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Crail Parish Magazine

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It's that time of year again when we ask for your support to help cover the cost of printing this parish magazine. With the building of more houses, 1500 copies of each edition (in February, June and October) are now produced and distributed free of charge to households in Crail.

We are very grateful to those already making donations towards the cost – but there is always a shortfall. If you have enjoyed reading this magazine and would like to help, please use the enclosed envelope, which can be left at the church.

Thank You

Crail Parish Church Services are at 11.15am

If you would like to receive the Karail Magazine electronically, please e-mail our editor Heather on:
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Easter Coffee Morning

The Church Easter Coffee Morning will be on Saturday 20th April in the Kirk Hall, 10am until 12 noon.

All are welcome and there will be a baking stall and a raffle

Parish Register

Deaths

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

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

2018

2 October	John Jack Smith	Kelty (formerly Crail)
9 October	Dorothy Hutcheon	High Street
22 October	Ella Anderson	Back Dykes
31 October	Prof Willie Russell	St Andrews (late of Crail)
11 November	Marilyn Brett	Back Dykes
27 November	Toba Bayne	Simpson Court

2019

7 January	Carol Grieve	Nethergate
15 January	Marjorie Emslie	Westonlea
24 January	Joe Shepherd	Back Dykes.



Marriages

Those whom God has joined together

3 November	Samantha Robertson and Ewan Nisbet
24 November	Lisa Kowbel & Stuart Brodie (From Kirkcaldy)
15 December	Roxanne Oakenfull & Luke Pollock (From New Zealand)



In November, three elders at Crail Parish Church were presented with long service certificates for 30 and 32 years of eldership. The Rev Peter Neilson is pictured with Linda Douglas for 32 years (left), Pamela Thomson for 30 years (seated) and Patricia Dewhirst for 30 years (right).

Interim Moderator Letter

Dear Friends,

We are now well into 2019 and there has been considerable progress in the life of the Church. You are now officially linked with St Ayle. A Nominating Committee has been formed. They have the task of seeking a minister, a Sole Nominee, for the congregations to hear. The Nominating Committee has met and placed an advertisement in the Life and Work magazine. Your vacancy has been listed on the Church of Scotland's web site. By the time you read this, the Life and Work with your advertisement will be published and a Parish Profile providing information about the congregations and parishes will be available on your and St Ayle church web sites for enquirers to see.



The Nominating Committee has to work in the strictest confidence. Please do not ask them questions or try to get information from them. They really must not discuss what they are doing or whom they are considering.

However there is much that you can do. Please pray for the committee as they do their work. They need God's guidance and wisdom and will be really appreciative if you are praying for them. And pray too for the applicants whom they consider. They too need to know and sense that God is leading them. Please pray that the right applicant for Crail and St Ayle will be led to your committee and that your Nominating Committee will be led to them. Your Committee has to pray and work. We have to pray and wait.

There are great encouragements also. Both Kirk Sessions are working well together. Your Nominating Committee is working well. Both congregations are in good heart and are very positive. And both your worship teams are making really valuable contributions to your worship. Be encouraged too, for the future of the Church is in the hands of God.

In the Letter to the Hebrews in the Bible, the writer encourages his readers to be positive. They lived in very difficult, sometimes dangerous, and rapidly changing times. For them too, the world was changing and the church was changing. They were encouraged to 'fix your thoughts on Jesus'. They were also exhorted to 'encourage one another daily' and to 'hold to their conviction firmly'.

Consider yourselves to be a church that is moving forward, a church that has a future, a church that is equipped to rise to the challenges and overcome. Be heartened, the Lord is with you.

You have begun this year without your locum Peter, who has retired. We are so very grateful to Peter for all he has done both for you and Kingsbarns over the first part of your vacancy. He has earned a well deserved rest and we thank God for his ministry for us.

You now have pulpit supply which Rev Nigel Robb has arranged to take us into the second half of the year and you have a good, active Kirk Session and both Nigel Robb and myself are here to help.

Be strong, the Lord is with you.

Brian Oxburgh (Interim Moderator)

Crail News

Crail Guild

The Guild is held on a Thursday in Crail Church Hall at 2.15pm.

