

Kastle Kurrents



Sunday 24th July 2022



International Campfire

With a bit of drizzle in the air, the Sub Camps and Satellite made their way, chanting and singing, to their positions above the campfire and were joined by lots of visitors. The rain stopped and with the fire already ablaze the campfire was opened by Sandy Black and his rendition of 'Start Wearing Purple' (Na, Na, Na, Na, Na). He was followed by a number of performers and songs included An Austrian Went Yodelling, We Are Warriors and Boom Chik a Boom. East 9 and friends from MacLean sang 'Singin' in the Rain, the Spanish contingent sang a repeat after me song (sorry, didn't catch what it was called) and our own Simon Lamb entertained us with the ever popular 'Spork Song'. We sang about some mild animal cruelty, Yellow Bird, please note that we do not agree with cruelty to any animals far less wee yellow birds! Wee Col sang the 'Na, Na, Na, Beep Beep' song, B-A-N-A-N-A-S was sung by some scouts from Satellite and we sang about flowers, daffodils and rolling hills. Campfire was closed with some musicians joining together and singing Auld Lang Syne. Everyone left, and with perfect timing, the rain came on again as we made our way back to the Sub Camps for supper.

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Welcome back 'Himesh', Hiroshi Nakanishi from 1972 to 2022

This is an email conversion too sweet not to share.

Dear Steph
Good morning
I'm trying to remember little by little, but 50 years is a long time ago. I can only remember the vague Scottish landscape in my head.

However, my camp has been McLean, one of four Subcamps. Our host patrol was Fife Scouts. They were 6 very good Scouts. There were probably about 700 Scouts at camp.

Our Camp Chief was Dr. Brian. I was taken care of by an Inverness's host family after the Jamborette. The Scouts name was Ian Gordon. It's a very good memory. I will bring a few photos for this trip.

Please call me "Himesh"
"Himesh" Hiroshi Nakanishi

Hi, Lovely to hear from you, we are looking forward to your visit and hearing all about your adventures from the camp from when you attended.

We have a few Japanese patrols on site this year, they are a constant group at the camp now. They have very close ties with a group in Fife, just over the water from Edinburgh, and are going to be paired with them this year.

You will notice some changes from when you last attended, least of all the size of the camp! We are much bigger now and will have a satellite camp alongside us for younger Scottish Scouts – it is a sight to see!

Looking forward to your visit, if there is anything else I can help with before your visit please do just send me an email – I will not be able to reply for the rest of this week as I will be on site setting up before the main set of staff arrive.
Regards, Steph



Nice to meet you,
Thank you for your kind and quick reply. I will go to the beautiful white castle on the afternoon of 7/23. I remember 50 years ago, and if I can wear it, I will wear the uniform at that time. I have only 10 days, but I will make a diet effort. I look forward to seeing you.
p.s. Will Japan patrol participate in this Jamborette?



Kirsty waters from Team Gorge(ous) got engaged at visitors day!



Blair Pride Parade 2022

Programme of Events



Monday 25th July - Talks and Information

- 7 - 8pm Meet up at our Kastle stage
- 10 - 20 minutes talks and information sessions
- Gender identity and expression
- Rainbow Scouting Austria story
- Progress we made in LGBTQI+
- Being an inclusive leader
- Lukas Story

Tuesday 26th July - Our Pride Parade (20 minutes)

- Parade starts 7pm from the main flag poles
- Or come and join us at our Kastle 7.20pm
- Bring your glitz and glam
- Be ready to stand tall, proud and wave your flag

**All welcome
LGBTQI+
Supporters / Allies**



MISSING PERSON

Myself and my husband come to every Blair Atholl camp and we have had the same job in the staff club. We arrived at camp and my husband was taken. He can be a bit of a block head some days, but he is precious to me and the staff club team. Please return him to the staff club ASAP.

He is a bit of an icon, a historic part of the staff club and was hand carved for us. Someone on camp has perhaps moved him to a Subcamp or a tent on our field but it is now time for him to be returned.



Time to Smile

I'm reading a book about anti-gravity. It's impossible to put down!
The past, the present, and the future walk into a bar. It was tense!
How did the picture end up in jail? It was framed!



A Subcamp birds eye view, of the main flag poles

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We have happy campers



A graphic with a pink sticky note saying "Important", a QR code, and a yellow speech bubble saying "IMPORTANT INFORMATION" with a megaphone icon. The text "SCAN ME" is written below the QR code.

The “Banana” Bake off

We went into the bake off tent expecting competition but it seemed everyone was just happy making today’s bakes. We asked one of the groups which calls themselves the ginger sandwich about how the activity was going and we were told that they believed it was unfair due to the fact that they had been waiting a long time for the whisk. Each group believed they were the best but Seamus Millar who had a toe injury stated that “I’m fighting through my injury putting blood, sweat and tears into my dish”

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Atholl Experience

Do you hate having clean clothes?
 Do you wish to spend hours in a shower
 only to find more mud two weeks later?
 Does the idea of losing your voice
 before camp ends appeal to you?
 Ever wish you could roll around in
 puddles and blow mud bubbles?
 Do you want an ageless completion?

