

THE GLENFARG Newsletter

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The village hall committee present a gift to Edith Coventry on her retiral (full story page 15).

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Editorial

Where did the summer go?

It seems that lots of people did some cycling! Not only did the Scouts do a marathon cycle (see pages 20 to 22) but the annual Glenfarg Bike Ride was taking place just as we went to press, and three villagers also cycled from just south of Aviemore to Lendrick Muir (Rumbling Bridge) – 120 miles over 2 days to raise money for a High Ropes Course for Scrioture Union.



Bill Chalmers (back) still smiling at the finish line - 120 miles over two days in wind, rain and sunshine!

Despite the lack of a barbecue summer, Glenfarg in Bloom has been beautiful this year and I for one have really appreciated walking round the village and seeing so much colour. Thank you for all the work that you do.

A bit further afield I've been enjoying watching El-El-Cee-Cee (well what else do you call Loch Leven Community Campus?). I guess we've all been watching the building work. The list of facilities is awesome – library, museum, cafeteria, gym, 2 football pitches, dance studio, junior football pitch, small games hall, 2 rugby pitches, hockey pitch, fitness suite, multi-use games area, climbing wall, 2 boules courts, cricket wicket, meeting rooms, conference rooms and all the usual classrooms. There's even a contemplation room and a hairdressing salon!

For months passing the site my husband would look at the topsoil heaped up and say 'We could do with some of that!' Apparently the contractors used a cut-and-fill scheme which meant that all the excavated material was retained on site and re-used to build up low areas behind the retaining walls.

With a new school, a one-stop shop for council services, a new surgery across the way **and** Sainsbury's - all of a sudden Kinross is barely recognisable!

There's a large scale opening planned for El-El-Cee-Cee (got a ring to it hasn't it?) so we can all have a 'nosy'. Planned for the weekend of Friday 20th-Sunday 22nd November, there will be a range of activities to bring together the whole community.

A bit nearer to home and sooner is the Glenfarg Holiday Club in the Village Hall in Glenfarg during the October Holidays. If you've got Primary 2-7 children it's an opportunity for them to meet up with friends and join **Showstoppers!** There will be drama, games, crafts, Bible Stories

and songs. It's being run by the Church in partnership with SU Scotland so expect lots of action! Pick up registration forms from school.

Now the new term is upon us and everyone has got into Autumn round of clubs and organisations some news will wend its way to us – surely? The editorial team are always hopeful that the village news will out-number the pages of adverts - so take up the challenge if you're part of a club, society etc and keep the rest of the village informed.



Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

No-one in our community can have been unaware of the recent acts of vandalism and theft within our village. Some may think that there is nothing we can do about these mindless individuals that are ruining the society for others but there is!! This letter is an appeal to all of you, those who witnessed the crimes, those who have reports from children, those who see anything suspicious and, most of

all, those who carried out the crimes. PLEASE help our police by reporting anything, even though you think it may be insignificant, the police may see otherwise and a tiny bit of information may unlock the case. Remember the police non emergency number 0300 111 2222 (This is a freefone number and replaces the old 0845 number) Let us together stamp out this blight on our community.

Kate Armstrong

School News

After a long and mainly wet summer holidays school returned on 19th August. The new P1s (all 19 of them!) have settled into their new school routine and everyone else have also settled really well into their new classes.

Over the summer the school's garden transformed into something resembling a jungle. It was prevented from becoming completely wild with the help of Glenfarg in Bloom as well as Mrs Young who tended the wildlife garden over the holidays. Help will now be sought from the pupils with both lunchtime and after school gardening clubs being set up

Farm Visit



It was a busy start to the new term. One of the main topics for Term 1 is Farming and Food. On 27th August, Primary 2-4 pupils went to Rosemount Farm, Blairgowrie. The farm is owned by The Co-operative Farms which is running a successful "From farm to Fork" scheme. They enjoyed a busy day learning about

various elements of farming from growing hedgerows and their importance for wildlife to how to grow strawberries. They also identified various crops. In the afternoon they had the chance to learn how wheat is used for food and got to make their own pizza.

Edinburgh Book Festival



On 1st September, P2-7 pupils all headed into Edinburgh to The Edinburgh Book Festival School Gala Day. The pupils got to attend workshops with various children's authors. Primary 2 & 3 had a session with Simon Puttock who talked about his "Goat & Donkey" books. P4 & 5 met with Charlie James who talked about her 2 books Fish and Dino Egg – the highlight being seeing some dinosaur pooh!!! P6&7 had their workshop with author Joan Lingard who read from 3 of her books What to do about Holly, The Eleventh Orphan and The File on Fraulein Berg.

School finishes on 2nd October.



