

Competition results -

Holiday Snap	1.	Mrs. Scott	2.	Mrs. Johnston	3.	Mrs. Stewart
Jar of Lemon Curd	1.	Mrs. Adam	2.	Mrs. Messenger	3.	Mrs. Stewart
Flower of the Month	1.	Mrs. Oswald	2.	Mrs. McIntosh	3.	Mrs. Wall

Glenfarg WRI held a Fashion Show in the Village Hall on Friday 24 September. The outfits were supplied by Encore of Dunfermline, and modelled by members and friends. Approximately £250 was raised; many thanks to all who contributed.

The October meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Fairweather, who thanked everyone who contributed to the success of the fashion show, which raised £250.

The business of the evening was followed by demonstrations by Mrs. Morag McGillivray, the Kinross-shire Group Chairman. Morag showed some of her many talents, by creating gift boxes and greetings cards in a variety of crafts.

Mrs. Helen Quartermaine thanked Mrs. McGillivray for inspiring everyone with ideas for Christmas. Competition results -

4 Melting Moments	1.	Mrs. Adam	2.	Mrs. Johnston	3.	Mrs. Kirkland
80th Birthday Invitation	1.	Mrs. Wall	2.	Mrs. Moran		
Flower of the Month	1.	Mrs. Kirkland	2.	Mrs. Mair	3.	Mrs. Moran

Mrs. Catherine Fairweather chaired the November meeting and conducted the business of the evening. Mrs. Fairweather then introduced Mrs. Kathleen Hugget, who exhibited an amazing variety of her home-made confectionery. She was ably assisted by her son, Edward, who proved how delicious they all were by carrying out taste tests! The rural members were very happy to help with the testing! Mrs. Roberta MacGregor thanked Mrs. Hugget and Edward, and all the members heartily concurred.

Competition results -

Full length apron – sewn	1.	Mrs. Messenger	2.	Mrs. Fairweather	3.	Mrs. Moran
4 pieces coconut ice	1.	Mrs. Moran	2.	Mrs. Adam	3.	Mrs. Mair
Flower of the Month	1.	Mrs. Wall	2.	Mrs. Scott	3.	Mrs. Messenger

On Friday 19 November 1999 Perth Drama Club entertained the members and friends of Glenfarg WRI. The performance consisted of three short pieces: Salmon Sandwiches by Andrew Anderson; A Cream Cracker Under The Settee by Alan Bennett; and Where It's Due by Harry Glass. The varied programme was very much enjoyed by the audience, and appreciation was shown by the resounding applause. Mrs. Fairweather thanked the company for a very entertaining evening.

The Christmas party was held in the Glenfarg Hotel, and, after a delicious meal, everyone took an active part in the fun and games. The evening was concluded by Mrs. Helen Quartermaine, who thanked the hotel for the excellent meal, and everyone involved in making the evening such a success.

Competition results -

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| Christmas Table Mat | 1. Mrs. Messenger | 2. Mrs. Moran | 3. Mrs. Wall |
| Cheese Straws | 1. Mrs. Adam | | |

The ladies of Glenfarg Institute joined with the Sunday School children from Arngask Church for a Carol Service on Sunday 20 December. The church was full, and the entire congregation entered fully into the spirit of the evening. Refreshments of tea, coffee, mince pies and shortbread were served after the service, and were thoroughly enjoyed. The magnificent sum of £277 was collected, and this is to be donated to the Ian Marsden appeal. Many thanks to everyone who donated so generously.

J. Lenore Kyle

Arngask School

Pupils in P6&7 are currently constructing a "Millennium Time Line". During their investigations they read about William the Conqueror and his Domesday Book, and decided to try something similar in the school. Some of the results are printed below.

