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## **Summer Worship at Crail and Kingsbarns**

### **Regular Worship**

Over the summer months, regular worship continues every Sunday in Kingsbarns at 9.45am and in Crail at 11.15am. We love to welcome our summer visitors alongside our regular worshippers.

### **Early Worship**

From 1 July till 26 August, early birds can enjoy a short informal service in Crail at 9.30am, led by members of the congregation. A good time for families to worship together, enjoying God in the presence of one another, and enjoying one another in the presence of God.

### **Crail Festival Worship**

During the Crail Festival, on Sunday 22 July (11.15), Crail Church will welcome as our Guest Preacher, The Rev Peter Gardner, Church of Scotland Pioneer Minister to the Visual Arts Community in Glasgow. There is no sacred-secular divide with our God who is Creator of all things visible and invisible. Peter will help us to come awake to his presence



## **SERVICE TIMES**

Crail 11.15am

Kingsbarns  
9.45am

# PARISH REGISTER

## Deaths

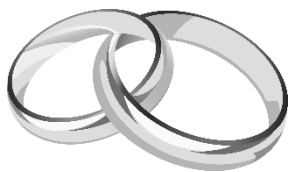
***Committed to God's merciful keeping in the sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life***

Jan 25	Marlene Bryce	Beechwalk
Feb 7	John Raybould	Balcomie Road
Feb 10	Patricia De Jean	West Braes Cres
Feb 27	Peter Black	Leven Beach Care Home (Late of Crail)
March 3	Agnes Milne	St Andrews Care Home (Late of Crail)
March 25	Ian Ainsworth	Backdykes
April 2	Dr Ronald Emslie	Westonlea
May 5	Catherine Rennie	Willow House (Late of Simpson Court)

*"In a bittersweet moment,  
another angel has found  
their wings and has set off  
on flight safe into the arms  
of God"*



*Be completely humble and gentle;  
be patient, bearing with one  
another in love.  
Ephesians 4:2-3*



## Marriages

10 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Harriet S Jackson & Alistair M Mathieson Edinburgh
10 <sup>th</sup> March	Christine Evans & Alec Welham Long Marston York
24 <sup>th</sup> March	Susannah Reekie & Philip Cartmill Belfast
2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Erin J.S. Main & Mark J. Limmack Dundee

## KIRK SALE 18 JULY 2018

Basket Tombola	Helen Armitage & Nancy Turner
Books	Patrick Garrad & Catriona Shepherd
Bottle Tombola	Eric Dewhirst & Alan Menzies
Cake and Candy	Pat Barker & Marion Menzies.
Jewellery and Scarves	Patricia Dewhirst
Produce	Liz Arnott & Marjory Richardson
Teas	The Guild
White Elephant	Ruby Mackie & Linda Douglas.
Raffle	Sandy Nelson & Andrew Purves
Children's Stall	no Convener

Donations for the stalls will be greatly appreciated and can be handed into the Community Hall on the evening of Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>, 6.00 – 7.00pm and on the morning of the sale, 10.00 – 12 noon. If you wish anything to be collected for the stalls please contact the stall holders.  
Doors open at 2.00pm and more information can be had from Helen Armitage 450516.



# A LETTER FROM OUR LOCUM MINISTER

## TIME TO LET GO

Hello Everyone

Letting go is a recurring experience of life -from the moment we leave our mother's womb, till our last breath when we take leave of this life. Psychologists speak of an alternating process of detachment and attachment. Teachers will speak of children with "attachment" issues - either too hurt to make any attachments or so clingy that they cannot detach and affirm their own identity.

Parents know how hard it is to let our children go - watch the tears at the school gate on their first day at school; listen to fathers struggling to let their teenage daughters grow up; or observe mothers' pain over the empty nest when the children leave home. Letting go is hard.

Some images may help here. William Bridges is a classic writer on transitions. He describes change as the outer change of circumstance - the new home, the new job or the new boss; and transition as the inner psychological shift when change comes. He claims that the key to good transition is learning to make good endings. Too often we want to grasp at the "new beginning", but we need to ensure a good ending first. Then we live through the "neutral zone" of uncertainty before entering the new situation fully. He speaks of the people of Israel leaving Egypt. It took a matter of days to get the people out of Egypt; but 40 years to get Egypt out of the people! Letting go is hard to do.