14 th March	Visit to Cambo	
28 th March	Sailors Society	Peter Donald
11 th April	Story of a Violin Maker	Linda Colston
25 th April	AGM	
9 th May	Summer Outing	

Crail Art Group

Crail Art Group will be holding their Easter exhibition in the Kirk Hall. The usual selection of framed and unframes paintings, plus cards will be available to purchase in a wide variety of styles, mediums and subjects. All are original works. Entry is free and refreshments are available.

The exhibition will run in April at the following times:

Friday 19 th	10am-4pm
Saturday 20 th	2pm-5pm
Sunday 21 st	1.30pm-5pm
Monday 22 nd	10am-3pm



For more info about Crail Art Group, contact Auriol Wood on 01333 450805

Crail Community Choir

On Monday 4th February, Crail Community Choir joined 8 other choirs at the Fife Festival of Music in the Adam Smith Theatre in Kirkcaldy. They took part, for the first time, in the non-competitive community choir section and received the following very complimentary feedback from the adjudicator for their 4 songs:

There is Peace (*Such an attentive group of singers. Such a gentle and focussed start to your programme. No hesitation here - because you are watching your conductor so closely you are all so together with your phrasing and well held long notes. Your faces are a joy to watch.*)

Surfin' USA (*Well balanced harmonies- you have a lot of articulation here and you manage it well. Even shorter words would make this even clearer.*)

Streets of London (*A favourite of mine that I haven't heard for a long time. A very thoughtful performance. Warm tone when singing in 3 parts. I loved the section where altos and men descended under the melody. Well done.*)

The Crail Song written specially for us by Finn Anderson (*How wonderful to have your own song and sung in your own voices.*) *You should be very proud of your performance tonight. It may be your first visit here at the festival but please "haste ye back" and we will see you again. Lovely balance between men and girls. A well prepared programme with integrity, heart and commitment. Well done to your conductor and accompanist.*

As well as singing themselves, the choir were able to watch the 8 other choirs whose sizes and choices of music were very varied. Everyone in the choir agreed that, although very apprehensive at first, it was a really enjoyable evening and are now looking forward to another successful year. Rehearsals held Monday Evenings in Crail Town Hall (Crail Church hall the last Monday of the month). Any new singers will be made most welcome.



Crail News

RNLI



Crail and Kingsbarns branch RNLI committee would like to thank everyone who helped at events etc. during 2018, also for all the kind donations received which are very much appreciated.

For anyone interested in helping out this year at a coffee morning or at our harbour stall in the summer selling Lifeboat souvenirs., The stall is on Sunday afternoons and it is always a lovely venue where you can meet people from all over which is very interesting.

If you think you may enjoy helping at these events please contact:

Jenny Henderson 01333 451 152 or Lesley Handley 01333 450 508

Jenny Henderson (chairman)

Crail Folk Club

Crail Folk Club's 2019 programme has started well, and even better news is that we have a great spring programme. On 14th March we have one of the Godfathers of Scottish folk. Alan Reid found fame with Battlefield Band. Working with Van Morrison and Mike Oldfield also looks good on the CV. It will be a welcome solo return to Crail for Alan. Sure to be a big night.

28th March sees an ever popular Singers' Night. Jimmy Aldridge and Sid Goldsmith make their first visit to Crail on 11th April. Great storytellers, multi instrumentalists and fine singers. 'Rousing stuff' said the Observer paper, not an audience member. An exhilaratingly diverse evening in prospect. Two guest nights in May. On 9th Iona Fyfe brings her trio to Crail. Awards keep on coming for Iona. Most recently 2018 Scots Singer of the Year. Her debut album Away From My Window has gained much acclaim not least from a sell-out show at Celtic Connections. It is a privilege to welcome her to Crail. As we go into summer we welcome the Lasses on 23rd May. Possibly our first guests from Holland. Sophie and Margot blend together enveloping you in old songs from Scotland, England and America all with a good story to tell.

Full details and tickets can be had from our website www.crailfolkclub.org.uk or 01333 450572



12th Fife East Neuk Scouts

12th Fife East Neuk Scouts are holding a Coffee Morning In Aid of CamJam 2019 on the 16th March, in Crail Legion Hall from 10am-12pm. £2 Entry.

There are 11 Scouts/Explorers going to Cambridge in July for a week's long Jamboree. This is a great opportunity for them as they will work together as a team and meet lots of new people from other countries.

The Scouts/Explorers have taken part in Bag Packs and are holding this coffee morning to help raise the extra money required to cover our accommodation, transport, food and equipment needed.