Abernethy and Dron and Arngask Parish Church of Scotland

Church News

Baptism

At the service in Arngask Church on Sunday 30th August the Rev Alec Wark baptised Finlay James infant son of Gary & Jenny Rutherford and grandson of David & Fiona Rutherford, Glenfarg and Peter & Ethel Wood, Forfar.

Church - Scripture Union Holiday Club

The Church will run a Holiday Club in the Village Hall commencing Monday 12th October to Friday 16th October from 10.00am - 12.00 noon. This will be for P2 - P7 children, and will be organised by Scripture Union. There will be a limit of 40 children in relation to the number of supervising adults available. All adults taking part will be SCRO checked by Scripture Union.

Appeal

Prisoners' Week begins on Sunday 16th November. The focus will be on helping women at Cornton Vale Prison, many of whom have mental health problems, addiction problems or are just poor. The suggestion is that each person makes a single donation of an underarm roll-on deodorant, a bottle of shampoo or body wash (225ml is about right), or a hand soap. Some prisoners are virtually penniless and depend on charity for their self respect. There is also a baby cupboard, and donations of clothes from birth to one year would be helpful. These suggestions are specific for security reasons and for the well being of the women.

Diary Dates

18th October

Joint Service at Abernethy, 10.30am

29th November

"Homecoming Service" in Arngask Church – time to be arranged. *A joint service of music and song to celebrate the year of the homecoming.*

5th December

Christmas Sale in the Village Hall 10am – 12noon, all the usual stalls and "hopefully" Santa will be able to pay a visit!



SHOWSTOPPERS!

SHOWSTOPPERS is the theme for Glenfarg Holiday Club 2009. If you like the idea of drama, games, Bible stories, songs, friends ... this is for you!

When? Monday 12 – Friday 16th October,
10.00am – 12 noon.

Where? Village Hall, Glenfarg

Who for? Primary 2 – Primary 7

How much? £5 for the week or £1.50 a day

There's a special invite for mums, dads and family to come along and enjoy a taste of Showstoppers on Friday evening too.

Showstoppers is being run by Glenfarg Church of Scotland in partnership with

Scripture Union Scotland. All of the leaders working with the children are carefully vetted for work with children.



How can I join Showstoppers? Fill in the application form (available from school or on the next page) and return it to school or Rev Alec Wark.

How to be an apprentice!

John and Anne Sutherland have started a 'small group' at their home (St Clair Cottage, Greenbank Road) on Wednesday's at 7.30pm. During the next few weeks they will be using material by bestselling author Steve Chalke in 'Apprentice - Walking the Way of Christ'.

Anyone who wants to explore what it means to be an 'apprentice' in a laid back atmosphere is very welcome.

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Child's Name

GP's Name

Male Female

GP's Tel No.

Home Address

Any known allergies or health problems -

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Post Code

Tel: (Inc STD code)

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(Parent/Guardian)

School

School Year

Date of Birth

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Tel No.

Parental Consent

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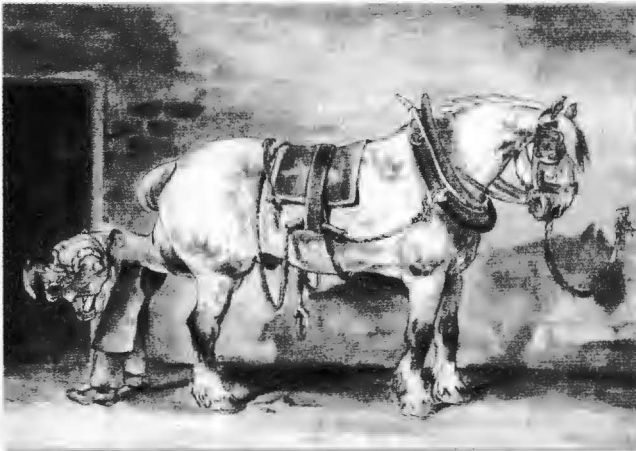
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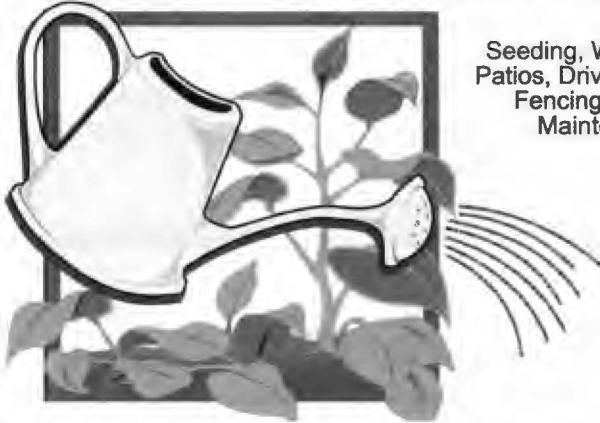


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Glenfarg Fashion Show

A cold and windy Sunday afternoon was brightened up on the 6th September when Innovations of Perth showed off their Autumn collection at a Fashion Show held in the Village Hall.