Sue Monk Kidd writes beautifully about the season of life when we go through the transitions of life in mid-life or entering our senior stage - when our faith often undergoes a transition as well. She was helped by watching a caterpillar's cocoon - that mysterious period when the caterpillar is in total darkness before emerging into the beautiful butterfly. Apparently the caterpillar may delay creating its cocoon for up to a year - a resistance to change which is called the "diapause".

But without letting go the caterpillar life, there is no butterfly. Some of us fear that we have lost our faith. In fact we may have lost a certain kind of faith - or rather a faith in certainties. But letting go of the certainties, leads to deeper place of confidence in God. That is the paradox of letting go the old faith.

Once our hands are empty, they are ready to receive the gifts that God will give.

Another writer uses a different image. He describes the trapeze artist swinging high above us. On the other swing is the second artist. We wait for the moment when the first person lets go the swing and launches into mid air. That is the moment of faith. Will she cling to the swing or trust the catcher?

Sometimes we are faced with a situation in life when we need to let go the past - be it a job, a relationship, a hurt, a grudge or a grief - and dare to trust the Divine Catcher.

Your friend for a season

*Peter Neilson*

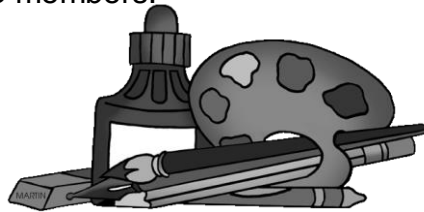
# CRAIL NEWS

## CRAIL ART GROUP 20<sup>TH</sup> EASTER ART EXHIBITION

Many thanks to the 318 visitors who braved some unsettled weather to view the annual art exhibition in the Kirk hall over Easter weekend.

Over 40 paintings and numerous cards were purchased, all original work of Crail Art Group members.

Sales - £2,365  
Donations - £102  
Refreshments - £45  
Raffle - £271



The original painting kindly donated by Pat Metcalfe was won by a delighted local couple – Fenella & Roger McClelland

10% of sales plus all other above money is added together and after the art group receive £150, the remainder is given to the church in lieu of hall rental for the weekend. This year the figure was £505 for the church.

Many people help in so many ways before, during and after the exhibition. So Thank You to all for making the 20<sup>th</sup> Easter Exhibition such a success.

Auriol Wood – 450805 (*Crail Art Group*)

## CRAIL AND KINGSBARNES BRANCH RNLI

Many thanks to everyone who attended events and also those who kindly helped out last year.

Also all those who contributed by giving donations.

Our Committee is now much smaller than previously so any extra help would be very much appreciated.

Coffee mornings are Saturday 16th June and Saturday 22nd September.

We also have a stall at the Harbour Sunday afternoons June-July and August selling Lifeboat souvenirs.

It is a lovely venue and always an enjoyable afternoon which raises a substantial amount to our fundraising total.

Anyone with a couple of hours to spare and interested in helping please contact

Jenny Henderson 01333 451 152  
or Lesley Handley 01333 450 508.

Regards Jenny Henderson (chair)



# Lifeboats

## MONDAY CLUB OUTING

The Monday Club outing on 25th June is to Pitlochry. The coach leaves the town hall at 10 am with a short stop at Dobbies Garden Centre before going on to Pitlochry for a 1.15 lunch at Port-na-Craig.

There will be time to shop - leaving for home at 4.30, To be back in Crail between 6.30 and 7 pm.

There are still Seats on the coach - £20

Call Caroline on 451173

## THE JOY OF SINGING

‘Twas on a Sunday morning:  
The bell was ringing.....NOT.  
The organist was waiting  
For singers..... not a lot!



You see, that is the trouble:  
We are so sparse and few,  
We need to be augmented.  
In short, we all need YOU.

This is a plea for new (and old) choir members, indeed anyone who enjoys singing hymns and would be willing to help us lead the praise. All the better if you can read music, but this is not essential. Be not afraid: we are a friendly group, ready to welcome you with open arms, a Full Music Hymnbook and Anthem Books galore. At the moment there are perfunctory choir practices at 10.30 am just before the Morning Service. Do come and join us.