Please come along to support them. There will be a Raffle, Home Baking Stall & of course Tea/Coffee & Cakes.



Fundraising Events

Crail Church's Hall and fundraising committee have organized a few events for the coming months. We know that we can count on your support for all of them.

Quiz Night



There will be a Quiz Night on **March 15th** at 7pm in the Kirk hall.

The Quiz Master will be Ian Mooney, well known in Crail for his very enjoyable evenings.

The cost is £5 pp with tables of 4 and BYOB format. Tickets will be available.

Organ Concert

There will be an organ concert in the Church. The organist is Dr. Stephen Jon Hamilton, Minister of Music emeritus of the Church of the Holy Trinity (Episcopal) New York City See, and his programme includes music for all to enjoy. Tickets are £10, with refreshments in the Hall afterwards. **April 12th 2019**



Easter Coffee Morning

Our Easter Coffee Morning is a huge money raiser for Kirk funds. Held during the Art Show we are sure it will be as popular as ever. **April 20th 2019, 10am-12pm**

Male Voice Choir

The East Neuk Male Voice choir and the Steeton Male Voice choir will perform in Crail Church. Tickets £8 and all proceeds to be for the Tower Renovation Fund. **April 26th 2019 at 7pm.**



Still to come...

Looking further ahead, the Community Hall has been booked for the Kirk Sale on **July 17th 2019** and the Hall is booked for the Small Gardens teas on **July 21st 2019**.



Crail Mobile Post Office Service

Location - Along High Street opposite the Beehive

Opening times:

Monday: 2-4pm

Wednesday: 2-4pm

Tuesday: 2-4pm

R.B.S. Mobile Branch

Tuesdays, St. Andrews Road Car Park, Anstruther 2.15pm -3.00pm

Thursdays, North Marketgate, Crail, 1 0.20am 10.50am

Crail News

The Rotary Club of Anstruther

The Rotary Club of Anstruther would like to say thank you to everyone who supported our now-traditional Christmas postal delivery service, which took place once again to raise money for local, national and international charities and good causes. Thank you - just under £3,000 was raised - and general fitness levels were much improved by the exercise!!

Our club choir has also been out and about with performances in Arncroach, Pittenweem, St Monans and Kilrenny - including a carol concert in Kilrenny Church. More appearances are in the diary - including Crail.

The club's next big venture is again the Charity Coastal Path Walk - taking place this year on Sunday 12th May. The walk starts and finishes in Crail, where ample off-road parking is provided and there is free coach transport to starting points of Earlsferry or Anstruther. There is the choice of 6 or 13 miles along a well-signposted route with manned checkpoints. A warm welcome, refreshments and a commemorative certificate and medal await at the finish - why not give it a try?

Since it started, the coastal walk has raised a brilliant total of £116,529 for registered charities. A total of 22 charities benefited last year and the charities are chosen by the walkers themselves. More information and an entry form is available on the club website at www.rotaryanstruther.org



Crail Food Festival

Our AGM was well attended and we heard of a very successful event in 2018. Our Events Manager, Aadam, gave an illustrated talk on the outcome of an event that was our best ever. A new



format, adding Beechwalk Park to our venues proved very special, helped, of course by the fine weather. Our attendance of over 5,500 was the biggest yet and there were a lot of smiling faces! Treasurer Peter gave a full explanation of the funding situation. Retiring chairman, Bruce Geddes summed up our problem of lack of local committee members. Two other members, Pat and David, were also due to retire but have agreed to stay on until the end of September to help the festival committee re-establish itself. We are delighted that Catriona and Sophie volunteered at the meeting to come on to the committee and David Jerdan agreed to be Chairman on an interim basis.

The interim committee (David J, David M. Pat, Annie, Sophie and Catriona, ably assisted by Aadam) have already met to arrange a small event this year. Peter remains as treasurer. Crail Food Festival 2018 was financially the most successful festival in its 8 year history. This was due to a number of factors – a dedicated Festival Committee who began planning for the 2018 Festival in October 2017, a professional event manager who worked tirelessly to create not only a well run event but almost single-handedly obtained just under £20,000 in Grants & Sponsorship (2017 £3000) and doubled the income from stall holders.