Eight lovely ladies gave up their time to strut their stuff on the cat walk and entertain the crowd who came along. The models, Christine Innes, Christine Brooks, Kate Armstrong, Kate Arnold, Hazel Marsden, Heather Wilkins, Karen Stephens and Amy Wishart, did an

excellent job. They all agreed it had been a great fun way to fill in an Autumn Sunday afternoon.

Marion Knott, the organiser, was delighted with the turnout and a total of £360 was raised. This amount will be split between 2 cancer Charities - Marie Curie and Prostate Cancer Scotland.

A huge Thanks to everyone who supported the event and for making it such a success.



Masked Ball

Masks and Posh frocks were the order of the day in Glenfarg Village Hall on Saturday 12th September....A masked Ball was organised to raise some funding for Diabetes UK.

The evening kicked off with some Fizz and canapés supplied by local ladies. Theevenings entertainment supplied initally by "Palm Court Ensemble De Sirron" a local group pulled together by Graham Norris which included Joe Norris ,Rachel Wilson and Lillian Swanson. This

was followed by Kevin Macleod who had the crowd dancing till the early hours to a mixture of rock and some contemporary tracks.

A raffle with fantastic prizes supplied by amongst others Best Western Hotels amd the Boutique at McEwen's, helped boost the final total to nearly £700 .A fantastic result .

Again a huge Thank you to everyone who supported this event.



Edith Retires

**Presentation given as Edith Coventry
retires as hall keeper**

The Glenfarg Village Hall committee, at their most recent meeting on 26th August, marked the retirement of Edith Coventry by presenting her with a gift to thank her for all her dedicated service.

Edith served as Glenfarg Village Hall keeper for 23 years, and holds an impressive work record of having had no holidays and only one period of sick leave in that whole time. She was presented with a cheque of £200 made up of donations from the Hall committee, community council and several hall users. She was also given a



plant and her husband Willie was given a bottle of whisky for his role as deputy hall keeper over the years!



Edith had this to say: “Many thanks to all the organisations who use the village hall for contributing to my retiral gift, it was very kind of you all.

“Also many thanks to the Community Council and The Hall Committee for their generosity - all very much appreciated.”

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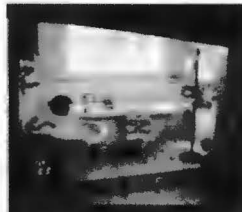


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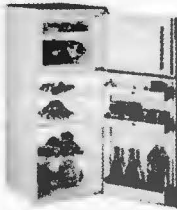
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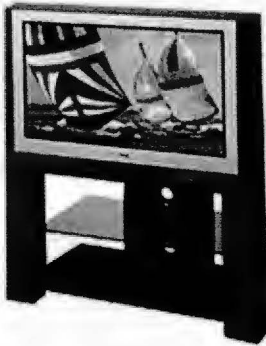
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Explorer Scout Cycle

Christine Morton tells of the Explorer Scouts' Mammoth cycle from Glen Nevis to Perth

Day 1 Glen Nevis Youth Hostel to Fort Augustus, 61 km, height climbed 673 metres

6 explorer scouts and three leaders set off in the drizzle from Glen Nevis youth hostel into Fort William and out towards Fort Augustus on the Great Glen cycle way. The sun came out as we watched some of the boats in the Neptune's staircase locks.

Unfortunately forestry operations had closed part of the cycle route and we ended up on the A82 between Inver Garry and bridge of Oich where Christine had cycled to meet us. We arrived in Fort August before the boats we had seen at Neptune's staircase despite it taking nearly an hour to mend Rhuaridh's puncture. We camped on the shore of Lochuanagan where the scouts were able to take a boat out onto the water.



Alasdair and Etienne relaxing at Lochuanagan

Day 2 Fort Augustus to Melgarve, 22km, height climbed 969 metres

We managed to get the tents down in the dry but the rain started not long after we started cycling up the road built by General Wade to the top of the Corriearyick pass. There were a



Cycle maintenance at Melgarve

few views down Loch Ness before we cycled up into the cloud on the summit plateau. We sheltered under a bridge for our first lunch stop and behind a derelict radio hut for our second. Cycling down the other side required care as there are huge stone ditches across the road that make excellent bike traps as Christine found out. The cloud cleared and we got some views down the Spey valley. We spent the night in Melgarve bothy in front of a fire, Etienne teach the explorers poker.

Day 3 Melgarve to Ruigh-aiteachain, 54km,height climbed 492 metres

It was blowing rain on the wind when we left Melgarve for a tarmac day.