# CRAIL NEWS

## CRAIL & DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

It was with great sadness that Crail Horticultural Society held its final committee meeting earlier this year. Our long standing society dates back more than 50 years and has always been a well attended event on the horticultural calendar throughout Scotland. However, as with many societies, we were unable to attract a full working committee and the decision to close had to be made. Many people within Crail & Kingsbarns supported the society every year, as exhibitors, committee members and helpers, as did many people from out with the district. The committee would like to thank everyone who supported us in any way throughout the years. We hope many of you will have fond memories of the Flower Shows when they were at their best and of the many people, past and present, who helped to keep the society going.

It was decided that the remaining funds should be distributed within Crail and the following parties have each received a donation. - Crail British Legion, Crail Church Flower Fund, Crail in Bloom and Victoria Gardens

Thank you all again.

Jill Dewar (Treasurer)



## MORNING PRAYER

Dear God

So far today I've  
done all right  
I haven't gossiped, I  
haven't lost my  
temper  
I haven't lied or  
Cheated.  
I haven't been  
greedy, grumpy,  
nasty,  
selfish or indulgent.  
I'm very thankful for  
that.  
But in a few minutes,  
Lord,  
I'm going to get out of  
bed.  
And from there on  
I'm probably going to  
need  
a lot more help.

Amen

## A BUSY EASTER WEEKEND IN THE KIRK HALL

The Crail Art Group presented the ever popular Art Show from Good Friday to Easter Monday in the Kirk Hall. The coffees and teas during this time were provided by members of Crail Church.

On Easter Saturday Crail Church held the Easter coffee morning in the Hall. The main raffle prize was an Easter cake, donated by Heather Aird (Heather's Cakes). The baking stall was packed with the usual excellent baking and the customers enjoyed coffee and cake at the seasonally decorated tables. It was a very happy morning and the cake was won by Janis Nelson, who donated it to the residents of Ladywalk.

The money raised between the donations from the Art Group and the Coffee Morning amounted to £1,150.10 for Church funds.

On April 21 a Quiz night was held in the Kirk Hall. A very successful evening, raising £230.00 for Church Funds. Our thanks go to Ian Mooney who was able to guide us in the running of this event.

Other news from the Hall is that electric blinds have been fitted to the velux roof windows. It had been advised that this needed to be done for Health and Safety reasons.

The chairs in the hall were definitely showing their age and becoming dangerous, so, 66 of them have been repaired and will, hopefully, remain in use for many more years.





# CRAIL NEWS

## NEW CRAIL CHURCH SOUND SYSTEM

*I shall silence the sound of your songs, and the sound of your harps will be heard no more - Ezekiel 26:13*

Possibly not what Ezekiel had in mind, but Crail Church sound system was beginning to have a not dissimilar effect!

After many years of sound!! service the system was damaged in parts, subject to interference and no longer dependable - in fact it began to detract from, rather than contribute to worship.

After much discussion, review of options and consultation, Crail Session decided it was time to replace the system entirely. The work was carried out in March.

What a difference! With a range of good quality microphones, up-to-date wireless frequencies, modern electronics and new loudspeakers the clarity and quality of sound is excellent. The improvement is especially welcome for music. Even better, once everything was properly balanced, the hearing-loop works well again.



The new equipment is designed to integrate with 'visuals' should that be desired at some future point and it can handle sound input from many different sources, including the various modern digital kinds.

Locum Minister Peter was delighted to find that he could even connect his computer via the 'Bluetooth' wireless link. Interestingly this technology is named after King Harald Gormsson who, according to legend, had the nickname 'Bluetooth' (perhaps due to poor dental hygiene at the time). Harald Bluetooth (*Harald Blåtand*) reigned as King of Denmark from circa 958 to 985/986 and successfully united and integrated his country. The modern technology provides a common way of uniting and integrating communication between different digital devices.

The familiar Bluetooth logo consists of Viking runes for *Blåtand's* initials, H (\*) and B (B). It is an intriguing thought that, as we benefit from this modern wizardry, it is named for a Viking king - the man credited with having introduced Christianity to Denmark more than a thousand years ago.



Owen Allen, age 10, took part in the Charity Coastal Walk organised by Anstruther Rotary Club on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2018. Owen has taken part in this event every year since 2012. This year his chosen charity was for CHAS, Rachel House, and walked in memory of his big brother, Ethan.

Owen wants to thank the church congregation who came for coffee before the service on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2018: the coffee's raised a fantastic £145. The children of the JAM Club decided they would donate this money to charity and chose to add it to Owen's sponsorship.

He would like to say thank you to you all and especially Mandy Guthrie and the JAM Club.

