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Marina plans hit the rocks

by JOANNE SIMMS

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PLANS for a marina for Campbeltown have been scaled back to include simply improved berthing and onshore services because large scale facilities would not pay their way and part of the money set aside has already been given to the town's new all-weather pitch.

A workshop was held for interested parties in the town on Tuesday, to look at this second phase of bringing what Campbeltown offers yachts up to scratch and able to compete with

other ports in the West Highlands.

The first of these workshops last year concluded that a marina was 'technically feasible' and the area north of the Old Quay was the best place but it would not be self-financing.

Since then the CHORD funding was cut from £1.16 million to £680,000 as it was decided to use money to build the much-needed all weather pitch for Campbeltown.

'As far as I'm concerned the money should never have been taken away,' Councillor Donald Kelly told Tuesday's meeting. He said the plans for a Campbeltown marina had been the best out of all the CHORD projects and bring economic benefit to the area.

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After the workshop on Tuesday, chairman, Councillor Rory Colville, far right, led a tour of the Old Quay. 0_c26pon01

Carnival time in aid of paraplegic athletes



LADIES dressed up and got into the spirit of a Zumbathon in the Victoria Hall last Friday night. The theme for the evening was the Carnival and was organised to raise funds for nine ladies from the town who will be taking part in the Great North Run later this year in aid of 'Get Kids Going', a charity supports young paraplegic athletes who compete at various sporting events. A total of £300 was raised on the evening. Left to right are: Tracy Chambers, Eilidh Cook, Hazel Huysamer, Moira McLellan, Joan Bissett, Gail Williams, Fiona Irwin and Alison McGeachy. 21_c26zumba01

Litter louts turn harbour into dumping ground

A CAR exhaust and shopping trolley were amongst the objects collected from Campbeltown Harbour at low tide last week.

Traffic cones also thrown into the loch were also recovered and the local harbour authority is urging people to be more responsible when getting rid of unwanted

items such as car parts. As well as making the harbour look untidy during low tide it is also a hazard to boats using the area.

Anyone dumping rubbish in or around the piers and harbours in Campbeltown will be reported to Strathclyde Police.

Harbour master Stephen Scally

told The Courier that the ferry terminal area is littered every morning from people in their cars not putting hot food cartons in the bins.

He said he would like to see people taking more responsibility for their own rubbish, as it isn't very good for visitors to see.



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On parade in Campbeltown and Edinburgh

While a contingent of members of the Campbeltown branch of the Royal British Legion Scotland went to Edinburgh to take part in the Armed Forces Day parade pictured right are some of those who remained in Campbeltown also went along to the Old Quay on Saturday to raise the Armed Forces Day flag at the pier head. 21_c26arm01



Irene Rahman of Campbeltown was introduced to HRH Duchess of Rothesay after the parade at Holyrood Park, piper John McGeachy looks on.



Base talks are 'progressing well' - MACC

by JOANNE SIMMS
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TALKS between the Ministry of Defence (MOD) and the Machrihanish Airbase Community Company (MACC) have turned a corner and are going very well, a jubilant Ian Wardrop reported to the Kintyre Initiative Working Group.

Mr Wardrop, who chairs MACC said: 'I've quite a lot of good information to pass on.'

MACC, their consultants and solicitors met

with representatives of the Ministry in Glasgow and met with a new negotiation 'who was a breath of fresh air'.

Acceptable

He added: 'It's fair to say three-quarters of things are acceptable to both parties; the other quarter is being negotiated.'

'We feel that the best thanks they can give for 70 years support of the community for the MoD

at the base is to give us it back fit for purpose.'

He added that talks with the Scottish Government, Argyll and Bute Council and Highlands and Islands enterprise were also going well.

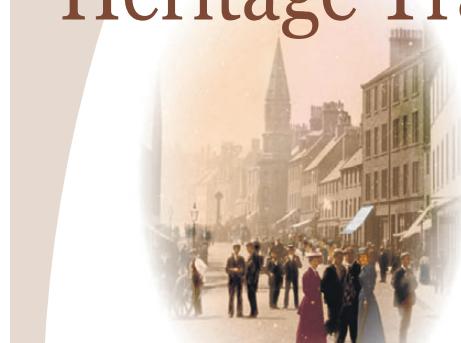
It is possible that they could agree missives by the end of July with a view to taking over the base in September.

'With this new sensible negotiating strategy we hope now to see progress; it's been a big, big step forward,' said Mr Wardrop.



Members of the branch at Holyrood Park after the parade.

Campbeltown Heritage Trail



Would you like to find out more about Campbeltown's historic past?

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Campbeltown Shipyard beach clean completed

WORK to clean the beach at Campbeltown Shipyard has been completed.

Despite *Courier* reports that work was to be carried out weeks ago, residents in the area expressed their anger and disappointment when nothing was done.

But this week an Ar-

gyll and Bute Council spokeswoman confirmed that the street-scene officer in Campbeltown had staff cleaning the beach this week and had noticed a big improvement.

'Our officer has had some staff cleaning parts of the old shipyard site too while we

are still in talks with the owner, although we've been assured that they understand clearing the shipyard is their responsibility,' said the spokeswoman.

'The street-scene officer has put de-littering the beach and inspecting the area on the monthly rota.'

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What now for marina?

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On Tuesday it was said that money might be found from The Crown Estate, which has a track record of investing in Scottish marinas along with Kintyre Development Company, part of Southworth Development LLC, the firm behind Machrihanish Dunes Golf Club and the renovation of the Royal Hotel, directly opposite the berths.

With the hope of a top-up from Highlands and Islands Enterprise the cash might get as high as £1.3 million.

The wave screen and major dredging plans seem to have gone; various proposals could see more than 57 berths. The pontoons could have guide piles or be chain and anchor, and then there is the question of the all-important on-shore services such as lavatories and showers.