The work done by our PR and Social Media professionals was also exemplary. Ticket sales (£20,000) doubled from 2017 – 2016 and 2017 were loss making and badly affected by the poor weather. Once everything had been settled, we had a healthy £25,000 in the bank. Future events require a substantial opening bank balance, but the committee decided to make donations of £1,700 to First Responders, £250 to Fisheries Museum and £150 to musicians. We are also giving Crail Charrette £5,000 to help fund a worthwhile project that will come from the charrette process. The committee is very grateful to all those that assisted in our festival last year and help us to gain several prestigious awards for 2018. We have had to take a bit of a breather this year, while we rebuild the committee, however, we are delighted to say that we will have a much smaller event for one day on Saturday 8th June. We will give much more detail very shortly in Crail Matters. We still need one or two local people to join our hard working committee – it is good fun as well!

Crail Charrette

Crail Community Charrette is going from strength to strength as over 70 people contributed to its developing plan for the future of the town at its second workshop. Building on last May's public visioning workshop, the charrette team prepared a range of approaches and options to deliver the vision which residents commented on.

The aim of the Charrette is to create a blueprint to help shape and focus energy for initiatives, projects, future development and government policy, which will tackle Crail's challenges: fragile businesses and services, retaining families & young people, an ageing population and housing development.

Charrette organisers Crail Community Partnership have been determined to get everyone on board a sustained process of engagement, which began in a public visioning workshop last May. They include a raft of voluntary groups in Crail, as well as individual residents of all ages, landowners and senior officials in Fife Council's planning and community development departments.

The second workshop has been accompanied by a Monday to Saturday drop-in centre at Crail Town Hall, and was repeated on a Wednesday night for those who couldn't make the Saturday event.

A third workshop on 16 March will focus on establishing initiatives to deliver the strategy options agreed on Saturday. This will take the form of "hard" proposals, including a masterplan for the future development and/or growth of Crail and public realm improvements to key streets and spaces, combined with "soft" proposals for events, initiatives and community organisation.

The Crail Charrette has been awarded £25,000 from the Scottish Government Making Places Scheme and £23,520 from Crail Common Good. It is part of the Scottish Government's initiative in encouraging communities in Scotland to assume an increasingly important role in planning their future.

Workshop 3 will take place in Crail Community Hall on 16th March from 10am-12pm.



Crail Festival

Planning for this year's Festival is now at a very advanced stage; and we are very optimistic that a varied, entertaining, exciting programme will have broad appeal. The Festival will run from 17-27 July in the usual locations around the village. The Putting Green, providing great fun for all the family, will not only be open 22 June -16 August but also the weekends 1-2 June; 8-9 June and 15-1 June. The ambitious target this summer is 5000 putting rounds to set a new record. Other dates for busy diaries-Box Office will be open in the Golf Hotel 10.00-13.00 on Saturday 8 June and also on Saturday 15 June. Online ticket sales will begin on Sunday 16 June.

Children's activities are rightly accorded a high priority at every Crail Festival. The Afternoon at the Movies (film yet to be confirmed!) will provide relaxation and fun on the first afternoon. The ever popular workshops include Drama, Art, Harry Potter Potion/Slime, Krafty Kids and Paper Making. All those who are

competitive will relish taking part in the Sandcastle, Crabbing, Rock Stacking and Bake Off competitions and the Scavenger Hunt. Archery and Falconry, in response to popular demand, feature again. It is always worth booking early for the Junior Golf Skills, Rock Pool Guddle, Fossil Hunt, Story Telling and Zoolab.

Musical events this year include keenly anticipated The Blueswater, after last year's superb performance, need no introduction. Blazin' Fiddles, a group of the hottest fiddle players mixed with piano and guitar, will bring the best traditional music to Crail. Cat Loud's cabaret style with forthright stage banter must not be missed. Ali Affleck and The Copper Cats will perform sensational New Orleans Jazz and Blues. The Scottish folk scene is vibrant so the Crail Folk Club Concert will be an outstanding evening. Michael Christian Durrant, a hugely talented, accomplished classical guitarist, makes a very welcome return, this time to the Community Hall. Our closing headline act will be the fabulous Something Blue Live Band who will play everything from 60s

Soul classics right up to modern R and B hits. A chance to dance the night away!

The inimitable Les Barker, always a favourite at Crail, will entertain with his comedic poetry and very topical parodies of popular songs. A very funny man!

Live theatre is back with Illyria's outdoor performance of 'The Tempest' in the Castle Grounds. This will almost certainly be 'The Tempest' with a difference!