He raised over £1,000 for CHAS, such an amazing amount to such a worthy charity, thank you all so much: it is very much appreciated.



# CRAIL FESTIVAL

By the time you are reading this article you will have received this year's superb Programme booklet which contains details of all the events and, most importantly, the arrangements for purchasing tickets online. However, it may be easier for many of you to come to the Box Office when it is open from 10.00 am – 12 noon on Saturday 26 May. Thereafter, tickets will be available online from 8 am on Sunday 27 May.

On 23 June at 8pm in the Community Hall our fabulous extra event -"Simon and Garfunkel: Through the Years" by the Bookends virtually sold out when the Box Office was open on 14 April 2018.

The Art Exhibition, Street Market, Festival Quiz, Rock Pool Guddle, Morning at the Movies, Fossil Hunt, Sandcastle Competition, and the Drama Workshop all feature prominently. This year the Street Market is bigger and better than ever including a first appearance by the Fizz Bar. Our wonderful Putting Green will be open 9-10 June during the Food Festival; and then daily from 23 June-19 Aug. Better weather this Summer could bring the record of 4,200 putting rounds within reach.

The range and quality of the Children's Activities are unsurpassed and will almost certainly sell out very quickly. The Archery and Falconry event was hugely popular last year, so it makes an early return. Workshops include Print Making, Puppets, a Masks, Art, and Krafty Kids. A Crabbing Competition, "Animal Magic" Bake Off, Story Telling and Rocket Science will also enhance the excitement. The incomparable Liz Lochhead, actor, author, broadcaster, will be appearing in an afternoon performance of May Island Discs and also reminding us why she is a 'Scottish legend' in 'An Evening with Liz Lochhead'. Book early!

Our Festivals are rightly known for superb music embracing several genres: and this year is no exception with jazz, rhythm and blues, folk, and 60s 70s 80s 90s pop rock. Rose Room, The Blueswater , Robbie Greig and Friends, Emily Maguire and Under Fire are all incomparable musicians and entertainers. We are also thrilled that Bogna Forkiewicz, the renowned international soprano from Poland will perform in Holy Trinity.

Last year's Comedy Night was a huge success and this year's line-up for an unmissable 'Five Star Comedy Evening' will be led by Paul Sneddon aka Vladimir McTavish a hugely versatile, irrepressible irreverent comedian supported by four of his friends bringing the very best of Scottish Comedy to Crail. You cannae beat it, by the way!

The Bernicia Suite, a new music composition with a moving narrative, being performed in Crail Church on Sunday 22 July will surely strike a poignant chord with anyone who lives in a fishing community.

Our updated website, [www.crailfestival.com](http://www.crailfestival.com), also has all the information you need. Do follow our daily, informative postings on Facebook.com/Crail Festival and Twitter.com/Crail Festival.

This, our 34<sup>th</sup> Festival, **18-28 July 2018** has all the makings of being a 'stoater'. Come and be part of it wi everything on your doorstep





# CRAIL NEWS

## CRAIL FOLK CLUB

As Crail Folk Club eases into the second half of its 2018 season it would be easy to sit back and reflect on fantastic sell out shows notably from Martin Simpson, the Poozies and the Coaltown Daisies. But no, we don't want to do that as we have some shows in prospect that will be just as great. A multi national programme if ever there was. From Scotland the ever popular Haggerdash and Forgaitherin'. From the USA a return visit from Mark and Cindy Lemaire - who could forget Mark's guitar instrumental version of 'A whiter shade of pale'? A legendary singer songwriter from Ireland - Colum Sands. A duo called the Broadside Boys came to Crail last year supporting Richard Digance. Eric Sedge has gone solo, and gone from strength to strength including a spot at Fairport Convention's Cropredy Festival. Eric returns to the club but with a twist - Richard Digance will have a cameo role as his 'support act'. Crail favourite Edwina Hayes returns, following last year's sell out Festival show, with her band Mile Roses. Finally we have Norrie Maclver the voice of both Skipinnish and Skerryvore. A very promising line-up!!