Converting the existing council-owned office block on the Old Quay could provide these; or at Aqualibrium or even, as was suggested, in the town hall.

The different options, and permutations of these options, could see the RNLI berth or fuel tank moved and some loss or moving of fishing berths.

The next step is to look at how to lower costs or find alternative solutions such as searching for further funding.

No-go for proposal

A PLANNING application for the change of use of land at Millknowe has been withdrawn.

The application was for the Templar Hall site in the Millknowe area of Campbeltown and was withdrawn earlier this week.

Police Files

Cars damaged:

CARS are being damaged in the Davaar Avenue, Hillside and Calton Avenue areas of Campbeltown.

Police are appealing for information after a number of cars in these areas have had their windscreen wipers lifted off their windows during the night with some being damaged as a result.

Graffiti:

INFORMATION is being sought about youths believed to be writing graffiti in the Sound of Kintyre area overnight.

Police received a report on June 27 about youths vandalising the area at various places and are appealing for any information.

Found:

TWO bikes have been found behind a wall at Tesco.

The bikes were discovered on June 25 and police believe these may have been stolen and urge anyone to check their sheds or outbuildings in case they haven't realised their bikes are missing.

Damaged:

A WOMAN was arrested at 4am on June 23 for an alleged sectarianism breach of the peace on Longrow, Campbeltown, police said.



Councillor Donald Kelly, centre, with ACHA residents Neil McCallum and Danny Murphy. 21_c25donald01

Green light for new homes

ACHA has been given final planning permission to build 30 new homes as part of the regeneration of the Kinloch Road area of Campbeltown.

Councillors gave their blessing to plans at a planning meeting last week.

Argyll Community Housing Association will build two semi-detached houses and four blocks that will create 28 flats along with parking and communal garden areas.

The work is on the site bordered by McCallum Street, Kinloch Road and Longrow; the regeneration site includes the old Park Square area and the former council depot.

It will also include the realignment of the road through to the Port of Campbeltown to make it easier for the wind tower turbine sections

to be delivered to the quayside from the factory at Machrihanish.

At present traffic has to be brought to a halt while low-loaders reverse around a corner.

The planners have agreed to water down flood prevention measures at the housing development.

The go-ahead for the homes was subject to a range of conditions.

But last week, it was agreed certain requirements for floor height and access in the event of a serious flood could be slightly reduced.

Richard Kerr, principal planning officer for Argyll and Bute Council, said the council's flood engineer was satisfied the new proposals were sufficient in the event of a flood.

He said: 'By the time this site is flooded, half of Campbeltown is flooded.'

Take a heritage tour round town

ONCE again this summer, people are being given the chance to find out about Campbeltown's rich history.

A group, made up of volunteers, was formed last year as part of the Campbeltown Town Centre Regeneration Project and aims to provide people with an interesting insight into the area's historic past, ensuring the town's heritage is not lost.

tours are free and last approximately 50 minutes.

The initiative is funded via the Campbeltown THI whose funders include the Heritage Lottery Fund, Argyll and Bute Council and Argyll and the Islands Leader.

If you would like any more information, please contact Cara Brownrigg at the Town Centre Regeneration Office on (01586) 559048.

Concern as grass goes uncut

A REVISED policy on grass cutting for Argyll Community Housing Association's (ACHA) residents has caused concern in the Davaar Avenue area of Campbeltown.

Parts of the land in some areas has been left uncut with residents going to extra efforts to maintain their areas to try and make their gardens look better.

Councillor Donald Kelly met with the residents of Davaar Avenue recently. He said: 'ACHA has adopted a revised policy in relation to grass cutting. This is causing much concern and confusion

throughout the area. I am deeply disappointed how this has been communicated to tenants.

'It is totally unacceptable that no provision has been made to accommodate the needs of the elderly and disabled in respect to the change of policy.'

Chief executive of ACHA Alistair MacGregor told *The Courier* that it has taken the decision to make a number of changes to grounds maintenance this year.

'The association will no longer maintain common ground, which is the responsibility of either tenants, through

conditions of their lease, or owners through their title deeds. We have offered to host close meetings with tenants and owners and have found that a number of groups of local residents have successfully coordinated themselves to organise cutting of grass in communal areas,' said Mr MacGregor.

He said that the association operates an Assisted Grass cutting scheme for elderly and disabled tenants who cannot manage their own garden.

In the Kintyre area alone 59 tenants benefit from this scheme.

Conservatory plan withdrawn

PLANS for the erection of a conservatory extension at a property on Kilkerran Road, Camp-

beltown have been withdrawn.

The application was withdrawn earlier this

week for the extension to the rear of the Coachouse on Kilkerran Road.

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School celebrates annual awards

Craig Barbour piped in the platform party for the prize-giving and annual awards ceremony: Front row, from left: William Crossan, Rector; Cleland Sneddon, executive director of community services Argyll and Bute Council; Janice MacGregor, prize-giving organiser; Cathy Cameron, depute rector. Back: Professor Ronald J Roberts, guest of honour; Mike Casey, senior depute rector; Sid Gallagher, depute rector. 21_c26cgs02



CAMPBELTOWN Grammar School celebrated another successful year with its annual awards ceremony and prize-giving, held at the Lorne

Prizes:

The following pupils receive certificates in recognition of their having achieved 100 per cent attendance in the 2010/11 school year.

Bengullion: S5 Jayne Young, Davaar, S1 Shannon Binnie, Stuart O'May, Cameron Wilkes, Maryann Wylie; S2 Ben Holden, Victoria Hume; S3 William MacKinnon; S4 Feuna McIntosh; S5 Samuel Holden, Iain Logan, Rebecca MacPherson.

Kilbrannan: S1 Ashleigh Conner, Joseph Forshaw; S3 Kate Cameron, Calum Cowie; S4 Liam Faulds, Thomas Jordan, Adam Kenny, Stuart MacBrayne, Paul McGougan.