On 3 November 1999 our group decided to find out about the Domesday Book so in 50 years time you can look back and see what it was like at school. We decided to see how many people have had a bad accident at school. We went round all the classes and we found out that P4/5 have had the most accidents out of 4 classes. We used a tally sheet to gather the information, and at the end we put the information into a graph. Most of the accidents were tripping up, slipping, trapping fingers in doors, and falling off seats. **Hamish and Alastair**

On 3 November 1999 Lauren Brookes and I were finding out how many pupils liked hot dogs, quiche, steak pie, fish or pasta. We are doing this because we can look back in 50 years and see what it was like then and which foods were favourite. We had a good score for all of them, and to do this we went around each class to gather information. We found out that a lot of pupils like the same things. The best was hot dog followed by pasta. **Laurie Patterson**

On 3 November 1999 our group decided to find out about the Domesday Book and do one for ourselves. We went round the classes to gather information on what people's favourite homework subject was. To gather information we drew a graph and tallied down the number of hands people put up for each subject. We found that the most popular subject was reading homework, with 30

votes. Then came spelling, with 28 votes. Following closely came topic, with 22 votes, but trailing behind was Maths with 16 votes. We were able to conclude that reading was the most popular.

Aimee Gourlay and Scott Watson

We decided on 3 November 1999 to find how many pupils were in our school, and how many were off. We went round all the classes to find how many were there (asking teachers). We decided to write instead of tally sheets etc. because it was quicker. In P1/2 there were 23 together, in 2/3 there were 22 and 1 off, in 4/5 there are 25 none off, 6/7 there were 19 none off. I think our school is getting bigger and bigger because of more pupils, there are 10 more pupils than 2 years ago. **Grant Stewart and Ben Dickson**

PTA The Hallowe'en party, on 29 October, was well attended – many of the children (and staff!) unrecognisable in their fancy dress. It was a busy evening, with games, dancing and competitions. Gallons of juice were consumed, and everyone seemed to have a good time.

The term started again on 6 January, and everyone has settled into the new term. The School Board elections are due to take place this term. The plans for the new playground equipment are progressing.

Christmas seems a long time ago now, but the main PTA event was the Christmas Fayre on 8 December. It was a successful evening, which included a very welcome visit from Santa, and raised over £500.

For the third year running, the school has produced its own calendar. The 2000 calendar includes a drawing, by every child in the school, of what they want to be when they grow up. The finished article is lovely, and it is a pleasure to have it hanging on

the kitchen wall! The school, and especially the PTA, would like to express their thanks to Craig Williams and Word Perfect for printing and sponsorship, and to Mrs. Anne Sutherland for her work in designing the calendar. The proceeds from sales amounted to over £150.

There is to be a mid-term holiday on Friday 11 and Monday 14 February, and we congratulate all the shield winners, detailed below.

Fiona Hamilton
Secretary

Monthly Shield Winners

	Primary 1/2	Primary 2/3	Primary 4/5	Primary 6/7
September	Steven Millar	Lucas Kendall	Abbee Leeds	Amie Gourlay
October	Rachel Gourlay	Hannah Whiting	Scott Deas	Grant Stewart
November	Catriona Sutherland	Jeff Hannah	Gemma Stewart	Jayne Bell
December	Craig Hannah	Amy McLauchlan	Stacey Yule	Hamish Robertson

There follow a few of the children's thoughts for the future:

I think in the year 2050 Glenfarg will have got bigger. I believe that the school will get bigger because there will be more children, and I think the football pitch will be an all weather one. I think the park will have got new toilets and I think the tennis court will have a roof over it, and I think the park will have more things. I think there will be some more shops in Glenfarg.

I think in 50 years time most cars will run by electricity or gas. This is to stop car pollution. I think some people might have a flying car which can reach speeds of 390mph and costs about £40,000. It might be out in 15 to 20 years time because there has been one made in 1999.

I think in 50 years time most people will be unhealthy because every person who has an internet will be doing most of their shopping on it. People who are in the city won't get that bad affected from air pollution because cars might run by electricity or gas. **Hamish**

Depending on my exam degree I will be at university, college or one of the schools of music. After this I would play in the European International Orchestra or get a musical job, for example a music teacher. If music fails me then I'll take my science exam results and try to be something to do with science.

Ten years from now space exploration will be taking life out of this galaxy. This will be done in a new type of transport called an atomic metamorphosis. It will travel 9 times the speed of light. It will also be environmentally friendly. New

galaxies will be discovered and solar systems. New planets and life. Earth will make space friends.