At the head of Glen Feshie

The explorers made good use of the picnic area at Laggan before continuing to Kinguissie where we went to the Chippie for lunch, some were spotted going for a second lunch! We continued on the road as far as Tromie bridge and then headed across the woodland on forest tracks to Glen Feshie. Christine was waiting under a midgie hood with the support vehicle where we collected all our cooking and sleeping equipment and our food for the next 24 hours plus emergency rations. The additional weight altered the stability of the bikes and Alasdair ended up sitting on the road. We crossed the rickety bridge over the river feshie singly and continued through the ancient Caledonian pine forest to ruigh-aiteachan bothy. The bothy was already occupied by a large party. While Christine and Robert cycled the 10km trip to get tents, Gillian and Alasdair cooked and the explorers relaxed by lighting a fire.

Day 4 Ruigh-aiteachain to Pitlochry, 66km, height climbed 724 metres

The midgies were ferocious as we took the tents down in the morning. Gillian did a bike repair and maintenance session before the explorers started cycling up Glen Feshie. The steam team (Alasdair and Etienne) had cycled back to the car with Robert to transport the extra gear) caught up with the main party after 5km. Despite the sun coming out and a slight breeze we were plagued by midgies any time we had to push or carry the bikes. Rhuaridh spotted a camera shy adder as we prepared to cross the geldie. Gavin decided to cycle across the geldie, and ended up face first in it. Unhurt, but very wet. We cycled up a grassy path to a low coll and into Glen Tilt where Robert met us. Once over the falls of Tarf it was an easy downhill to Old Blair and down the old A9 to a barbeque celebration at Pitlochry scout hall.

Day 5 Pitlochry to Perth, too wet for electronics to work!

Stewart announced at breakfast that he'd heard the forecast and it was rain. The forecasts had not been accurate so far so we hoped it was wrong. It was right for once. We were on tarmac most of the day and were wet by the time we stopped for lunch in Dunkeld. It was cosy in the bus shelter with a party size of 9. There were 90 minute delays that day at the Bankfoot road works making quicker to cycle to Perth but certainly not drier.



Explorer Scout Cycle

Top- Top of the Corrieyarick pass, left to right Scott, Stewart, Christine Etienne, Alasdair, Rhuaridh, Gavin, Scott

Bottom- The finish, left to right Robert, Gavin, Etienne, Rhuaridh, Stewart, Scott, Gillian, Gavin, Alasdair, Scott





Glenfarg WRI

J Kirkland, Vice President, welcomed members to the first meeting of the new season. Duncan Davidson from Dunfermline showed excellent slides of moths and butterflies dispelling some of the myths commonly held by the public. He highlighted the importance of recording sightings of moths and butterflies and the location where seen.

I Bettaney gave the vote of thanks.

The competition winners were:-

Holiday Photograph

- 1st M Blair
- 2nd H Quartermaine
- 3rd L Johnson

Fruit Crumble

- 1st I Bettaney
- 2nd L Yull
- 3rd J Grigg

Flower of the Month

- 1st J Kirkland
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Phew - what a summer!!!! And yes I'm not referring to any heatwave!!

The months seem to fly past and no sooner have we had the big planting than along come the judges of Beautiful Perthshire.

Many of you will already have heard the

results from that day but it still deserves a mention again ... and again.... and

again!!!! GDIB only won a GOLD in the large Village Category plus the overall (all categories) Best Community Involvement plus the overall Best Involvement with Community Youth!!!!!!!



Is there anyone else like me who can hardly comprehend the distance we have travelled in our 4 years of entering this competition? Cast your minds back to our very first "Get Stuck In" day when we attacked branches, weeds, litter and waste ground. Hard work then but

look at the results.

Of course nothing could have happened without YOU. The volunteers who regularly maintain the Glenfarg

Green and the displays, the watering volunteers, the school, the scouts, the local businessmen, the financial supporters and all the others who most importantly lend a hand as required. I wish I could include all your names but the newsletter editorial team may object to having to publish a

double size edition. Suffice to say we know who you are and your continuing support is applauded by the entire community.

Of course we are now into the "Autumn Schedule" so the cycle begins again. As always you can join in as much or as little as you can manage.

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Thank you all again.

Kate Armstrong



"To see ourselves as others see us"

Robert Burns asked for gift to see ourselves as others see us and Glenfarg has just been given this gift in the form of the judges feedback to our entry in the Calor Village of the Year. As you will recall from the last newsletter we had just heard that we were pipped for the top award by the Isle of Eigg but I'm sure that you'll agree Glenfarg has an awful lot going for it.

The final judging considered 4 categories namely 1) People - making the extra effort 2) Business – benefiting the community 3) Sustainability – building for the future and 4) Communications – keeping the whole community informed.