Knockscalbert: S1 Jack Galbraith, Amy McMurchy, Taylor Paterson,

Beth Ronald, Murdo Watson, Hannah Young; S2 Amy Shaw; S3 Bruce Cowie, Claire Greenlees, Cameron Ronald; S4 Ross Colville, Craig Galbraith, Gareth Scott-Dodd, Struan Watson; S5 Emily Bagnall, Amy Johnstone; S6 Jamie Colville.

Merit Awards

Bengullion: S1 Lauren Anderson, Eilish Cameron, Eve Gaughan, Molly Johnston, Alan Lawrie, Caitlin MacPherson, Arran McAllister, Kirsten McLean, Autumn Taylor; S2 James Baird, Nicola Blackstock, Aimilia Chute, Magnus Ewen, Morgan Irwin, Donald MacPherson, Andrew McAllister, Mark McKinnon, Kayleigh McLean, Euan Reid, Sam Sneddon; S3 Natasha Allen, Neil Macalister, Ewan MacArthur, Corrine Megson, Lauren Milne, James Russell, Hannah Wilson; S4 Craig Barbour, Sally Chute, Eilidh Gaughan, Kelly Gilbert, Louise MacAlister, Caitlin Millar; S5 Laura Jane McAllister, Andrew McClement, Jayne Young.

Davaar: S1 Kyle Barrie, Iain Cameron, Eryn Fee, Louise MacIntyre, Bruce MacPherson, Marnie McCallum, Stuart O'May, Emily Ronald, Caitlyn Spree; S2 Kelly Drum, Amiealeah Ferguson, Sam Ferguson, Ben Holden, Victoria Hume, Rachel MacPhail, Stuart Pentelow, Cara Wilson; S3 Jessie-May Dewar, Andrew Donnan, Mark Leishman, William MacKinnon, Colin Ronald; S4 Alison Campbell, Joel Fee, Alison MacAlister, Amanda McAulay, Hannah McKellar, Laura McKellar, John Pirie, Nicola Wilson; S5 Samuel Holden, Duncan Hooper, Rebecca MacPherson, Nicola Paterson; S6 Kevin Wilson.

Kilbrannan: S1 Ashleigh Conner, Liam Graham, Heather Harper, Mehbub Hossain, Iona McAllister, Charlotte Semple, Molly Semple, Heather Spree; S2 Matthew Armour, Mairi Barbour, Rhona Barbour, Maria Cairns, Jo Chinn, Ryan Deans, Mitch Graham, Drew MacKinnon, Georgia Nicolson;

S3 Sophie Bryce, Rachel

and Lowland Church in the town.

Guest of honour and speaker for the evening was a distinguished former pupil Professor Ron Roberts, who has

been at the forefront of Scottish Aquaculture and who helped to establish a centre of excellence at the University of Stirling for the science of

aquaculture and whose work on the subject is world-renowned.

It was the last prize-giving for Rector William Crossan as he retires this week.



Sports awards winners with Shirley Webb, 'Battleaxe' from The Gladiators TV programme. Shirley represented Great Britain throwing the hammer at the Olympic Games (Athens 2004), and also competed in the World Championships, European Championships and represented Scotland at two Commonwealth Games (2002 and 2006). She was there to present an award to Amy Shaw for her work in designing a logo for the London Olympics. 21_c26cgs04

Cosgrove, Gareth King, Gayle Mathieson, Julia McGeechey, Jane Millar; S4 Aila Adair, Andrew Barbour, Louise Conley, Jodie Hannah, Thomas Jordan, Tiffany Lang, Stuart MacBrayne, Morbheinn McAllister, Abbie Semple; S5 James Cairns, Alan Lazarus, Rebecca Russell; S6 Rhiann Middleton, Alison Millar. Knockscalbert: S1 Tanya McDonald, Nicole McKinlay, Amy McMurchy, Beth Ronald, Murdo Watson, Hannah Young; S2 Caillinn Broatch, Saffron Coffield, Anna Colville, Kira Johnston, Scott McKerral, Michael McKinlay, Cameron Paterson, Amy Shaw, Andrew Wallace; S3 Kester Broatch, Zoe Clayton, Bruce Cowie, Claire Greenlees, Liam MacCallum, Gina McMurchy, Justine Nawrot, Lewis Norris, Rachael O'May, Cameron Ronald, Darren Souden, Grant Westerman; S4 Ross Colville, Craig Galbraith, Sean Middleton, Clare Wallace, Struan Watson; S5 Lindsey Armour, Jennifer Kelly, Louise Mitchell, Alexander Palmer; S6 Jamie Colville.

Points Ahead

Platinum Awards: Stuart O'May (Class 1.1) Beth Ronald (class 1.4) Jack Currie (Class 2.4) Cameron Ronald (Class 3.4) Caitlin Millar (Class 4.2) Jim Galbraith (Class 5.3) Donna McMillan (Class 5.3) Christopher Lang (Class 6.2) Alison Millar (Class 6.3).

Points Ahead Shields: Achievement, Bengullion; Effort, Knockscalbert; Citizenship, Bengullion; Helpfulness, Knockscalbert.

Overall House

Championship:

Knockscalbert

Extra Curricular Awards

Millennium Volunteer Award: Lindsey Campbell, Jim Galbraith, Jamie Greenwood, Eilidh Macalister, Kerry McAllister, Craig McKillop, Laura Russell, Paul Russell. **John Muir Award:** Jo

Chinn, Cameron Crooks, Kelan Griffiths, Dylan Kelso, Charles Lang, Liam MacCallum, Gary McAulay, Michael Robertson, Darren Schnell.

MAKI League Football Winners 2011: Stuart Crossan, Lewis MacFadyen Joint Captains: Christopher Gamble, Ryan Gilchrist, Craig Lamont

Stuart MacBrayne, Andrew McKellar, Craig Morris, James Ronald.