Our hardy annuals the Festival Quiz, Street Market, Adult Ceramic Workshop and, hopefully, the Art Exhibition add to the enjoyment of many.

Please follow the build up on
www.Crailfestival.com

(live from 31 March),

[Facebook.com/CrailFestival](https://www.facebook.com/CrailFestival),
and

[Instagram.com/CrailFestival](https://www.instagram.com/CrailFestival)

Fun for all. Come and be part of our 36th Festival.

Crail Festival Putting Green

2019
Season

22nd June - 25th Aug.

plus 1st, 2nd, 8th, 9th, 15th, 16th June

1.30pm – 7.30pm

Crail festival

Please help by volunteering for the Starting Hut or
joining the Mowing Team.

Contact Jenny: tel 01333 450108/email: jennigowans@btinternet.com

Crail Primary School

At our School Council on Tuesday 29th January some of our P7s presented their STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths) project. They spoke confidently about their Goblin Kit Car project including the skills they have been learning: communication, problem solving and co-operation. They also explained how they have been developing their literacy and numeracy skills. They also explained their next steps which included applying for different jobs to take the project forward, fundraising, completing their portfolio and taking their car to Cowdenbeath to participate in racing events with other primary schools across Fife. Our P7s showed our families the Goblin Kit Car so far. Everyone was very impressed!

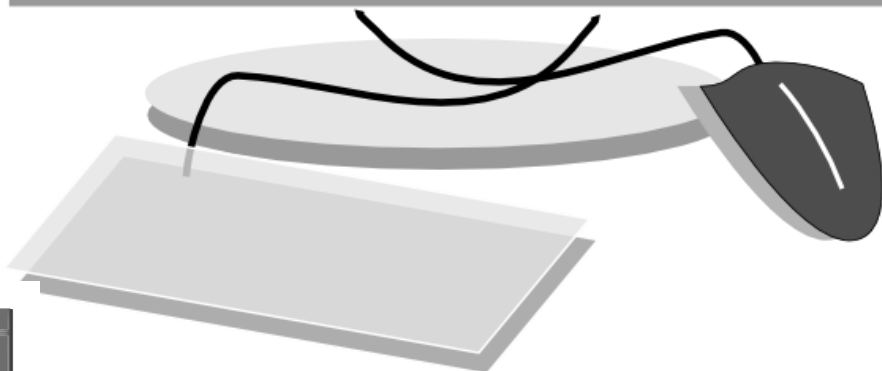


We would like to wish 3 of our P6 children lots of luck at the Big Book Brains Final on 25.02.19. This is a reading quiz for P6 pupils throughout Fife at The Rothes Hall in Glenrothes. The children will participate in 10 different rounds covering a variety of different genres and authors.

During January we started our Scots Focus. Our classes have considered the Social Subjects Experiences and Outcomes of People, Past Events and Societies and/or People, Place and Environment. Each class has focussed on a different aspect of our country's history and heritage including, Mary Queen of Scots, Golf, our landscape, Scottish native animals and famous landmarks. It has been lovely to walk around our school and to see our children participating in Scottish Country Dancing and to hear the sound of Scottish music, poetry recitals, singing and stories. The results of all our children's learning were shared at a special Scottish Showcase when our families joined us.

We joined the global Safer Internet Day campaign to promote the safe and responsible use of technology. Coordinated in the UK by the UK Safer Internet Centre, Safer Internet Day took place on Tuesday 5th February with the theme 'Together for a better internet'. Celebrated in over 100 countries, Safer Internet Day saw hundreds of organisations right across the UK and globally join together to 'be the change' and help create a better internet.

Our P7 Digital Leaders of Learning planned different activities which promoted safe internet usage and led a whole school Assembly.



This year we will once again be participating in The Glee Competition organised by The Frisson Foundation. This is always such a fun and inspiring evening which is enjoyed by everyone in our Crail PS family. The set song for everyone is 'The Greatest' by Sia and our second song is 'Dreams' by The Cranberries. We are looking forward to performing to our families and friends!



Crail Museum

Crail Museum and Heritage Centre is run by a team of dedicated volunteers who work hard both behind the scenes and front of house to ensure your visit is an interesting and enjoyable one, to answer any queries you may have and hope that you leave with a sense of the history of this lovely wee town.