The full transcript of the feedback is displayed in the Community Council case in Ladeside but I would like to share some excerpts with you here.

Category 1 People “The Glenfarg Village presentation was a very impressive one and they were indeed worthy finalists. 'People making the extra effort' was very much evident and the overall impression was that this is the norm for the community and not the exception. With the many clubs and organisations in the village it is difficult to see how residents have time to earn a living.”

Category 2 Business

“ ...impression given in this category was that there was not a 'business' community and a 'local' community but just one large integrated body of people.....working together and supporting each other for the overall common good.employment, financial support and donation of materials and labour for projects....”

Category 3 Sustainability

“...efforts to encourage visitors to the village are impressive and

successful.....this is one happy community with a single beating heart – not a conglomeration of old folk, young folk, commuters, local businessmen etc. If the community continue with their blueprint and succession planning with the inclusion and education of the primary school children and the youths of the village then the future of Glenfarg is in good hands indeed”

Category 4 Communications

“While Glenfarg uses their CC Newsletter, notice boards and shop window I was particularly impressed by the way the whole community has embraced the modern electronic communications.”

Yes this is how others see us and I hope you agree it makes for joyous reading. Again thank you to all who helped put together our entry.

Kate Armstrong

Scout Summer Camp, Mull

Eight scouts and three leaders left Glenfarg before nine on the Saturday morning heading for summer camp. Five hours later and after two ferry crossings we arrived at Kellan wood beside Loch na keal on the west coast of Mull. It was raining, and the tents were quickly pitched and continued to rain as fires were lit to cook the evening meal.

As the weather improved on the Sunday morning we saw the sea eagles for the first time- enormous birds that soared up and away from us with hardly a wing beat. Ali joined us on Sunday afternoon. We explored the shore line in the evening hoping but failing to get away from the midges – it was a still night and when the moon appeared above Ben More it was reflected on the sea loch.

Monday morning Andrew took the sea eagle patrol to Tobermory to go sailing and fishing on the sound of Mull. The golden eagle patrol went further west past the island of Ulva

and explored the Eas Fos – a series of waterfalls with the last fall dropping 100ft onto the shoreline below. The two patrols swapped activities in the



The Golden Eagles, Calum, Gavin, Struan, Michael, Ali

afternoon, it was too windy to go out into the sound of mull and the patrols were confined to exploring Tobermory bay on a rib. Many thanks to John Campbell for sailing to Mull.

On Tuesday afternoon the patrol leaders organised their patrols to make camp ovens and then light the fires under them to warm the ovens up. The scouts tested the ovens by making and cooking scones.

Wednesday was the older scouts overnight camping expedition. They were driven on the single track road round the Ardmeanach peninsula to their start at Ardvergnish. The track up to a coll below Ben More was indistinct and the land very rugged. The scouts walked up some of the gorges and explored caves. The rain started as we reached the high point and continued for a couple of hours,



Golden Eagles patrol cook Saturday night's meal

completely soaking them. Each time we crossed a burn the warm water in their boots was replaced by cold water. We ended up just wading across the river clachaig as our feet and legs couldn't get any wetter even though the rain had stopped. We camped for the night on some very lumpy ground at Loch Ba. In the morning we walked back to the campsite in the sunshine.

Thursday evening the scouts used the camp ovens to roast chickens for the evening meal. We then sat under a shelter beside a huge fire talking, making toffee popcorn and toasting marshmallows.

Friday morning we went round to the official viewing point to watch the sea eagles with a guide. During the week we had frequently seen the pair of sea eagles that were nesting in the wood behind the camp site, watched them soar away, seen them skim over the surface of the loch and return to their nest in the trees with their chick. We had watched the groups of wild life



Sea Eagles patrol working on the competition meal

tourists sit in the car park failing to see the eagles who would reappear after the parties had left. The eagle made a very brief appearance when we were at the official viewing point. We did find out about the history of the reintroduction, how the birds were brought from Norway and the habits and diet of the sea eagle.

Friday afternoon we went to Tobermory to enable the patrols to purchase the food for the competition meal. The meal is marked on presentation, nutritional content, value conversation and team work. The golden eagles freshly made chicken curry with hot garlic bread followed by angel delight. The sea eagles served smoked salmon salad, chicken stir fry followed by raspberry sponge. The sea eagles went all out on the presentation, they had carved a hollow into a piece of wood to hold an arrangement of wild flowers!

Saturday morning we finished striking camp, packed up the minibus and trailer in the rain arriving home 6 hours later.