ASDAN: Jo Chinn, Ronan Cooper, Cameron Crooks, Kelan Griffiths, Liam MacCallum, Craig McMillan, Julian Williams.

Special Awards

Andrew McClement, Excellence in Maths; Liam MacCallum, Excellence in Work Experience; Ashleigh Conner, Excellence in Art; Amy Shaw Excellence in Art.

Sports Prizes

Inter-House Tournaments The Gilbert Ash Trophy, Bengullion; The Gilbert Ash Trophy Football, Knockscalbert; Neil Paterson Cup Table Tennis, Kilbrannan

Volleyball, Knockscalbert. CGS Inter-House Badminton Shield, Knockscalbert.

Campbeltown Motor Company Inter-House Golf Trophy, Davaar.

Badminton: CGS Junior Boys Singles, Calum Hooper, Runner Up, Lee Allen.

CGS Junior Girls Singles, Gina McMurchy, Runner Up Rachael MacPhail.

CGS Junior Boys Doubles, William MacKinnon & Ryan Deans, Runners Up Calum Johnstone & Aiden Laing.

CGS Junior Girls Doubles, Nicola Blackstock & Anna Colville, Runners Up Rachael MacPhail & Amy Shaw. L.

McDougall Memorial Shield Boys Singles, Duncan Hooper, Runner Up Craig Nelson.

M. McDougall Memorial Shield Girls Singles, Lindsey Armour, Runner Up Fiona Galbraith.

Campbeltown & District Badminton Association

Trophy Boys Doubles, Duncan Hooper & Conner Miller, Runners Up James Cairns & Campbell McFadyen. A. Houston Trophy Girls Doubles, Fiona Galbraith & Aila Adair, Runners Up Jayne Young & Louise Mitchell.

CGS Shield for Gymnast of the Year, Kate Cameron.

Dan McKinlay Cup for Golf, Andrew Wallace.

Golf Handicap Shield, Andrew McCallum.

● More pictures, prizewinners and an interview with the retiring rector in next week's Courier.



The Dux Prize 2011 For Outstanding Achievement in Scholarship was awarded to Andrew McClement who won the School Prize for History; W S McDonald Prize for French; Sir James Gulliver Prize for Chemistry; Dr Gavin R Milne Memorial Prize for Physics and the Hutcheon Prize for Mathematics.

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Measles on the increase

EVERYONE likes to bring back mementos from their holidays but not measles!

Many of these cases have been associated with trips aboard on holiday, especially France.

NHS Highland is recommended that those children not immunised are the most at risk and parents should get children fully immunised before travelling abroad.

Litter louts

ON the Keep Scotland Beautiful National Day of Action, last month 28 warnings were handed out in Argyll and Bute to people caught dropping litter or not cleaning up after their dogs.

During the day of action six police officers and six enforcement officers from the council worked together throughout the day patrolling streets and open spaces, educating, and issuing warnings to anyone seen dropping litter.

Detection rates are higher than Strathclyde average

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THE CRIME detection rates for Kintyre are higher than the Strathclyde average, Inspector Tom Harper told Campbeltown Community Council's June meeting.

In April, 50 crimes were reported of which 28 are currently listed as detected, 56 per cent.

Broken down

These are broken down into three breaches of the peace; one serious assault, eight assaults, and eight reports of vandalism.

There were three drug offences and 11 reports of theft.

Officers stopped and searched 23 people on suspicion of drugs offences; two for weapons; 11 for alcohol offences and two other matters.

Also during April officers issued fixed penalty tickets for two people for urinating in public and for four other offences.

A total of 850 visits were made to licensed premises and six town-centre action plans were carried out.

During May the police dealt with 54 crime reports, 26 of these now detected a rate of 48 per cent - three breaches of

the peace; one serious and three assaults, seven reports of vandalism and three drugs offences.

And 52 people were searched on suspicion of drugs; 21 for alcohol offences and three others.

Anti-social

When it came to anti-social behaviour two tickets were issued for urinating in public, six for drinking in public and five for other offences.

During May 424 visits were made to licensed premises with four town-centre action plans. Inspector Harper assured the council that detection rates would rise even higher as officers were still working on cases.



Sit up straight! Arms folded and pay attention! Primary five from Dalintober had a taste of Victorian times when they visited Scotland Street School in Glasgow.

Pupils travel back in time!

KIDS at Dalintober Primary School have been time travelling!

Primary Five pupils went back in time, courtesy of the Campbeltown Museum and the town's heritage centre to sample Victorian life.

Museum

In what is called an 'interdisciplinary topic', the children visited the museum and produced a Victorian Booklet for children including the partially sighted.

The heritage centre provided various

hands-on exhibits including a washing dolly, mangle and iron.

Further afield, the class travelled to Scotland Street School to take part in a truly terrifying Victorian lesson!

Finally the children used what they had learned at Scotland Street School to lead a morning of Victorian lessons for their peers and parents.

The school had an excellent turnout of parents and they took part in the lessons where discipline was strict and punishments harsh!

KINTYRE Schools Pipe Band, sponsored by P McKerral & Co, are the new British Novice Juvenile Pipe Band Champions.

Sponsored by Kintyre haulage firm, P McKerral & Co, Kintyre Schools Pipe Band set the heather alight to be crowned British Novice Juvenile Pipe Band Champions at Annan on Saturday, June 25.

'It's absolutely fantastic!' exclaimed Peter Ferguson, the band's bass drummer who was given the honour of collecting the winner's trophy at a ceremony attended by a total of 126 Pipe Bands.

'The Band got it just right today,' said Peter.

'We needed to as we were up against 17 other bands in our Grade. The sound was just right and our ensemble was spot on.'

'At least the judges thought so, and that's all that matters. And we were helped just a bit by our lucky sponsors, P McKerral & Co.'

Kintyre Schools Pipe Band has won the British Championships on three previous occasions in 2003, 2005 and 2006.