### **The JAM Club need you!**

Our small but enthusiastic Sunday School has room to grow! We are looking for primary or nursery age children to join us as we sing, paint, draw, cut, stick, listen, talk, run, laugh and have fun, every Sunday morning. We meet in Church at 11.15am and then continue our activities in the Kirk Hall

## **CRAIL FOOD FESTIVAL - 9<sup>TH</sup>/10<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2018**

Due to publication of this edition of Karail, by the time you read this article, you are either about to go to this year's Festival, are going this weekend or have missed it for this year! As most of you know, the Festival this year is being held in three venues – Crail Community Hall, Beechwalk Park and Crail Harbour. The Harbour event will concentrate on all things seafoody and fishy. As well as sea related produce to buy there will also be takeaway

fishy food. There will be demonstrations and talks by fishermen, seafood cooks and seafood producers, music and things to keep children occupied. The Harbour is open on both days for the first time.

The Community Hall will provide a larger Chefs Theatre for demonstrations, while Beechwalk Park will house the main Producers marquee, entertainment marquees, bar and music, and a whole series of Street Food outlets. There will be plenty to do for everyone in this area.

So, if you can still come then please join us, if not, we hope to see you next year! We will let you know how it went in the next edition of Karail

# CRAIL PRIMARY SCHOOL



## SAVE THE DATE

Our Summer Fair will take place on **Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 2-4pm, at Beechwalk Park** (The Community Hall if inclement weather). There will be various stalls for all ages and a fun afternoon is guaranteed. We hope you can enjoy us for this event.

## P7 TRANSITION

P7 pupils have a very busy term ahead as they prepare for moving on to Waid Academy. There are a number of planned transition activities which we are all very excited about taking part in. Kayaking will be great fun and will encourage us to develop our resilience and teamwork skills. Broomlee Camp will be a definite highlight of the term where we will have the opportunity to meet pupils from around the Waid Cluster as well as familiarising ourselves with a number of the Waid staff. Following our stay, we will visit Waid Academy for two days where we will follow our S1 timetable.

## A HUGE



## TO THE CO-OP

We were delighted to receive a cheque from Ramsey and Colin from The Co-op for £500. Our children were so excited when they heard this wonderful news and this will help us to purchase some more laptops for our children to develop their digital learning skills. On behalf of everyone at Crail PS we would like to thank The Co-op for their generosity and continuous support

## WORLD BOOK DAY CELEBRATIONS AND OPENING OF OUR LIBRARY

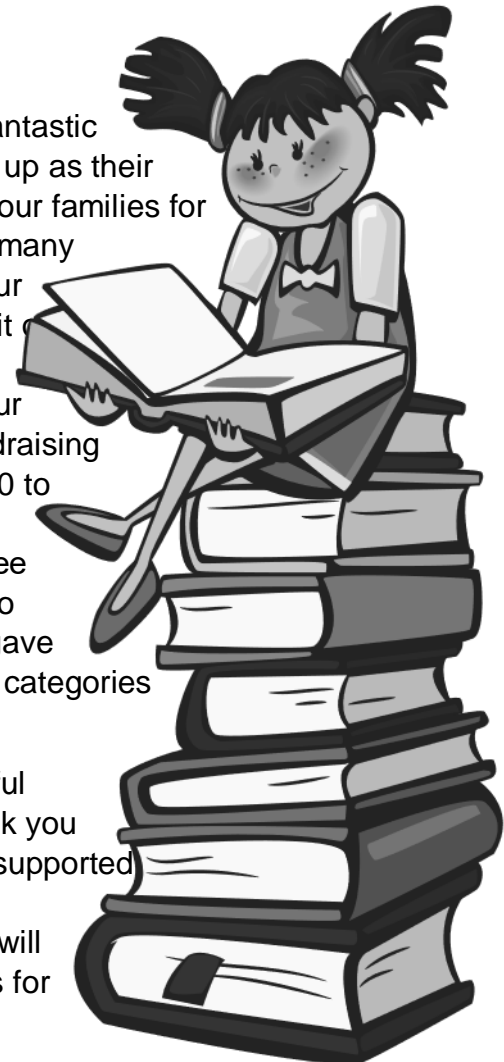
On 19.04.18 our school took part in our rescheduled World Book Day. It was fantastic to see so many of our children dressed up as their favourite character. Thank you to all of our families for their hard work and effort in making so many characters come alive. Thank you to our wonderful staff for entering into the spirit too. We launched World Book Day by having the Opening Ceremony for our library. We would like to thank our Fundraising Group and our families for raising £5000 to enable us to purchase new books and furnish our library. I'm sure you will agree that it looks great! We would also like to thank all of the parent volunteers who gave up their time to help sort the books into categories and alphabetical order.