The Sea Eagles, Scott, Naill, Malcolm, Moray



SCOUT SUMMER CAMP, MULL

Top- Older scouts returning from the overnight camping expedition; Bottom- View over camp to Ben More



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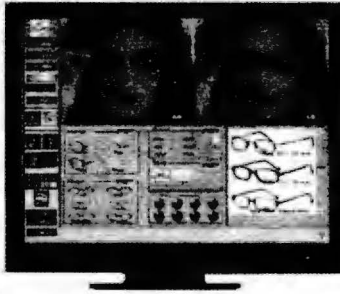
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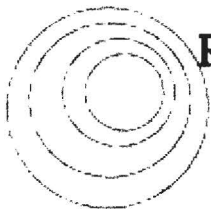
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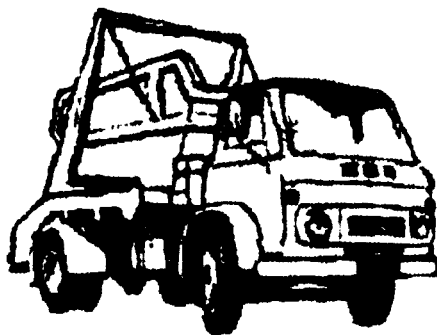


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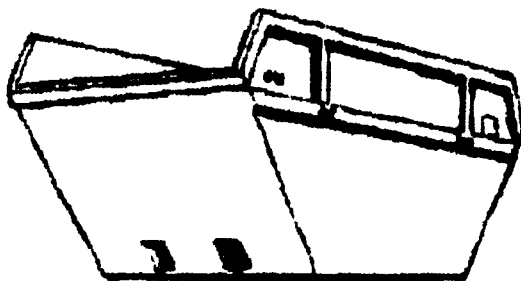
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Revising of the Regulations of Glenfarg Village Hall

A new Constitution for a new Hall

At the AGM of the Glenfarg Village Hall Association in May 2009 it was decided that the Hall Regulations need to be reviewed and modernised.

A sub-committee was appointed comprising Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer and a Committee Member.

The sub-committee reviewed model constitutions for Village Halls and concluded that the model most suited to the needs of Glenfarg Village Hall was one prepared by Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations SCVO.

The sub-committee found that the SCVO model required very little change to adapt it for use by Glenfarg Village Hall Association.

The model is rather longer than the existing regulations but it provides a much more detailed and defined set of rules that will comply with the current rules for charities

The proposed new constitution was discussed at the July Committee meeting of the Association, and it was agreed to advertise the proposed changes widely within the community.

The Hall Committee recommends the adoption of the draft constitution for a number of reasons:

- 1 It would enable us to improve our communications with our members
- 2 It would allow us to develop the idea of membership
- 3
- 4 It would improve the ability of the committee to manage the hall efficiently and effectively
- 5
- 6 It would provide greater clarity regarding the role and responsibilities of members, the committee, and the trustees
- 7
- 8 It would make the procedures of the association more transparent
- 9
- 10 It would make provision for declarations of interest, members conduct, dissolution, sub-committees and interpretation, and would thereby improve the governance of the hall
- 11
- 12 It would better provide for the long term future of the hall.

The key changes that are proposed are as follows:

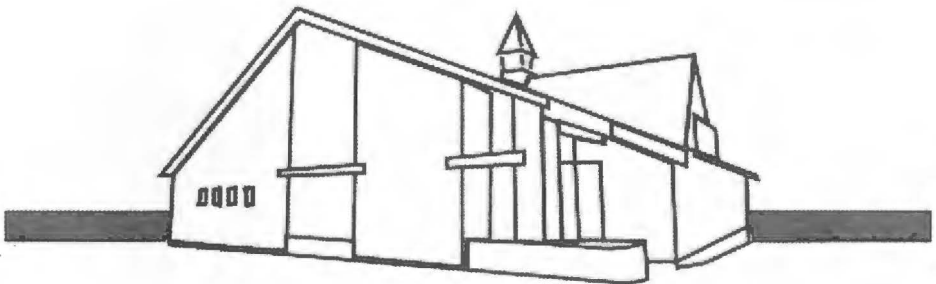
- 1 **Membership of the Hall Association would be free**
- 2 **All residents of Glenfarg and neighbouring districts are eligible to become members**
- 3 **To become a member it will be necessary to register your name and contact address with the Association**
- 4 **The management committee shall be elected by the membership at the AGM and shall have up to nine members including four office bearers, two representatives of hall users, and up to three secondees.**

- 5 **A general meeting can be called at any time should seven or more members wish to do so.**

Copies of the proposed revised constitution are available in the Hall and it is also available on request as an electronic copy via the website contact at www.glenfarg.org or email editor@glenfarg.org

Comments are invited from all local residents and it is intended to put the revised constitution to the AGM in 2010 at which a 2/3 majority would be required before it can be adopted. Once adopted, the new constitution would be put to the Trustees and to OSCR (the Charity Regulator) for information and approval.

