

Wemyss Bay Village News

230th Edition

June 2009

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Gala Weekend Friday 12th June - Sunday 14th June

Well once again the Friday evening has been a sell out with tickets being snapped up quickly at the Community Centre Box Office on Thursday 28th May. We are looking forward to the night which will be hosted by John Scott of 'Your Radio' and will have a 'Homecoming' theme, so dig out the tartan or anything Scottish!!!!!!

Harkie will be there with his catering van if you feel a bit peckish during the evening and we are also providing a tuckshop in the Community Centre.

WHATS ON IN THE GALA MARQUEE

Saturday 13th June 2009

12.00 pm The Grand Opening of the Gala followed by:
The Crowning of the Gala King and Queen compared by John Scott from Real Radio.
The Brownie Country Dancing Team Display
Graffiti Dance Troupe Display
Raffle and Stand Up Bingo
Wemyss Bay's Got Talent

Party on in the Marquee with Real Radio's John Scott and enjoy a refreshment at our very well stocked bar at the back of the marquee.

The times of all events will be advertised on the day and announced throughout by Our resident DJ. Please come into the marquee to support the kids as they have practised hard for this day and look forward to displaying their skills.

We will have our usual attractions such as the ever popular Laser Quest, giant inflatable rides, magic teacups, bouncy castle, beat the goalie, coconut shy, tattoos, face painting, portable ceramics studio, nail bar and much, much more. Food will be provided during the day by The Youth Clubs hamburger and hot dog stall, The Community Associations soup stall, home baking in the Guides Tearoom in the Community Centre and Harkie our local ice cream award winner with his ice cream and catering vans. The Brownies will be running a bottle and book stall, with the Nursery Lending Library having a lucky dip and hook the duck. In addition to this we will be visited by the local fire brigade, police, coast guard and Invernet Bus. The entertainment will be compared throughout the day when you will have the chance to win some great prizes in our raffle and stand up bingo.

After last year's success, Wemyss Bay's Got Talent returns to this years Gala. We are looking forward to watching what talents Wemyss Bay has to offer. Contact lynsey.halliday@yahoo.co.uk for further details.

Saturdays' event will now run until 6pm when the bar will be closed and those who are still standing are more than welcome to join us in a clean up.

Sunday at 11.00am, as usual is turned over to the Ardgowan Football Development for their annual presentations.

As usual we are looking for volunteers to help in any way they can from Thursday evening until Monday, including helping to set up the marquee, building gazebos, working behind the bar (no experience necessary), manning stalls and general clean up duties. Please contact Denise on 521437 if you can spare some time. Any other gala enquiries contact Ann Marie on 522998.

Hello – from Wemyss Bay Primary

As usual we have been busy at Wemyss Bay Primary. Here are some reports of the things we have been doing.

Health Week

Health Week was from the 11th to 15th May. We had a very busy week with lots of visitors coming in to talk to us. Active Health came in on Thursday and did Team Combat with everyone. It was great fun and very tiring. On the Monday afternoon some of the classes had a chance to try indoor curling. We all had the chance to learn more about healthy eating, including the Nursery and Primaries 1 to 4 had great fun with Gladigators. Some of the other activities were Road Safety, Oral Health, Street Mates and Emotions.com. The week finished with potted sports which Arran won.

Go Yellow Day

Primary 2/1 organised the annual Go Yellow Day activities. Every class had the chance to take part in the yellow obstacle course in the gym hall and Mrs Eagleston and Primary 5 girls were painting nails yellow. At playtime Primary 2/1 sold yellow fruits which included bananas and pineapple. Throughout the week everyone had been bringing in 1p and 2p pieces and they were used to make one large and four small sunflowers.

Mrs Morton dressed up as a banana for the day but the most popular activity was throwing wet sponges at Miss Mitchell and Mrs Kane.

A sum of £550 was raised for Ardgowan Hospice. Well done to Primary 2/1 for a fun day and raising such a large amount of money.

Ross Finnie MSP

In the last edition I felt sure everyone in Wemyss Bay would be angered at the decision by NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde to close the Tea Bar at Inverclyde Royal run by the League of Friends. Then common sense broke out – well nearly. The Board announced it was still awaiting the outcome of the trials of its Arma café concept and that the Tea bar's eviction notice had been lifted. It would have been so much simpler if the Board had simply had the good grace to admit it was wrong that the League of Friends provided an excellent service and would be allowed to continue permanently. But no - we have to await the outcome of the review.

The Scottish Parliament has approved the general principle of the Climate Change Bill which aims to support the achievement of an 80 per cent. reduction in carbon emissions by 2050. I believe climate change is one of the most serious threats we face as a society and so I had no problem in supporting the principles of the Bill. The difficulty is to give the Bill teeth without creating unnecessary bureaucracy regardless of the legislation, it will take a collective effort to meet the targets including: reducing the heating requirement of our homes; reducing the energy requirement of our domestic appliances; reducing our petrol consumption; and even stopping the habit of boiling a full kettle when we are only making one cup of tea.