Our Fundraising Group held a successful Coffee Morning and raised £145. Thank you to all of our families who attended and supported this event. We really appreciate your continuous support. The money raised will help us to purchase some more laptops for our children.

## DECIDE CRAIL'S FUTURE



On Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April Nick a Town Planner and Heather from the Community Council worked with our P3-7 children to deliver several workshops about Crail now and in the future. The children were consulted about what they like about our village and if they could change anything about our village what it would be. The children generated lots of great ideas and they will be used to help shape the vision for Crail through the Crail Community Partnership.



# CRAIL PRIMARY SCHOOL

## P5/6/7 NEWS

### The Dark Side of Disney

We are working hard towards our production of 'The Dark Side of Disney', a fairytale with a twist. We were visited by Hugh Loughlan (Mrs Noble's dad) who has many years of experience working in the theatre as an actor, director and producer. We have: Actors; Directors; Stage Managers; Costume Designers; Choreographers; Lighting Managers; Set Designers; Prop Designers; Fundraising Managers; Marketing Managers. The directors held auditions and had the difficult task of casting the play. We have been holding regular production meetings to track progress and identify next steps. We are looking forward to performing our play to our families and friends.

## P1/2 NEWS

Our project work this term is Living Things; we are learning about plants, animals, food chains and weather. The children planted tomato seeds and have been keen to see the first shoots appear. They wrote fantastic instructions to tell others what they needed and what they had to do to plant them.

## P3/4 NEWS

As part of our topic this term, P3/4 have been learning about architecture and construction. We have had various visitors linked to the topic and we all thoroughly enjoyed our visit to the Engine Shed. During the visit, we made houses out of Kapla wooden blocks and we learned about different materials used in construction. In Design and Technology, we have started to make models of buildings such as hotels and places of leisure. We are finding them quite tricky to build.

## NURSERY NEWS



Our Nursery children have had a busy month. Here are some of the things that have happened and what we still have to look forward to.

### Tomato Plants

One of our children brought in some tomato plants. We are measuring the height of the plants as they grow, recording the information on a bar graph so we can compare the height. When they are more established we will plant them in the garden.

### Tadpoles

One of our children brought in tadpoles and we have put them into a fish tank for everyone to observe the changes as they develop. The children are very interested in the tadpoles adding some stones and grass for them to feed on. We have a variety of books showing the life cycle of a tadpole for the children to look at.

### Sponsored walk

The children took part in our sponsored walk around Beechwalk Park which was very exciting. At the end all the children were given an ice pole as a special treat and well done certificates were handed out.

## WAID ACADEMY GAMES JAM

On Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> April The Haggis Hunters and The Princess and the Haggis represented our school at our first ever Waid Games Jam. P5-7 classes from within our cluster had been set the challenge of designing and coding a game during Term 3. This involved the children working in teams to decide on a concept, create characters and different levels for a game and use coding to program a game. The children also had to keep a record of their work using One Note. On the night each team pitched their game and gave a presentation to coders and programmers from the industry. Well done to The Haggis Hunters who along with 3 others team from our cluster received a Top Game award.

# KINGSBARN'S NEWS

## KINGSBARN'S ECO CLUB

The Eco Club is an after school club on Wednesday afternoons for children of Kingsbarn's Primary School to explore and learn about gardening, nature and the environment. Some days we work in the garden, planting, weeding and watering. Other days we go out and about in the village spotting different birds, trees or plants. This week we had a discussion about plastic in our oceans and the impact that is having on sea birds, mammals, fish and the environment in general. We then went to the beach to clean up plastic & litter. The children have been working hard building a bug hotel in the Community Garden. We hope there are many guests already taking up residence in there!

Fiona Ramsay



## THE SCHOOL & COMMUNITY GARDEN

The School & Community Garden in Kingsbarn's is really taking shape. Donations and support from the community have been overwhelming. As well as the orchard which was planted last year, there are now raised beds full of vegetables, fruit, edible flowers and herbs. Next January will hopefully bring an abundance of snowdrops thanks to bulbs donated by Cambo before the daffodils and tulips provide a show. Wildflower seeds and some insect friendly plants such as buddleia and honeysuckle are in place to draw the bees and butterflies. There is a seating area with firepit, a pond (by way of a lovely old donated butler sink) which is full of tadpoles and a path, with inlaid stepping stones bearing handprints of all the children in the school.