By the year 2010 there will have been no world war 3, however, an extremely dangerous explosive will have been invented. It will be similar to the vacuum bomb which the Russians are currently using on Chethnia. It will turn you inside out. The Vacuum Bomb explodes in the air and takes all air beneath which ends in your lungs collapsing.

The thought of time travel has clobbered up peoples minds in recent years. People have good imaginations. In 2009 a professor will invent one. It can go forward or backward. It is environmentally friendly and can go as far as it wants. **Ben Norris**

I would like to be a golfer or a shooter because you would make a lot of money if you win competitions and be very famous.

I would like to see what mobile phones are like in the year 2020 and computers in the year 2020, and will mobile phones be as good as today. **Daniel**

I think in the year 2050 most animals will be in nature parks and wild life centres. I think more elephants might be hunted and killed. I hope in the year 2050 cutting down trees will be illegal, and paper makers will find a new way to make paper. I think there will only be a few rain forests left in the world.

In the year 2050 I think only the makers of robots will have to fix the robots, they will be the only workers. I think robots will be able to build our houses for us and we will have automatic drink pourers. **Gavin Black**

In the future in ten years time I hope I am a hairdresser like my mum. I hope all the girls are

still friends and keep in touch to see what they are doing in the future, and it will be nice if the girls go shopping together. I hope the school will still be here, because it has a lot of memories for me and the people in Glenfarg. **Kaylie Kendall**

Crime is getting much worse. Nobody is using the rubbish bins so the streets are getting filled with litter. More windows are getting smashed and more people are going to prison and getting fined.

In the year 2020 I see myself as a school teacher. I am teaching Primary 4 and 5. At this school the children wear whatever they want. I have stayed in touch with my friends from school, Amie, Laurie, Kaylie and Jayne. I see Amie and Laurie everyday, but I am always writing to Jayne and Kaylie.

There are now hardly any trees and grassy areas. Now roads have been built over the forests and more and more animals are becoming extinct.

Now you can buy things over the internet and more

people are taking advantage of this. If you do go to the shops there may be hardly anyone there. Insides of shops have changed. Most shops have a whole new range of things to buy like gloves with cameras on them, and lots of cars now have telephones and TVs built into them. **Lauren Brookes**

I'm **Kevin Henderson** and I'm talking about future buildings. I think in the future buildings will all be made of metal and solar panels, with fibre glass windows. Inside them there will be computers everywhere, digital clocks, wide screen TVs and robot pets.

I think in the future you will be able to decide how our baby looks or what sex it is, and you will be able to get a clone of the baby you choose.

My ambition in 15 years time is to be the best rock drummer ever. I'm going to music college and then music university (I think I'm good enough)

Accordion and Fiddle Club

At the September meeting of the Accordion and Fiddle Club, held in the Lomond Hotel, the Gordon Shand Trio were the guest artistes, and in October Willie Simpson and Gordon Patullo were the guests. There were full houses on both nights, and there was a good turn out on practice night. Eighteen people, including ten musicians, attended the AGM held on 20 October in the Lomond Hotel.

Arngask Sunday School and Youth Group

December is a busy time for everyone, and the Sunday School is no exception. The children entertained the congregation with various nativity plays, and lots of well-rehearsed singing. The Christmas party was full of fun and jollity from start to finish, and the Christmas Eve get-together around the Christmas tree was attended by 40 children!

The Christingle/Carol Service once again went down well, and will now surely be a regular event in the Church calendar.

And now we're into a new year and are enjoying an exciting run-up to Easter, with Mothers' Day to

prepare for as well.

The new time of 11am means a more leisurely start to Sunday mornings, and will, we hope, see the return of some of the children who just could not leave their slumber in time for 9.30 last year.

As always new members will be made very welcome, and can join in with the other children to collect stickers in their sticker books for good attendance.

So come along and join in the fun!

Congratulations to

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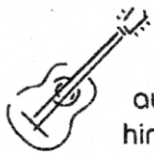
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Venture Scouts

The Venture Unit has grown recently, and members of the Unit attended the Scottish Scout conference at Murray field Stadium. They played monopoly on the streets of Edinburgh on Saturday morning; making full use of the initiative they used a car to get around.