***Cedric Wilkins
Chairman
Glenfarg Village Hall
Committee***



RDA - Glenfarg Group News



Angela Stocks, (Instructor), Rachel Oudney on Tiffin, Margaret Gordon (Secretary Glenfarg Group), David Wallace on Storm.

Glenfarg Group RDA

Rachel Oudney and David Wallace from Glenfarg RDA Group attended a 'bronze Proficiency Test' Training Holiday on July 20th - 24th at Middleton Park Equestrian Centre at Leeds.

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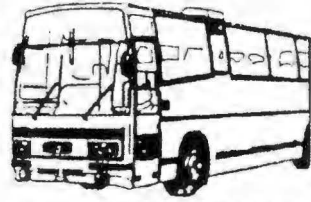
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Donations for raffle prizes, or even better items suitable for auction such as holidays to exotic locations, or a weekend away would be most welcome.

Tickets priced at £12.50 (to include a bottle of wine) are on sale from Jayne Morgan on 830111.

Because tickets are always in great demand and sell out fast, they are strictly limited to 4 per household, and payment must be made on application.

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Draft Minutes of meeting held on 7th Sept 2009

Present

CCllrs Armstrong, Bisset, Bruce, Campbell (Chairman), Connolly, Doran, MacKenzie, Murison

By Invitation

Cllrs Baird and Robertson

Apologies

CCllrs Johnston, Quartermaine, Vaughan

Members of Public

4 members of public present

Previous minutes

Draft minutes of meeting 29.06.09 approved. Proposed CClr Connolly, seconded CClr MacKenzie

Matters arising

Parking at Village Hall Secretary to find previous minute of agreement that area be gravelled (possibly 1995)
Community Benefit Fund Chairman has contacted other Community Council seeking advice and awaits reply.

Police Report

Unfortunately there was no Police Officer at this meeting. Concern was expressed at the increase of vandalism, theft and litter (in particular alcohol containers in Wallace Park). Cllr Robertson is to pursue with local police with a view to

increase of police presence in village. Residents are encouraged to report all incidents to police.

Treasurer Report

Current Balance £471.21. Annual subscription to P&K CC Convention paid.
Wreath to be ordered. Registered signatories for all accounts to be changed as appropriate. Continuation of investment of Marquee Fund to be reviewed to maximise interest rate available.

Planning

New Regulations and Guidance CClr Bruce informed meeting on new legislation outlining main changes. It was recorded that Glenfarg CC has reputation for fair assessment of all planning applications. P&K will now only submit significant planning applications to CCs before public listing.

Sub Committee update Following objections lodged by GCC we have been advised by P&K that application at Hilton of Duncruevie has been approved while other has been refused. No current significant applications.

Lomond Hotel The application for waiver of affordable housing aspect refused by P&K. Cllr Baird indicated that developers may appeal. It was agreed that GCC attempt to contact developers with a view to encouraging either appeal or joint working with housing association in order to break

this stalemate and to ultimately eradicate the village eyesore. Fears were expressed on possible safety issues and safety surveys continue.

Correspondence

No items of correspondence required action. CCllr Armstrong reported on judging feedback from Calor Village of the Year. This is being displayed in CC showcase and extracts have been inserted in newsletter.

Wind Farm

It was with deep regret and disgust that CCllr Bruce reported that he had still been unable to meet with P&K Planning to discuss planning application condition enforcement despite frequent requests on his part to P&K including Chief Executive. On attending P&KC offices, by arrangement, to view items requested under a Freedom of Information action on 3rd August he was advised that Head of Planning was on holiday. The files made available under the FoI request had not been updated since late 2008. Consequently, many issues remain unanswered. MSPs Smith and Fraser have both been contacted. The committee agreed that CCllr Bruce offer 3 dates to P&K Planning, copying his correspondence to Chief Executive, CCllrs Baird and Robertson, and MSPs Smith and Fraser.

AOCB

Footpath from park to Ash Grove Cllr Baird is to pursue the completion of this path which was linked to the Safe

Route to School project.

Clock Tower Mr & Mrs Holt Brook have asked the Community Council to assist in their application for grant funding to effect repairs to clock and clock tower. The committee agreed that they would support through reference or if necessary application. Mr & Mrs Holt Brook to further pursue with P&K Grants Direct exactly what is required of GCC.

Roadside Bushes After initial approach to landowners, problems should be reported to P&K on 01738 476476.

Broken Glass in Park CCllr Bisset reported that dog had been badly injured by stepping on broken glass. All such incidents should be reported to P&K on 01738 476476.

P&K Helpline Cllr Baird stressed the importance of use of P&K Helpline 01738 476476 as and when problems occur. Anyone can use this number to report any council related issues. Criminal incidents should be reported to police.