The garden is maintained by kids from the Eco Club (which is the after school club) on a Wednesday afternoon as well as parents and the lovely members of the community who give up their precious time to come along to the work party days.

There is an open day on Saturday 16th June from 2pm-4pm. Please come along and see the garden and give us your thoughts. All advice and feedback is welcome. Hopefully we'll have a few vegetables for sale and there will be tea and cake being served in the garden.

Anyone interested in being involved, please call Fiona on 07909 895811.



## THANKSGIVING SERVICE AND BUFFET LUNCH HELD ON SUNDAY 6 MAY.

Around 60 People attended the Service, which was conducted by the Interim Moderator, Rev. Brian Oxburgh and the following Buffet Lunch which was held in the Memorial Hall, to thank all parties who donated to the Tower Repair Project.

It was a very happy occasion and many thanks to everyone who attended and to all who helped with the organisation of the Project and the Service/Lunch.

## JOIN THE FRIENDS OF KINGSBARN'S CHURCH

If you are interested in becoming a Friend of the Church in Kingsbarn's (non-church-goers particularly welcome) please contact either of the following people;

Betty Kitching (Secretary) at [betty.kitching174@btinternet.com](mailto:betty.kitching174@btinternet.com)

Colin Chapman (Chairman) at [cjchapman107@btinternet.com](mailto:cjchapman107@btinternet.com)

# KINGSBARNS NEWS

## RECITAL AND CONCERT

By Chris Bragg (Organ) and Donald Robinson (Cello). – Wednesday 1 August 7.30pm. Featuring Music by Bach, Hol, Saint-Saens. This Concert forms part of the annual St Andrews University Organ Week programme of events which is attended by Organ Scholars/Teachers and enthusiasts from UK and overseas. Kingsbarns Church and its lovely organ are very privileged to be selected for inclusion in their programme.

Admissions £6 (£5 concessions) to church organ fund

## DEATHS

29 March  
Mrs Jean Ritchie,  
Leven Beach Care Home  
(formerly Seagate)

4 April  
Mr Alexander (Sandy)  
Davidson,  
Rowan Cottage, Seagate

## OPENING OF THE CHURCH TO THE PUBLIC

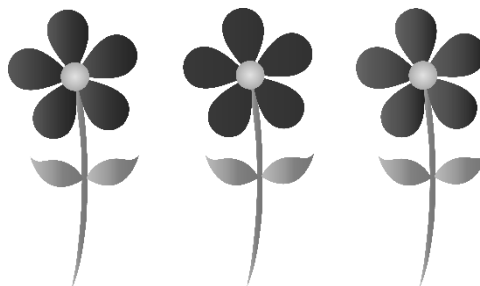
Sunday afternoons from Sunday 3 June. Volunteers needed for a few hours on a Sunday afternoon on a rota basis to welcome visitors to the Church.

## KINGSBARNS HIDDEN GARDENS IN AID OF CHAS

If you like exploring gardens, and collecting new ideas for your own, come to Kingsbarns on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July, where some of the most inspiring gardens in the East Neuk will be open for you to enjoy. As usual, there will be surprises for regular visitors, as well as old favourites to revisit. A plant sale, gifts, a book stall and a quiz will be on offer, while teas, home-baking, strawberries and ice-cream will be served in the gardens, for a donation to CHAS.

The gardens will be open throughout the afternoon, from 12 noon to 5.00 pm. Entry is £4 (children free) and tickets will be available from Kingsbarns Square on the day.

The event is organised by the East Neuk Friends of CHAS, which has raised over £60,000 for the charity since the group was formed in 2004. As enthusiastic as ever, the stalwart band of volunteers hopes you will help them raise more money for this worthy cause, while having a great afternoon in the beautiful village of Kingsbarns. We look forward to welcoming you!



## CAMBO

Interested in Volunteering at Cambo? - lots of opportunities this summer for working outdoors in our beautiful garden or with the education team being involved in family events and outdoor learning. For more info or to come and meet to have a walk round, contact: [judy@cambogardens.org.uk](mailto:judy@cambogardens.org.uk)

Summer holiday fun: Free Drop in family activities every Monday during the summer holidays. Babes in the Woods every Wednesday for walks in the woods and fun children's nature activities. Tuesday 31 July - Lamas Fire Party and Family Learning Roadshow. Follow our Facebook page for events listings and more information.