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Friends of Wemyss Bay Station

Stuart McMillan, MSP for the West of Scotland Region, will hold a surgery for constituents at Wemyss Bay Station Bookshop on Friday 29th May, from 4.5 - 5.00 p.m. At the end of his surgery Mr McMillan will hand over a charity cheque to the Friends of Wemyss Bay Station after undertaking a questionnaire with ComRes.

Nancy Cameron

Waste Collection

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WBVN - homecare scandal

I am sure anyone who watched the recent Panorama expose, Britain's Homecare Scandal, will share my disgust.

The programme used secret cameras to reveal some of the awful failures of the country's at-home care provision for the elderly.

I immediately argued for a Scottish Parliament inquiry and the first evidence session will be held by the Local Government Committee, of which I am the convenor, this month

I hope it will allow us to put safeguards in place that prevent this neglect happening again.

Never again should we see an elderly man – a war veteran no less - being given a bed bath while his carer talked on her mobile phone.

And these daily visits, which act as lifelines to the elderly confined to their homes, should last the full half-hour, not cut down to just four minutes as we witnessed on Panorama.

But the main focus on the forthcoming inquiry will be use of e-procurement, which allows private care providers to bid in a reverse e-auction for contracts, just like you would bid for cheap jewellery on a home shopping channel.

There is no doubt that care quality was compromised as a result.

This programme asks difficult questions about the realities of getting old and sometimes it is easier to imagine these problems don't exist.

But we have a duty to look after these older people who simply want to remain at home. After all, they looked after us when it was their turn.

Wemyss Bay Brownies

The Brownies have been working on the Environment Badge and have done really well. Thanks to Amy for all her hard work and we wish her good luck on her placement.

At the Gala Day the Brownies are running a bottle stall and would appreciate any donations. Donations can be handed into Brownies or passed to any of the girls (although if it is alcohol it must be handed to an adult).

We are also having a second hand book stall and all proceeds will go to our Change the World charity which will buy books for children in Africa. Again donations please.

We are also collecting socks for the homeless (who tell us that apart from a home a new pair of socks is what they want most). These can be handed to any Brownie or put in the bag at our stall at the gala day. This is also one of our Change the World charities. Primark ones are just fine.

Thank you very much and we look forward to seeing you all on the 12th June.



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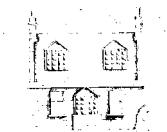
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Ardgowan Football Development

The AFD Gala Day will be held on Sunday 14th June at the Wemyss Bay Community Centre. We would encourage all parents, grandparents and friends to come along to see the kids show off their football skills.

11:15	AFD Parade
11:30	Coaching Sessions
12:30	Presentation of Certificates & Trophies
13:45	Buffet* & Refreshments
15:00	Close

Ardgowan Football Development 2008 – 2009

This has been an excellent year for AFD with a record number (170) of kids attending the Sunday Sessions. The AFD Coaches deliver a structured coaching programme, based on key football themes, such as control, passing and shooting, but always with an emphasis on fun.

ATFC

This has been an excellent year for the ATFC Squads. The Under 13's narrowly missed out on the League title in their first year of competitive 11 A Side Football; the Under 12's enjoyed their first taste of 11 A Sides, winning and drawing a number of games; and the younger Development Squads played a number of friendly matches, many against older teams, winning the majority of these playing 4 touch football!! Three ATFC Squads travelled to an International Football Tournament in Barcelona and, although they did not progress to the later stages, they enjoyed the Fair Play Trophy and were a credit to Ardgowan Football Development. Well done boys!

Registration Day

Our 2007/2008 Registration Day takes place on Sunday 16th August in Wemyss Bay Community Centre. A full kit will be issued on receipt of annual fees, which for the 9th year in a row remain at £60 (Family Discounts available for parents with more than 1 child in AFD), so all kids must register. We have decided to give unused or old kit to charity and we would ask parents to bring any old kit and football strips along on registration day.

Primary 1 – 3	12:00 - 14:00
Primary 4 – 7	14:00 - 16:00

David Cairns MP

WORKING TOGETHER IN TIMES OF CRISIS

The recent Swine Flu epidemic shows just what a small world we live in these days. Who would think that something happening in Mexico could have such an impact here in Inverclyde? Yet, within a matter of weeks, the disease was in Scotland and a primary school close to Wemyss Bay had to be closed.

Inverclyde has more cases of Swine Flu than anywhere else in the UK, though thankfully this now seems to be under control. Ravenscraig Primary School has re-opened and those who were ill are well on the way to recovery. But it just shows how interconnected we all are. Some local people work in Mexico. It is a popular holiday makers from all over Inverclyde and, if you are booked up to go there in the summer, you should check the Foreign Office website for up-to-date travel advice.