New exhibitions this year are:-

The Mural Monuments of Crail Churchyard

Crail Churchyard is remarkable for its Mural Monuments which in terms of numbers and quality are only rivalled by Greyfriars Churchyard in Edinburgh. However, they are now in desperate need of repair and conservation. Our Exhibition highlights the work done over the past 125 years by local people to record and repair the Monuments and shows the need to promote future conservation. Crail Preservation Society has recently had a detailed survey carried out and is seeking financial support to carry out the work.

The exhibition on the Royal Burgh is being remounted. There will be an addition to the Characters of Crail exhibition relating to the setting up of the Crail Preservation Society and of the Crail Museum 60 and 40 years ago respectively. The exhibitions on the Airfield 1918 – 1960 and the History of Golf will continue.

Last year the Guided Walks of the Burgh were extended to all Sundays whilst the Museum was open except Easter Sunday. This proved successful but for holiday makers who arrived on a Saturday or Sunday and left the following Saturday it was felt that they may miss out, therefore we are also going to try having Guided Walks on all Wednesdays when the Museum is open.

Admission to the Museum is FREE but donations are always gratefully received.

Children's Corner

An area in the Museum where you can have fun revisiting your childhood with a selection of toys and games from the past. Bring along your children/grandchildren and show them how you survived without computers, mobile phones and social media!



Opening Times 2019

1 April – 28th April Daily
Guided Walks; Wednesdays and Sundays

4th May – 27th May Weekends and Public
Holidays
Guided Walks; Sundays

1st June – 27 October Daily
Guided Walks; Wednesdays and Sundays

Mondays – Saturdays 11am – 4pm;
Sundays 1.30pm – 4pm

Guided Walks

It is not a difficult walk but there is a steep hill down to and up from the harbour.

Meet at the Museum 2.15pm for 2.30 start, usually lasts 1½ - 2 hours.

Adults £3.00,

Children
(10 – 17)
£1.00



Remembrance 2018

On 11th November 2018, Crail remembered the 44 villagers who made the ultimate sacrifice during the First World War.

It was estimated that over 200 people attended the Service at the Crail War Memorial. Wreaths were laid by a broad range of organisations - Scouts Scotland, Fife Council, Crail Community Council, the Lieutenancy of Fife, the British Legion Women's Section, the Roman Catholic Community, Crail Primary School, Waid Academy, and 2 Private wreaths and the Royal Scots Dragoon Guards.

To commemorate all the fallen, the Community Council wanted an everlasting and meaningful way in which to commemorate those who lost their lives and set to raising money to purchase a commemorative bench. This was finally revealed after an official unveiling ceremony on Sunday, November 11, by 91-year-old local resident Jenny Brett during the remembrance service.

After the Act of Remembrance at the War memorial, a service was held in the Kirk. At the beginning of the service, the Union flag, The British Legion Flag and the Scouts flag were received by the Minister. During the Service, the names of the forty-four men associated with Crail who are named on the War Memorial were read out, either by a relative, or members of Crail Scouts.



It is important to thank all who helped prepare the Memorial area and contributed to the occasion, and to thank the Kirk Elders, Minister, Peter Neilson and Ellie Clayton who played the pipes.

Crail News

Johann Nepomuk

Hummel (1778 – 1837)

was an Austrian concert pianist, dedicated composer, teacher, and conductor, happy family man and successful businessman, whose death in 1837 marked the end of the Classical music era. He was regarded in his own lifetime as one of the greatest composers in Europe, and likely its finest pianist, equal to, if not surpassing, Beethoven in renown as a concert pianist. Hummel's composing repertoire is widely considered to have bridged the Classical and Romantic musical eras between Mozart and Beethoven.

Hummel continued to develop a booming career as a virtuoso pianist, becoming enormously successful and touring widely. During an 1823 concert tour to Holland, Hummel discovered the pirating of his own music, and for the rest of his life worked diligently to protect the intellectual property of composers through the establishment of copyrighting, securing even a personal letter from Beethoven himself to that end.

Hummel has been overshadowed in this century by his colleagues with more familiar household names: Mozart, Beethoven, Haydn and Schubert – all of whom Hummel knew well and worked with personally - and Hummel finally is now making a well-deserved modern "comeback" as a vastly important late Classical composer.

An astounding child prodigy at age 8, Hummel was at the least an equal to these contemporary composers, becoming more successful in his own lifetime than any of them. He had lived with and been taught by Mozart, first performing in a Mozart concert at the tender age of 9. Hummel's own music was written to entertain, following his desire to live a contented and successful life, bringing pleasure to others through his music. He wrote to a student: "Your purpose is to touch the heart, to instil joy, to delight the ear." How well he succeeded.