Cambo Stables Visitor Centre





## Data Protection and the Church – an update

The February 2016 issue of Karail parish magazine included a summary of the effect of data protection legislation on Church of Scotland congregations. This update is to let you know of changes that are happening.

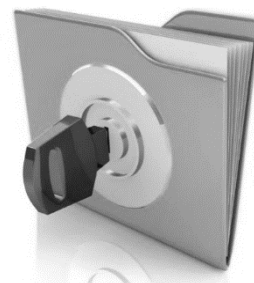
In brief, legal safeguards exist in the UK, covering the use of personal information by organisations, businesses and governments. The Church of Scotland has to conform to this legislation and, in fact, stronger legal protection is provided for information judged to be more sensitive – including that of religious belief.

This has the effect of making something as commonplace as a list of names and addresses of church members subject to stricter legal protection. In the eyes of the law such a list identifies people as having a Christian belief.

We now have a change in the shape of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR), which came into effect on the 25th May. The good news is that the GDPR is based on six data protection principles, which are broadly the same as under previous law. The other, helpful, news is that the UK Information Commissioner's Office has not imposed a deadline for compliance; simply expecting a plan for how this will be achieved within a reasonable period of time.

The Church of Scotland has published advice and guidelines to help with the work and, for anyone interested in knowing more, the information can be accessed on the Church of Scotland website (<http://churchofscotland.org.uk>) via the 'Resource' tab of the Law Department's pages. St Andrews Presbytery is also providing a local training conference for those with responsibility for leading and undertaking the work needed.

Data protection is a matter that is taken seriously and existing policy, plans, notices, security arrangements and training will be reviewed and changes will be made as appropriate, in order to comply with the GDPR.



# DATES FOR DIARY

DATE	EVENT	TIME
02/06/2018	Plant Sale and Coffee Morning (in conjunction with KCDT) - in Kingsbarns Memorial Hall- Friends of Kingsbarns Church	10am – 12 noon
03/06/2018	Crail & Kingsbarns Red Cross Coffee Morning, British Legion Hall Crail	10am-12noon
03/06/2018	Kingsbarns Church open to public for summer - Sunday afternoons	
09/06/2018	Food Festival Teas and coffees in Crail church	10am - 4pm
10/06/2018	Food Festival Teas and coffees in Crail church	1pm - 4pm
16/06/2018	RNLI Coffee Morning, Crail Town Hall	10am
16/06/2018	School and Community Garden open day	2pm - 4pm
16/06/2018	"I was a Cold War Spy", talk by Brian Spiby, formerly JSSL, Kirk Hall	7.30pm
23/06/2018	Crail Primary School Summer Fair, Beechwalk Park	2pm-4pm
23/06/2018	Crail Putting Green opens till 23 August	
25/06/2018	Monday Club Outing to Pitlochry. Meet at Town Hall.	10am
01/07/2018	Early Worship Starts, Crail Church	9.30am
07/07/2018	Museum Coffee Morning. British Legion Hall	10am
15/07/2018	July Crail Gardens open Teas in the Kirk Hall	2pm - 5pm
17/07/2018	Kirk Sale Set-Up (Community Hall)	6pm-7pm



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18/07/2018	Kirk Sale in Community Hall	2pm
18/07/2018	Crail Festival Starts	
21/07/2018	Museum stall at Crail Festival Street Market	
22/07/2018	Crail Church Guest Preacher, Rev Peter Gardner, Church of Scotland Pioneer Minister to the Visual Arts Community	11.15am
22/07/2018	Kingsbarns Hidden Gardens in aid of CHAS	12noon - 5pm
28/07/2018	Crail Festival Ends	
01/08/2018	Recital and Concert by Chris Bragg and Donald Robinson, Kingsbarns Church	7.30pm
11/08/2018	Museum Coffee Morning, British Legion Hall	10am
25/08/2018	BBQ and Fun Day Kingsbarns Village Green - Details to follow	
26/08/2018	Early Worship Ends, Crail Church	9.30am
02/09/2018	Church Doors Open Day (Fife Council)	1.30pm-4pm
08/09/2018	Table top sale and coffee morning, Kingsbarns Memorial Hall	
19/09/2018	WRI Kingsbarns Memorial Hall	7.30pm
22/09/2018	RNLI Coffee Morning, Crail Town Hall	10am
29/09/2018	Pot Luck Harvest Supper, Crail Kirk Hall	7pm