'It's been a long time coming,' added Piper Donnie McKerral,

Out and About

WATCH out for Kintyre Schools Pipe Band performing locally in the next few weeks. The Band will be to the fore for the Tall Ships Visit on Tuesday July 12, at the Lifeboat Gala Day on Saturday July 16 and at Southend Highland Games on Saturday July 23.



The new British Champions, Kintyre Schools Pipe band, sponsored by P McKerral & Co.

Bengullion

KINTYRE Schools Pipe Band's live concert DVD, is available on general release, price £12.99. On sale at Yorkshire Building Society, Kintyre Photography, Headquarters Barber Shop, Campbeltown Grammar School, and at various other shops throughout Kintyre.

Bengullion Once More the follow-up DVD will be released soon.

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Thought for the Week with Marilyn Sheddell



THERE was no way they were going to get all these cars onto the boat - or so I thought! We were up on deck on the ferry from Harris to Uig and the cars were being carefully guided on to the deck below by some very skillful ferrymen.

They packed them on with inches between each other and I was amazed when the last vehicle was negotiated into the last tiny space available.

Soon a whole new community of people, children and dogs spilled on to the upper deck, leaving the floating garage below.

I wondered what skills were aboard this boat when I looked at the variety of people milling about.

Snippets of conversation revealed that their occupations were many and varied, and one very humorous taxi driver kept us all entertained with his stories of the road.

There was a brief engagement with the folks around, but this would dissipate as soon as we drove off and onto Skye.

It would be unlikely that we would meet up with any of them again and it wouldn't matter for we were just fellow travellers for a time.

For this was a forced community with no common purpose other than to cross the sea.

How good it is to live in real community, where people matter and folk take time to talk and care.

A place with a church and a village shop and a school where people gather, cements a community. In an age where these things are fast disappearing, let us treasure them, use them and support them.

So as the vehicles were released from the boat, and we passed as ships in the night into the mist and rain, I looked forward to returning to my own wee village and the folks there, without whom, I'd be all at sea.

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the theme for a 'Coast' style window display on Hampton Wick High Street in Richmond, London.

Hampton Wick is just over The Thames from Kingston and the shop is just before the bridge, seen by queuing traffic every peak time morning. We suffer from 'shop window voids' so shop owners here are encouraged to allow others to fill the windows.

Young unemployed have priority but the Kintyre pictures raised such interest that we have a 'geography' style feature showing where each photo was taken.

It is featured in the window of Manuel's Bakery, which dates from the 17th Century but is now only used to make products for office workers rather than sell them on the street.

Let's hope so see a rush of West Londoners to Campbeltown!

**Neal Hattersley
London.**

On the buses!



**Duncan Mauchline.
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Bus driver calls in

ONE of the drivers of Kintyre's two double-decker buses in the 1960s called into *The Courier* office this week after seeing the Down Memory Lane photograph of the bus in last week's paper.

Duncan Mauchline is now 75-years-old and he thinks he must be the last of the drivers left in Kintyre who worked on these ex London Transport buses.

'They were no different to drive than an ordinary bus, they had a short wheelbase,' he said.

'And there must be a few of the conductresses still here, I remember that Jean McSporran used to be one of them.'

Down Memory Lane

THIS week's Down Memory Lane is not the usual old photograph, but rather an actual trip down Memory Lane for three of Campbeltown's Guiders, now retired.

Annie McLachlan, Margaret Turner and Margaret MacIntyre (above) are all members of the Argyll County Trefoil Guild, which is for retired guiders.

This year the guild's annual outing took them to Glasgow and a tour of the city on the hop-on-hop-off sightseeing tour.

First hop-off was at the Kelvingrove Art Gallery for lunch and once fed and watered they hopped-on again and headed for Elmbank Street and the Girlguiding shop, which is also home to the Girlguiding Scottish Archives.

Love was in the air as the first double decker arrived

Sir,

With reference to your photograph of a double-decker bus in *The Campbeltown Courier*, in Down Memory Lane.

The first double Decker to come to the town was in the summer of 1963, I can still remember jumping on to it with my two pals Neil Brown and the late John Beeston, for a bus ride round the town.

How I can remember this is because I met my wife to be that year!

**Stuart McLean,
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Clachan thanks

Sir,

I would like to thank all those from the community of Clachan who stood by, stood with and stood for us in our recent fight against the proposed consultation to the closure of our school.

A thank you also to those community members who took time off their work and managed to accompany us to Kilmory to protest with us, and sing their socks

off. A big thank you also goes out to those from out with the community who signed petitions, returned feedback forms and wrote us letters of support.

Again, thanks to those of the council who continued to fight and oppose the ridiculous episode that has just taken place.

Thanks to the community councillors who have taken the time to work with the communities and the schools.

To all those from other schools who I met,

who my son met and who all played happily on the lawn of Kilmory, I thank you for your continued support.

**Lee Bastow
Longrigg
Clachan**

Kintyre in the picture in London

Sir,
Following a long weekend in Kintyre in May for the MOK 10k we loved it so much that we chose Kintyre as

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Kintyre farmers' success at Royal Highland Show

KINTYRE got its fair of prizes at the weekend's Royal Highland Show with J and M Barr at Clockheil Farm sweeping the boards once again.

The Turner's of Killaldoig won the reserve champion for their Blueface Leicester, a home bred ewe lamb, also

taking the female breed champion.

In the Clydesdale section McFadyen Contractors won Best Yearling or two-year-old with Carnaff Lady Lucinda. They took first prize in the Yearling Filly section, with David MacPhail junior taking second

place with Garcal-fra Sweet Chloe. McFadyen Contractors also took Best Yearling Filly.

Champion Ayrshire was awarded to J and M Barr for Calderglen Silverbell 7.

The Barrs also received best animal bred by an exhibitor, first place in the Cow, in milk,

having had three or four calvings and the Cow, having had five or more calvings sections.