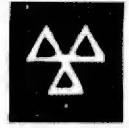
Glenfarg & Duncricvie in Bloom The committee congratulated GDIB on their award of large village category Gold Medal in addition to overall Best Community Youth Involvement and Best Community Involvement silver salvers.

Meeting closed at 8.55pm

**Next meeting - 2nd November 2009
7.30pm**

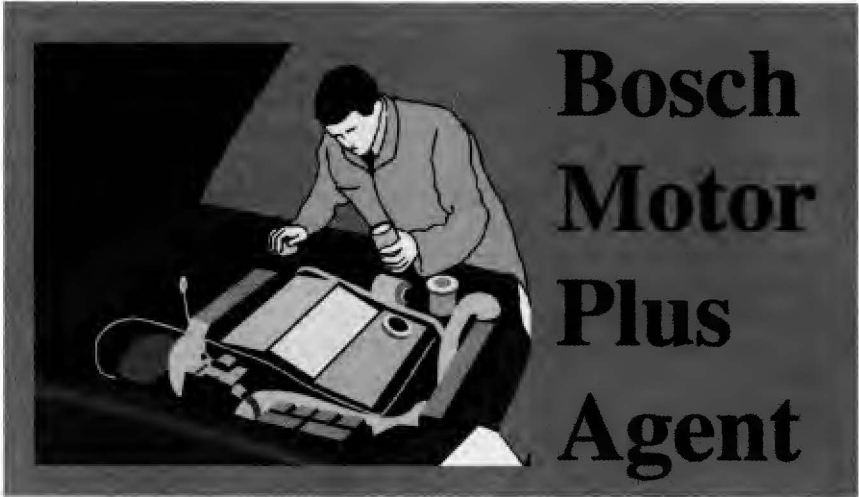


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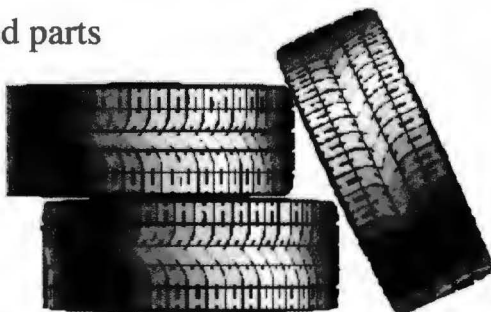
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GENERAL INFORMATION

Doctor's Surgeries

Loch Leven Health Centre, Lathro, Kinross 01577 862 112

01577 865 252 Out of Hours

The Surgery, Main Street, Bridge of Earn 01738 812 000

08454 242424 - NHS 24 Out of Hours

Mobile Services

Library

The van visits the village on alternate Wednesdays:

14th & 28th October, 11th & 25th November

And stops at: The School: 09:30-10:15

Hayfield Road: 10:15-10:30

Ladeside (P.O.): 10:30-11:15

Main Street: 11:15-11:30

Duncrievie: 11:35-11:50



Bank of Scotland: Stops at Glenfarg Hotel every Tuesday 10.45-11.00

Mobile Post Office: Stops outside The Old Joiners workshop, Ladeside, Glenfarg on the following days and times:

Mon 10.45-11.45; Tues 12.45-2.15 ; Thurs 10.45-11.45 : Fri 12.45 - 2.15

Recycling

Recycling Points:

Glenfarg: Arngask School car park for cans, paper and glass

Kinross: Causeway Car Park, Sainsbury's, Station Road for cans, Glass, Paper, Textiles.

Milnathort: Thistle Inn, Black Loan for cans, Glass, Paper.

Perth: Tesco, Edinburgh Road, For Cans, Glass, Paper, Textiles & Books.

Skips:

Kinross (Bridgend Industrial Estate): Open Mon-Fri 9am-7pm, Sat-Sun 9am-5pm

Perth (Friarton Recycling Centre): Open Mon -Fri 9am-7pm, Sat-Sun 9am-5pm

New kerbside recycling service: Waste collection dates

Glenfarg

Green lidded bin (*Non-recyclable waste*): Mondays 5th & 19th October;
2nd, 16th & 30th November

Blue lidded bin (*Paper, cardboard, cans, plastic*): Mondays 12th & 26th
October; 9th & 23rd November

Brown lidded bin (*Garden & food waste*): Thursdays 8th & 22nd October;
5th & 19th November; 3rd December

Duncrievie

Green lidded bin (*Non-recyclable waste*): Thursdays 8th & 22nd October, 5th & 19th
November; 3rd December

Blue lidded bin (*Paper, cardboard, cans, plastic*): Thursdays 1st, 15th & 29th
October; 12th & 26th November

Brown lidded bin (*Garden & food waste*): Saturdays 3rd, 17th & 31st October; 14th &
28th November