Three new members of the Unit were invested in the caving complex at Fordell Firs. That was before one of the boys had his shoes removed. They have also been canoeing and camping. A trip into a bothy is planned for the end of November, as training for the Queen's Scout expedition.

Scouts

The Scouts invited the older Cubs to camp with them at Craggan at the start of the October holiday. This was planned as the Silver Zodiac Challenge camp with Cubs, but ended up as a below zero camp.

The bracken was as tall as it had been at the September camp, and great for ambushes. Man hunt in the dark resulted in empty-handed hunters.

A hike took the Scouts and the Cubs up to a fault line with a great view of the camp. The older Scouts made camp ovens, and pizzas and fresh

scones welcomed the hikers back to the site. The younger Scouts completed the national Commissioners' 24 hour challenge with the Cubs, and are working on their Silver Outdoor '99 award.

The Scouts enjoyed a district bowling and zap zone evening in Dundee, and it was much less eventful than the last time there.

The Scouts have completed their gardening promises from the promise auction. Painting the stakes gave them a very unusual activity for the Outdoor '99 award.

Beavers

The Beaver Colony has been restarted long enough for the first Beavers to gain their first Beaver Badge. The Colony continues to grow, and the Area Commissioner for Venture Scouts was invited along to a Colony meeting to invest the latest recruits. She was treated to truffles that the Beavers had made earlier in the evening.

The Beavers have been busy working at Christmas crafts. They are looking forward to their outing with the Cubs to see Jack and the Beanstalk.

Beavers has re-started after Christmas, and is in full swing. The boys are divided into three lodges: Snakes, Leopards and Wolves, and they certainly burn off a lot of energy at Beavers! This term we are enjoying the wonders of Spring.

If you are a 6-8 year old boy, and would like to join, come along to the Village Hall on a Tuesday (4-5pm), for fun and friendship.

Cubs

The Cubs have been learning about first aid, practising on the recussi-annie, and tying each other into slings and bandages. This progressed to looking at X rays, and comparing the X ray to the skeleton that arrived the week before Hallowe'en. The Cubs then made their own skeletons by gluing different shapes of pasta onto fluorescent card.

The joint Hallowe'en party with the Beavers was enjoyed by all. Many thanks to David Watt, who judged the fancy dress and lantern competitions.

The Cubs who camped with the Scouts started learning how to light wood fires for cooking. Akela can go through half a box of matches before she gets it to go.

Gavin remembered how to make stretchers from camp. His six needed little help in making a stretcher at Cubs. All three sixes carried members of their six in their stretchers up and down the hall.

Congratulations to Ryan, Cameron, Jamie Miller and Scott on joining the Cub Pack. Gavin and

Grant have joined Ben as Sixers, and the Seconders are Jamie Webb, Michael Burrell and Ross Nicol.

Well done to all the Cubs who turned up at the Remembrance Day service.

A big thanks to the Cub football coaches – they're making a big difference to the performance.

Playgroup

Playgroup had a superb night with the opportunity to try out Body Shop products. It raised £222, of which 50% will go towards the hall extension. Thank you to all who supported the night, and drank generously!

Playgroup would like to invite anyone in the village with a special talent or skill to share it with the children during a playgroup session. Please contact the committee or playleaders.

Playgroup had a very successful Christmas concert – “Walking through the Jungle”. A big thank you to the Playleaders, Marion and Nicky, the mums who helped and the *stars* of the day! We made £181 for Playgroup funds.

Glenfarg Playgroup/Pre-school would like to invite all parents who wish their children to start, or continue at, Playgroup or Pre-school in August 2000 to register their children from 15 February. Registration forms and admission policies will be available from the Post Office, Playleaders or committee members. In brief:

- a) Children who are in their pre-school year after August 2000 will receive grant funding for 5 sessions per week.
- b) Children who are 21 years of age and potty trained, may (unless prevented by a medical reason), attend 2/3 Playgroup sessions at £2.25 per session.
- c) Children who are 3 years of age between March and August 2000 will receive grant

funding for 5 sessions per week. Thereafter children are eligible for funding after their 3rd birthday, in January and April.