It was placed fourth in the Cow, in milk, having had one calving prior to three years of age, and second place in the Cow, in milk, having had not more than two calvings.



Calderglen Silverbell 7 was awarded Champion Ayrshire at the Royal Highland Show with owner Robin Barr of Clockheil Farm, Campbeltown.

Photograph courtesy of Scottish Farmer.



David MacPhail Jnr with Garcal-Fra Sweet Chloe who took second place in the yearling filly class at the Royal Highland Show. She's out of Oswald Highland Nancy and her sire is Glenside Master Tom. Photograph courtesy of www.equinational.co.uk



Robert visited Malawi two years ago and will return next month to help raise £3,000 for Charity Link Community Development to improve the quality of education in Malawi.

Breeders association plans herd contest and stock-judging event

KINTYRE'S Prime-stock Breeders Association will hold two events next week. On Tuesday July 3 the Herd Competition begins at 8.45am at the Rhoin.

Over the course of the

day, 15 farms will be visited in total with a break for lunch at 2pm and a dinner and prize-giving in the Argyll Hotel at 7.30pm.

Next Friday July 8 the stock-judging competi-

tion will be held at Killeguer Farm by kind permission of the Littleton family and will begin at 7.30pm.

Judge for the evening will be Alex Henderson of Kettle Hill.

First Milk AGM date

THE date has been announced for this year's annual general meeting of First Milk, the milk cooperative to which all Kintyre dairy

farmers belong.

It will be held on October 5 in Kendal, Cumbria.

The venue has yet to be announced.



Greig Gillespie and John McLachlan of Turner's Killaldoig Farm, Campbeltown with their winning Blueface Leicester.

Kintyre Primestock Breeders Association HERD

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Members of Campbeltown Brass who were invited by the BBC as part of its Light Fantastic series.

Campbeltown Brass play the Light Fantastic

CAMBELTOWN Brass recorded a piece of light music at Glasgow City Halls after being invited by the BBC.

It was part of the BBC's Light Fantastic series in celebration of British light music and the piece chosen by the band was *Cornet Carillon* by Ronald Binge.

This featured the band's four solo cornet players and musically depicted a peal, or carillon, of bells.

All the players thoroughly enjoyed the day and the piece by the brass band was broadcast on BBC Radio 3 on Monday June 20, along with the Scottish Romance Orchestra.

For those who missed it and would like to hear *Cornet Carillon*, it can be found on the BBC iPlayer.

During a year of rebuilding the band due to the loss of several key players to further education, this was no mean feat. This was a good opportunity for the players to perfect one of the pieces in their large summer programme.

Touring

In July the band will be spending five days touring the Isle of Man where they will be playing at the Isle of Man National Day.

As well as this the band will be playing at various events around Kintyre.

Jamie Smith's Mabon to appear at MOK Festival

by JOANNE SIMMS

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THIS year's MOK Festival Ceilidh on Friday August 19 in the Victoria Hall will see the debut of Jamie Smith's Mabon who will travel all the way up from Wales following their outstanding performance at this year's Celtic Connections Festival in Glasgow.

Evolving from an instrumental band, in 2011 they became Jamie Smith's Mabon (JSM) led by Jamie Smith on accordion, Oli Wilson-Dickson on fiddle and Calum Stewart on wooden flute and vocals, Adam Rhodes on bouzouki, Matt Downer on bass guitar and upright bass and Iolo Whelan on drums and percussion.

Their music is well described as original, interceltic, world music. Composed by frontman Jamie Smith, and

brought to life by six highly accomplished musicians, it draws inspiration directly from the traditional folk music of the Celtic countries.

Interceltic

This is not Welsh, Scottish or Irish music; this is Interceltic music, a true exploration of forms and styles found in Celtic

music and their forging into something bold and new.

JSM's sound – jigs and reels share space with other dance-related forms such as Breton an dro, French mazurka, and Galician muñera – down to the minute, ornamental variations and nuances that give the tunes their authentic character.

Kay Johnston will MC

the night that includes Fergie MacDonald, local band Ceann Tir and The Kintyre Schools Pipe Band starting the night in the usual rousing style in what promises to be a night to remember.

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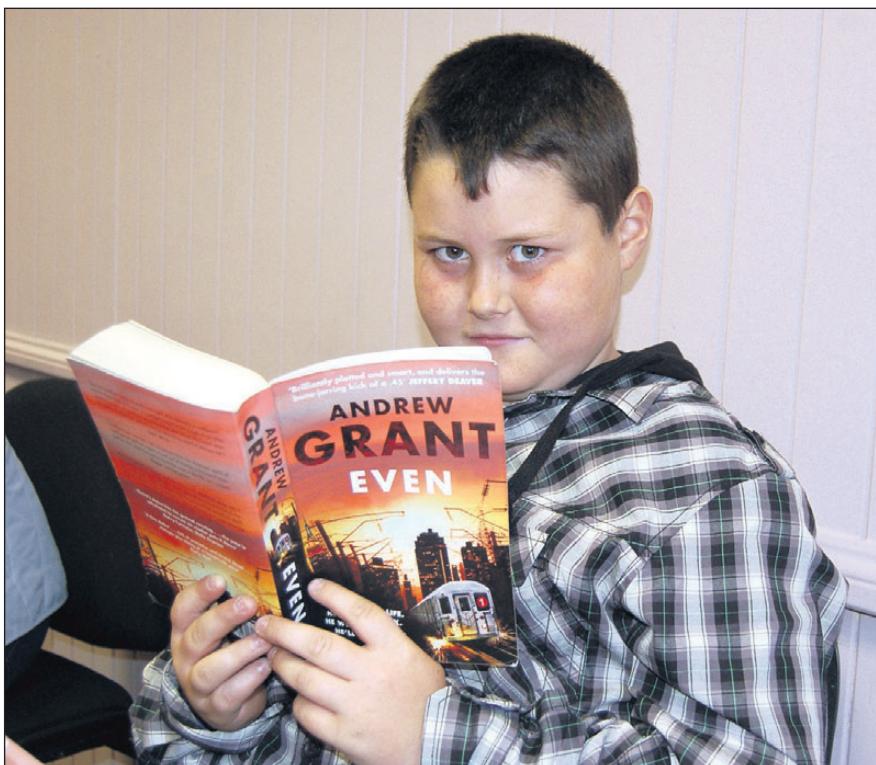