The good news is that Swine Flu cases were contained quickly and efficiently. And we all saw just what could be achieved when different parts of government worked together for the overall good of the population.

The Health Board advised the Council and a local school and nursery were closed. The Scottish Government liaised with the UK Government and testing was carried out at laboratories in London. The UK Government then negotiated with the pharmaceutical companies for large quantities of the Tammi Flu vaccine which can be distributed throughout Britain, should it be needed. Things work well when we co-operate: It's a lesson worth learning.

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Wemyss Bay Primary School PTA

Gosh...it doesn't seem that long since we were writing this for last months Village News!

The end of the year is nigh for the current PTA committee, but we've got a busy time until the end of June.

Unfortunately our Pampered Chef night was cancelled due to a lack of interest. For future events, we really need acceptance forms filled out before the night as we hold the events on the responses we receive, mainly through the school.

We will as always support the school drama show by providing tea and coffee on both nights.

There will be a hot dog day at the school on Friday 5 June in support of the Primary 5 venture. Hot dogs cost £1 and we ask that both nursery (morning and afternoon) and school pupils pay for this. Thank you in advance.

It's the Primary 7 School Dance on Monday 22 June. It's a night we all enjoy and the pupils always look fantastic.

An update....it was agreed at our last meeting on 11 May that two of our committee members will attend St Andrew's Ambulance Association first aid training. Once this is completed I will update you further.

Our next meeting is Monday 8th June at 7pm in the school. As always please come along
Jill Pearson, Secretary PTA

Wemyss Bay Bible Club and Youth Group

June is a busy month for our clubs before we stop for summer! As well as having our summer parties and prizegivings, Bible Club will be going to Funworld and an end of term outing is being planned for Youth Group. At the Gala Day on the 13th June we will again be doing a Beat the Keeper fundraiser - please come along and support us! Some of our young people and leaders will then be away to summer camps in July and August.

Please note that the clubs will be off on Monday, 1st June due to the school holiday weekend. Both clubs will resume on 8th June. Bible Club meets on Monday evenings from 6.15pm to 7.30pm and all children from P1 to P6 are welcome. Activities include games, songs, competitions, Bible stories and other activities. Youth Group is also on a Monday evening and meets from 7.45pm to 9.30pm and is for young people in P7 and high school, with similar activities suitable for that age, including games (such as dodgeball!) and a tuck shop. The clubs are run by Strathclyde Bible Ministries (SBM) and there are no fees for either club. New young people are always welcome. If you would like further information, please contact Stephen Renton on 01505 355994.

71st Beavers

FANTASTIC FUN DAY FOR LOCAL BEAVERS

More than 100 beavers took part in the district fun day at Eglinton Country Park on Saturday 16th May, with the local 71st Ayrshire Beaver colony joining groups from Arran, Beith, Ardrossan and Kilwinning for a fantastic day of fun and games.

The boys and girls from Skelmorlie and Wemyss Bay enjoyed a range of activities including circus skills, bubble magic and lots of outdoor fun on a lovely sunny day. The highlight of the day for some of the beavers was the choccie marshmallows.

Parents and beavers are reminded that we are having a family sausage sizzle and fun evening on Monday 8th June at Stroove – please call Fiona on 522901 for more information.



Wemyss Bay



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Also – if you are going into hospital and would like a visit from the parish minister please let him know, as hospitals are no longer in a position to furnish ministers or chaplains with patient lists.

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From the Parish Manse

Just these words.....to say that vacation time is upon us once again. Actually, we took our family vacation early. We went off to California with our daughter Katie, son-in-law Niall and our grandchildren, Hannah, Charlie and Robbie. Yes, babysitting was the name of the game and needless to say all the children went down with a bug in the first week.

Aren't holiday's great fun! Daddy was out working at the University and Papa was just out!

Yes, holidays are a time when people are supposed to change the pace a bit, alter their routines and take something of a break from the everyday schedules and concerns. And depending on circumstances they can also present an opportunity to refresh our vision, and perhaps tackle some of the significant issues that don't always get the attention they deserve.

What am I doing with my life? What is the quality of my relationships? How do I treat those around me? What is my relationship to God – how is that doing? Am I happy with where I am in life? Could I be doing better than I am? Listen if any of these questions impinge upon your thinking then you want to sign up for the Alpha Course that we will be running come September. We will be making application forms available nearer the time. Don't miss the opportunity to sign up.

Have a refreshing and enjoyable summer

Morris Coull.