There are sound educational reasons for promoting a balance of three and four year olds within the same grouping, as is the case in many nurseries. Following parental request and previous success, however, Glenfarg Playgroup/Pre-school operates split sessions, lasting an hour, for pre-school children on pre-planned days each week.

A “Welcome”/Information Pack is available from Playgroup.

We will be having an open day on Thursday 4 May from 9.30 to 12 noon for anyone interested in coming to see what fun Playgroup/Pre-school is.

This term the children have been learning about people who are different from them. They have had French, African and Dutch weeks, with original native input!

We have been given a Development and a Rural Grant from the Scottish Office, and this will be used to buy new equipment and arts and crafts material.

As spring is around the corner, could we please ask dog owners to give the ground in front of the Hall a miss (unless you have a bag or a scoop!) as the children enjoy playing outside for part of the session.

Red Cross – Glenfarg Centre

Following another very successful Coffee Morning and Sale on Saturday 30 October, £970 was raised after expenses. This will go a long way to assisting the work of the Red Cross in our area, and everyone involved appreciates the continuing generous support we receive here in Glenfarg. A special thank you to Dr. and Mrs. Flint, who joined us throughout the morning, and to Dr. Flint for officially opening the sale.

We are often asked to clarify who benefits from funds going to “local needs”. In the last Newsletter we

touched, generally, on the services provided locally by the Red Cross, “local” relating to Perth & Kinross, of which Glenfarg is part.

Medical Loan is a well-used service in Perth, but perhaps not so often called upon in Glenfarg. For people, however, who are ill or disabled, even temporarily, having access to basic medical equipment can make a real difference to their quality of life. The Medical Loan service offers the short-term loan of equipment such as wheelchairs, commodes, backrests and cushions, and by phoning Kinross 864417, Mrs. J.

Clavering will assist you with your enquiry. Alternatively by calling at the Perth Office, 14 New Row (01738 622474), where a large stock is held, your special requirements will be dealt with.

Transport and Escort is possibly one of the services which could be of great benefit to certain residents of Glenfarg and our wider rural community. There are many reasons why people cannot easily use ordinary transport, and they all make travelling difficult and stressful. Our drivers and escorts can help people who cannot travel on their own to make essential journeys, perform everyday tasks and get out to meet family and friends. Sadly, however, we have no drivers and escorts in this area, and this situation is one we would

very much like to redress. Volunteers are what we need, and if, on reading this, you feel you would like to help, please contact our Perth & Kinross District Office, 14 New Row, Perth PH1 5QA (01738 622474) for further information.

First Aid cover is always on hand in communities throughout Scotland at all types of events and gatherings, although it is hoped we won't require the assistance of Red Cross First Aiders.

It is hoped that some of your questions have now been answered, and that by being aware of these Red Cross Services you will be in a position to ask for assistance as and when the need arises.

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	11 Friday	Folk Feast Fundraising Ceilidh	featuring Jim Lindsay, in the Village Hall. Doors open 7.30pm. Members £3, non-members £4.
	14	Crooked Jack	Valentine night. Another evening of madness and mayhem with Denis Alexander at the wheel of the good ship "Jack". For lovers of subtle ballads and romantic airs, tonight is not your night!! If, however, you like your music with lots of energy, humour and good choruses, then you'll love this concert. Crooked Jack always gives us one of our most enjoyable evenings, and with it being Valentine's night, who knows what Denis will be up to!
	21	Anthony John Clark	This is Anthony's second visit to Glenfarg, after making such a great impression last year. Anthony is from Ireland via Liverpool, and is a tremendous singer/songwriter, with quite a few successful CDs to show for it. Anthony's gentle wit and audience interaction makes for a great evening's entertainment. If you remember Anthony from last year, we are sure you'll want to hear him again. If you missed him last year, then come along tonight and enjoy.
	28	Session	One of our popular singarounds, giving everyone a chance to join in.