TALENT: Campbeltown Brownies had a sleepover and an X Factor talent show to enjoy at the Guide Hall, Kinloch Road, Campbeltown on Friday night. 21_c26brown01

Kevin stocks up on his bedtime reading

A good read! Eleven-year-old Arran McCallum of Campbeltown, went along to the coffee morning held by St Keiran's Church on Saturday in the church hall on Kirk Street, Campbeltown. An avid reader, he stocked up on loads of paperbacks from the sale table.

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Friends Nicola McFadyen, Jenna Lamont, Kaitlin Coffey and Chelsea Mathieson all had their faces painted by Funky Chicken at the Campbeltown Community Organic Garden open day. 21_c26cog01



SSAFA representatives Margaret Richardson and Ann Morrans had a stall promoting the work of the charity at the garden open day. The two ladies are also the caseworkers for Kintyre. 21_c26cog02

Carden open day

THE RAIN didn't deter the crowds from turning up at the Campbeltown Community Organic Garden open day on Saturday.

And in pride of place were the trophies the garden won at the Argyll and Bute Council Volunteer of the Year Awards last week.



Donnie MacKinnon, aged three-and-a-half, 21_c26cog04



Kirstie Renton, aged three. 21_c26cog03



Yummy cakes! Three-and-a-half-year-old Adam Lang went along to the Salvation Army coffee morning at the Salvation Army Hall, Campbeltown, on Saturday morning with his mum Sarah and his uncle Stuart, who is the Corps Sergeant Major for Campbeltown.

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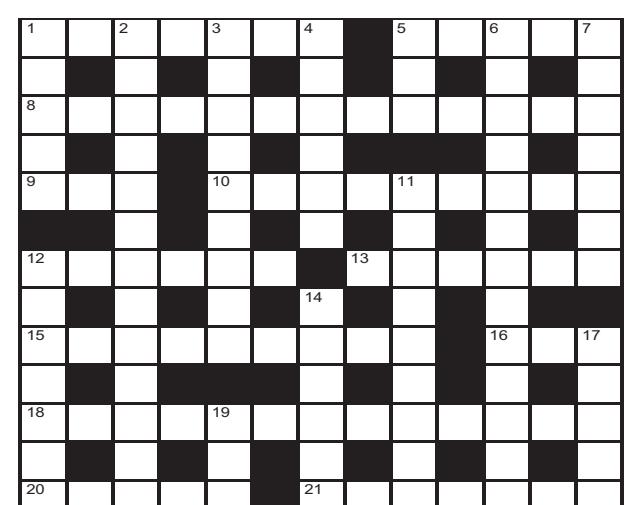
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- 15 Formed the centre (9)
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- 18 One wouldn't leave you needing help (4,9)
- 20 Leaf gatherer (5)
- 21 Supplement (7)

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- 1 Acknowledge (5)
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Stability then growth, says turbine boss

No further job losses envisaged

by JOANNE SIMMS

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STABILITY and then growth are the watchwords for Wind Towers Ltd, the new company at the helm of the wind turbine tower manufacturer based at Machrihanish.

The latest owner, a partnership between Scottish and Southern Energy (SSE) and Marsh Wind Technology said last week that 29 jobs were at risk leaving 81.

'There will be no major redundancies, I believe, other than this,' said Michael Hagmann, the CEO of Marsh Wind Technology, 'Consultation with staff is underway and options for reducing and mitigating the negative impact are being explored.'

Offers

Marsh Wind Technology and SSE are looking at finding those people affected offers of work elsewhere within the companies.

He points to the Marsh Global Holdings' success in turning companies round and more importantly keeping them; they were in a similar position with the Danish company Hendricks

Industries which is now a success.

Track record

'We don't build castles in the sky,' he said. 'William Marsh has a good track record.'

'What we experienced in Denmark in the wind industry is that project lead times mean you have to work one to one-and-a-half-years in order to gain new projects or customers.'

Marsh is responsible for the day-to-day running and fulfilling of orders.

SSE will be the pipeline partner, with towers made for their projects with a commitment from them, that where it makes economic sense, towers for both onshore and off will be built at Machrihanish.

'SSE in putting in a lot of money – real cash,' said Mr Hagmann.

'Our plan is to get the factory to break even, fulfil its potential, start with low volumes, maybe six to eight tower sections per week on average, until at least the end of the year,' he added.

'It takes us away from the boom and bust of the past and gives the place a reasonable chance to keep the business going and make more jobs in the long term.'

'There is a good time coming; the only trouble is it might be a good time coming.'

End of 'boom and bust' - Unite

INITIAL response from unions on seeing the Wind Towers Ltd business plan has been positive.

'It looks good, not that good perhaps to the 29 people in those jobs, but it is more realistic,' said Unite rep Jimmy McCallum.

'They're talking an average of seven sections a week until the end of 2011; trying to break-even or a small profit,' he added.

'It takes us away from the boom and bust of the past and gives the place a reasonable chance to keep the business going and make more jobs in the long term.'

'There is a good time coming; the only trouble is it might be a good time coming.'

Development on site progressing

BY the end of this year the 'red' and 'blue' buildings on site for assembly and the paint shop respectively will be ready for use.

Once these are working, Machrihanish can build towers for any size of wind turbine currently in use, giving the factory great potential.