Inverkip and Wemyss Bay Community Council

Business Meeting to be held on Thursday 4th of June 2009 Inverkip Hotel – 7.30pm

AGENDA

1. Chairman's welcome and Opening Comments
2. Apologies for absence
3. Police matters
4. Minutes of Business Meeting held on Thursday 7th of May 2009. Matters arising
5. Secretary's Report and Correspondence
6. Treasurer's Report
7. Planning matters
8. Date and time of next meeting - Thursday 2nd of July 2009
9. Any other business

71st Ayrshire Scout Group & THE BAY Explorer Unit - Iain Carmichael (ESL)

After April's break all sections are now back and concentrating on outdoor activities as part of their summer programme.

May see's the group start preparations for our annual Jumble Sale in June, this is the group's major fund raising event of the year and the support of the local community is key to the success of the event and ultimately the group for the next year.

The Explorer Unit has been relatively quiet this month due to school examinations even so we have had three outdoor sessions include bridge building and the old favourite fire lighting!

And Now For the Small Print

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1st Wemyss Bay Guides

The Guides enjoyed completing their Go for It Experiment during May. As part of this challenge the girls had to create static electricity using a balloon to move their drinks can forwards in a Patrol race. The girls also had to try and keep a malteaser in the air for as long as possible, just using a straw, which caused lots of hilarity. To complete this Go for It the girls also participated in a Kim's game, where we discovered that lots of our Guides really do have great memories!

At the end of May, 24 of our Guides went along to the District BBQ which this year was held at Wemyss Bay Caravan Park. The girls took part in games and danced the night away. They also ate hot dogs and burgers and watched a very entertaining magic show, which everyone enjoyed. Amy was a wonderful magician's assistant and made a spectacular balloon dog in record time! Jane let us hear her great singing voice which was much manlier than we remembered! Everyone had a fantastic evening and our sincere thanks to all the staff at the caravan park.

We are set to be very busy over the last few weeks in the session. The girls will be attending a District fundraiser at Fun World at the start of June. We are also going to camp in the middle of June where the Guides will be able to complete their Circus Skills and Performing Arts badges, along with opportunities to do some outdoor cooking and try their hand at archery. Finally we will round off a very successful year with our annual unit BBQ during our last week of Guides.

During the Gala weekend, 1st Wemyss Bay Guides will be hosting the infamous Tea Room along with the Cake and Candy stall inside the Community Centre. Please come along and check out our Rag Bag stall, selling hand decorated bags with all profits going to Barnardo's as part of our "Change the World" challenge. We will also be outside running the well loved coconut shy and the higher and lower card game. As a voluntary organisation we are striving to raise as much money as possible especially in preparation for our Centenary year.

PLEASE SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL GIRLGUIDE UNIT!

Stuart McMillan MSP

Residents will be aware that I continue to campaign for road safety on the A78 trunk road. The recent accidents on the road only serve to highlight the need for urgent action to be taken to improve road safety. I was contacted by constituents who made me aware that, on the weekend of Sunday 17th May, it took emergency services around 10 minutes to arrive at the scene of the accident and the main A78 was closed in both directions for over 40 minutes. These accidents highlight why it is vital that the three month review being conducted by Amey find solutions to improve road safety. Therefore, I have since written again to the Chief Executive of Transport Scotland to highlight these accidents and to once again raise the concerns of my constituents about the A78 Inverkip.

I was pleased to hear the recent news from Jean Rees that the Tea Bar is to remain open and that NHS GG&C had listened to the overwhelming support for the League of Friends and withdrawn the notice of closure. The campaign to save the Tea Bar is a credit to all those who got involved and signed the petition, it highlights the power of public persuasion. I note the decision to keep the Tea Bar open is an interim position at this time and it will be reviewed in the context of the outcome of NHS Health Facilities Scotland's evaluation of the national Aroma pilot. Nevertheless, I would like to congratulate Jean and everyone else involved in fighting to keep the Tea Bar open.

Lastly, I would like to mention that, by the time of reading this article, I will have conducted a Parliamentary surgery at Wemyss Bay Station with the help of Friends of Wemyss Bay Station. I was pleased to meet with the friends who are campaigning to have the station restored to former glories. Therefore, I was delighted to help the friends in their campaign by handing over a charity cheque for £50.00 from ComRes. I received the cheque from ComRes after undertaking a survey with the organisation in my role as a Member of the Scottish Parliament. I wish the friends every success with their campaign and look forward to meeting them again in the near future.

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4			5		9		1
	9					7	

Sudoku is straightforward once you get the hang of it and relies on logic to solve it. Place a number from 1-9 in each empty square so that each row, each column and each 3x3 block contains the numbers 1-9. (This means that no number can appear twice in any row, column or 3x3 block.) Good Luck.

SUDOKU

			4				5	8
				1			4	3
		3			5			
7			3			1		
	3						6	
		6			1			4
			8			9		
5	9			4				
2	8				7			

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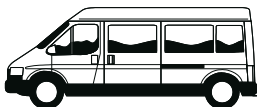
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