If you have answered yes to any of the
 above, there's only one solution for
 you...

The Atholl Experience!
 Get the Atholl look, because you're
 worth it.



"I would highly recommend The Atholl Experience .. I am 50 years old and it has take years of my completion. People now say I have the Atholl glow."

Who loves the MUD...

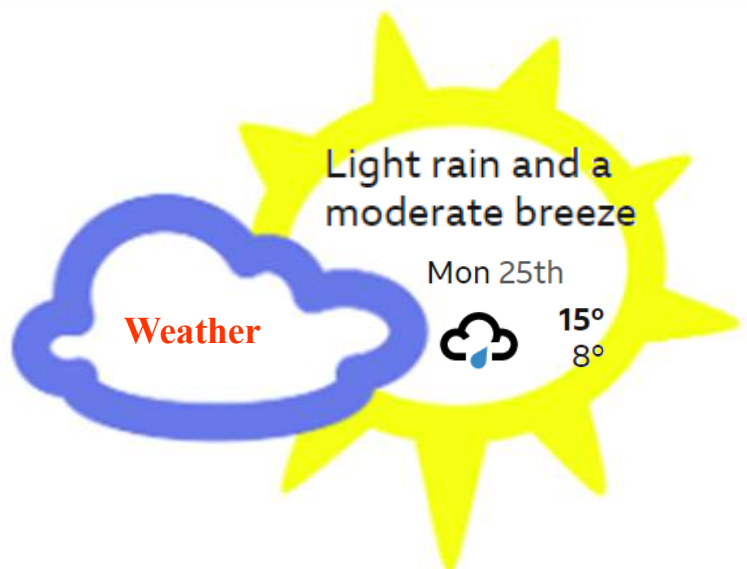


Asthma Issue at the Mud

"Don't run asthma." The leader stated noted that "asthma" was the nickname given to the person. The two people run to look for an inhaler that one of them dropped. Everyone was okay in the end though they still didn't ever find the missing inhaler. The event still continued on because the mud doesn't wait. Some didn't realize how muddy it would be and it was already too late but on the other hand some didn't believe there was enough mud. We were even told that "the mud tasted like chicken". We asked for an couple of notes and what the gave us was just a bit of mud samples. I learned that the people that are doing the Atholl Experience likes to rub mud on the people near by. So if you see mud people be careful.

12 DAILY REMINDERS

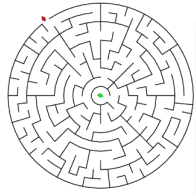
1. The past cannot be changed
2. Opinions don't define your reality
3. Everyone's journey is different
4. Things always get better with time
5. Judgements are a confession of character
6. Overthinking will lead to sadness
7. Happiness is found within
8. Positive thoughts create positive things
9. Smiles are contagious
10. Kindness is free
11. You only fail if you quit
12. What goes around, comes around





SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Can you spot the 12 differences between these two pictures?



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Make a Fortune Teller

I WANT THAT JOB WHERE I PUSH SCARED SKYDIVERS OUT OF PLANES

CRYPTOGRAM

This quote by basketball great Michael Jordan touches on what makes some people successful.

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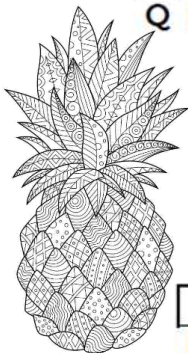
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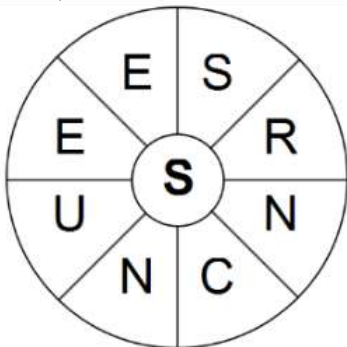
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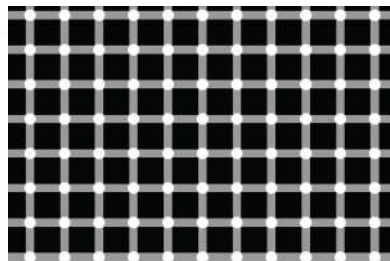
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Colour me



This Summer themed word wheel is made from the letters in the word SUNSCREEN. Try and make as many words of any length as you can from these letters. You can only use each letter once, and each word must include the letter S.



Sunday 24th July
 10.30am Flag Break
 11am Scouts Own at the Castle
 2.30pm International Games for Satelliters
 6pm BBQ for all in Subcamps
 8pm Pirate Party @ our Kastle

Monday 25th July
 Christmas Day in July
 8am Patrol Leaders Breakfast
 8pm Subcamp Chill Out & Campfires

Riddles

- 1 I am the ruler of shovels, I have a double. I am as thin as a knife, I have a wife. What am I?
- 2 I'm light as a feather, yet the strongest person can't hold me for five minutes. What am I?
- 3 What has one head, one foot and four legs?

- Riddle Answers:
1. The King of Spades.
 2. Your breath
 3. A bed