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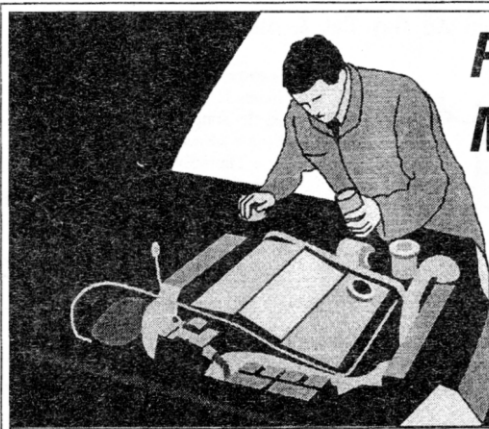
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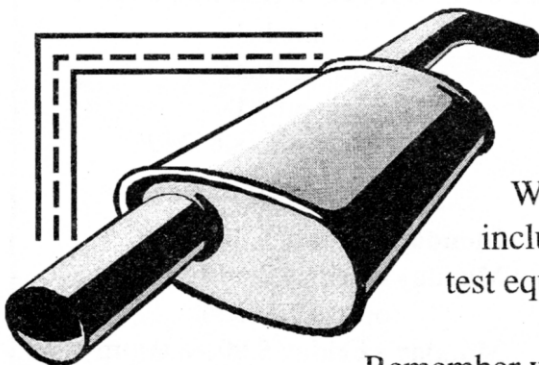
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Ladies Doubles	Sue Knowles & Marion Dickson	Elsbeth Buchan & Marguerite Norris
Gents Doubles	Stuart McHardy & Stuart Hannell	Steve Whiting & Alan Clark
Mixed Doubles	Graham Norris & Elspeth Buchan	Stuart McHardy & Irene Findlay

Midland success Our men's Midlands Team won their league! Hearty congratulations to all concerned. Onwards and upwards, boys!

Annual General Meeting At the AGM the following were elected to the committee: President, Anne Imrie; Treasurer, Anne Beveridge; Match Secretary, Alex Swanson; committee member, Graham Norris. As you can see, we still need a secretary, and could also do with a few more committee members. Anyone who would like to help, please contact any of the above. Even if it's your children who are the members, not you, we would value your input and help.

On a personal level I would like to thank the outgoing committee members, and all who have helped so much, in so many ways, over the past year.

Anne Imrie
President

Thanks

To all my customers who very generously donated tips at the festive season, thank you very much for your kind gesture of money and cards. I hope you all had a very nice Christmas and New Year. Yours sincerely,
Christopher McHardy (weekend paper boy)

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Dates to remember

FEBRUARY	11	Folk Club Ceilidh	Village Hall	7.30 pm
	11 & 14	School Holiday		
MARCH	6	Community Council	Church Hall	8.00 pm
	15	Neighbourhood Watch meeting	Church Hall	7.30 pm
	20	Community Council AGM		
	15	ITEMS FOR NEXT NEWSLETTER PLEASE		
	4	Playgroup Open Day	Village Hall	9.30 am – 12 noon
MAY	8	Village Hall AGM	Village Hall	8.00 pm
JUNE	17	Village Fete		

Mobile Library

The Library van visits the village on alternate Wednesdays (9 & 23 February, 8 & 22 March and 5 April), and stops at:

The School	09.30 - 10.15	Ladeside (P.O.)	10.30 - 11.15
Hayfield Road	10.15 - 10.30	Main Street	11.15 - 11.30
	Duncricvie Road		11.35 - 11.50

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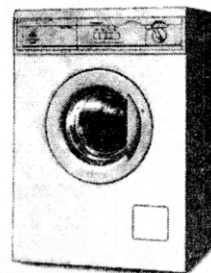
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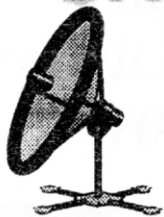
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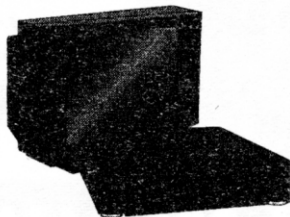


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