The performance of Hummel's music by the Anstruther Philharmonic Society on 16th March in St.Ayles Church is dedicated to the memory of Dr.Alasdair Kennedy, a Pittenweem GP who was a devoted member of the APS from 1958 to 2014 and a past President, Vice-President, Committee member and an eventual Life Member. His wife Gill was also an APS chorister from 1997-2012.

Tickets are £10 from members or at the door. Children 12 and under enter free with paying adult.

The Anstruther Philharmonic presents two concerts a year. APS seeks and heartily welcomes new singers (especially men's voices), new choral scholars and new Friends of The Phil. Chorus rehearsals are Tuesday nights at Coastline Community Church in Pittenweem at 7:15 PM. Rehearsals for next season will resume in late September 2019. Interested parties may find information at www.anstrutherphilharmonic.org.uk or email cwhb@mac.com.



Dates for Diary

March

11 th	Monday Club, Community Hall, "Shops in Crail" by Helen Armitage	2:15pm
14 th	Guild, Visit to Cambo leaving the Town hall	2:00pm
	Crail Folk Club, Alan Reid, Crail Town Hall, £8	8.00pm
15 th	Church Quiz by Ian Mooney in the Kirk Hall. Teams of 4, £5 per person, BYOB	7.00pm
16 th	Crail Charrette Workshop 3, Crail Community Hall	10am-12pm
	12 th Fife East Neuk Scouts Coffee Morning in The Legion Hall	10am-12pm
17 th	Holy Communion in Crail Church, Rev Brian Oxburgh	11:15am
18 th	Monday Club AGM, Community Hall	2:15pm
28 th	Guild in Kirk Hall. "Sailors Society" by Peter Donald	2:15pm
	Crail Folk Club, Singers Night, Crail Town Hall, £1	8.00pm

April

6th	Crail in Bloom Spring Coffee Morning, Legion Hall	10am – 12pm
7th	Linkage Service, Crail Church, By Ian Hamilton	3.00pm
11 th	Guild in Kirk Hall. "Story of a Violin Maker" by Linda Colston	2:15pm
12 th	Organ Recital in the Church with Stephen Hamilton. Tickets £10	7.00pm
18 th	Maundy Thursday Service, Church TBC	7.00pm
19 th	Crail Art Club, Exhibition in Kirk Hall	10am-4pm
	Good Friday Service. Church TBC	7.00pm
20 th	Church Easter Coffee Morning in the Kirk Hall	10am-12pm
	Crail Art Club, Exhibition in Kirk Hall.	2pm-5pm
21 st	Early Service Triangle Park	8.00am
	Easter Day Service, Crail Church	11.15am

Dates for Diary

21st	Crail Art Club, Exhibition in Kirk Hall.	12:30pm-5pm
22 nd	Crail Art Club, Exhibition in Kirk Hall.	10am-3pm
25 th	Guild AGM in Kirk Hall.	2:15pm
	Crail Folk Club, Singers Night, Crail Town Hall, £1	8.00pm
26 th	East Neuk Male Voice Choir & Steeton Male Voice Choir Concert, Crail Church, £8	7.30pm

May

9 th	Guild Summer Outing	
	Crail Folk Club, The Iona Fyfe Trio, Crail Town Hall, £8	8.00pm

June

1st	Crail Festival Putting Green Open	1.30-7.30pm
2nd	Crail Festival Putting Green Open	1.30-7.30pm
8th	Crail Festival Putting Green Open	1.30-7.30pm
8th	Crail Festival Box Office Open, Golf Hotel Crail	10am - 1pm
9th	Crail Festival Putting Green Open	1.30-7.30pm
13th	Crail Folk Club, James Hickman and Dan Cassidy, Crail Town Hall, £8	8.00pm
15th	Crail Festival Putting Green Open	1.30-7.30pm
15th	Crail Festival Box Office Open, Golf Hotel Crail	10am - 1pm
16th	Crail Festival Putting Green Open	1.30-7.30pm
22nd	Crail Festival Putting Green Opens for Summer, everyday till 25th August	1.30-7.30pm
27th	Crail Folk Club, Singers Night, Crail Town Hall, £1	8.00pm