Multi-million pound investment

HIGHLANDS and Islands Enterprise has said it will provide an investment of £3.4million and Argyll and Bute Council has committed to a £12million upgrade of

the Port of Campbeltown and roads; planning permission was granted for the scheme to realign part of the road near the site of the former Park Square last week.

Joint venture deal signed in May

WIND Towers Ltd, is a joint venture between Scottish and Southern Energy plc and Marsh Wind Technology Ltd, the UK subsidiary of Marsh Global Holdings Ltd, which purchased the Skykon wind turbine tower manufacturing and assembly plant at Machrihanish, from administrators Ernst & Young.

They were granted preferred bidder status in March and the deal was finally sealed in May.

Good news on jobs front

JOBLESS figures are up on a year ago, but the good news is that compared to last month there has been a drop in those out of work.

Unemployment in Argyll and Bute dropped by 127 in the last month, the June figures show, representing a fall of 6.4 per cent.

In the Campbeltown travel-to-work-area the figure fell by 26, an encouraging drop of 10.1 per cent.

But the year-on-year figures show in Campbeltown that 232 are out of work, compared to 211 12 months ago, a rise of 9.1 per cent.

Ferry repairs underway

MV FINLAGGAN owners Caledonian Maritime Assets Ltd (CMAL) have received a report from Cammell Laird, in Birkenhead, detailing the work done to the ship's hydraulics.

The ship arrived in Birkenhead last Tuesday following a ramp failure and initial diagnosis revealed a problem with contaminated oil in the hydraulic system.

A CMAL spokesman said: 'Repairs are now underway on the hydraulic cylinders and pumps, which will be returned to the vessel early next week.'

Make care of workforce a priority, firms told

BUSINESS owners are being reminded to take good care of themselves and their workforce.

Argyll and Bute Council's Business Gateway team is urging business managers to be proactive in protecting the health and wellbeing of their staff in a bid to stop health problems

blighting productivity. The Business Gateway team is now offering help to protect and improve employee health in the workplace with, amongst other things, the Healthy Working Lives Adviseline.

The confidential service supports employers with any issues they

have concerning the health of employees, whether they relate to occupational health, health and safety or health improvement.

A free guide, published by NHS Health Scotland, is also available.

'If you run a low-risk, office based business then health and safety

is something you can manage without needing to buy in expert help,' a spokesman said.

The guide outlines businesses' legal responsibilities regarding health and safety policy, risk assessment, staff consultation training, welfare and accident reporting, health

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The Island's capital is Bowmore where the distinctive Kilarrow Parish Church can be found. Kilarrow Parish Church is round, legend has it, to leave no corner for the devil to hide in. Islay has eight working distilleries producing distinctive malts. Most distilleries have a visitor's centre and provide informative and interesting tours. The Island is home to many bird species and is a popular destination for birdwatchers. Sea angling is also popular over the many shipwrecks around the coast. Finlaggan the centre of the Lordship of the Isles has a visitor centre which is open daily from April until October.

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Bruichladdich Distillery

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TAYINLOAN

Access point granted

THE formation of an access point in the Tayinloan area of Kintyre has been granted planning permission.

The application for the access point to the classified road for timber extraction operations was permitted by Argyll and Bute Council's planning department last week.

The location will be on forestry access land opposite the Scottish and Southern Energy's Ballure Sub Station in Tayinloan.

TARBERT

Planning applications approved

TWO planning applications in Tarbert were permitted by Argyll and Bute Council's planning department last week.

At the Old Dairy, Kintyre Street, a site for the erection of a housing development was permitted planning approval.

Land to the West of Achnacarnan has had its planning application permitted for the erection of a dwellinghouse.

Netherlands Caravan Club visit Carradale

THE flag of the Caravan Club of the Netherlands was flying over Carradale Bay Caravan Park this week.

Fifty members of the club and their caravans and motor homes spent three nights there as part of their three-week-long tour of Scotland, called The Highland Hike, which has seen them visit, Kielder, Edinburgh, Blair Atholl, Inverness, Durness, John O'Groats, Ullapool, Edinbane, Resipole, Oban and Carradale before going onto Ayr and Appleby.

And the caravaners' verdict?

'Beautiful country, shame about the roads!' said Bob Beijer, organiser of the tour.

The Dutch club sent members over to Scotland last year on a reconnaissance mission and they were impressed with the Carradale Bay site.

They were welcomed by Colin Burgess from the caravan park and



Carradale's Colin Burgess and Johnny Durnan, back right, with members of the Dutch club at their barbecue party on Sunday evening. 21_c25cara01

friends along with Carradale's own Kilbrannan Catering who provided a welcome barbecue on Sunday night.

Red Cross bus to keep running

CARRADALE has breathed a huge sigh of relief with the news that funding has now been

found to keep the Red Cross bus running for the whole of the present financial year up to March 2012.

There were fears that council cuts would see the end of the service, which is a lifeline for elderly and housebound people to get out to luncheon clubs and to the doctors' surgery, not just in Carradale but across rural Kintyre.

CARRADALE



The flag of the Netherlands Caravan Club.
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Monday Club

THE Carradale Monday Club meets every week at the village hall for refreshments, games and a social.

In one room there is indoor bowling and in another there are card games and dominoes.

The club has more than 20 members and they are busy planning their summer outing to Southend, including a meal at the Muneroy Tearoom.



Carradale Monday Club members enjoy their games of carpet bowls. 0_c25mon01

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Eunice Hynde from Southend, left, went along to the Zumbathon in the Victoria Hall, Campbeltown on Friday night with her friend Kim Prior of Campbeltown. 21_c26zumb02

Youth club closed for the summer break

SOUTHEND Youth Club has now closed for its summer break.

The kids enjoyed a bingo night last week and there is a games night to be held once the club resumes again in August.

SOUTHEND

MACHRIHANISH

Withdrawn

AN APPLICATION for the erection of five dwellinghouses at Machrihanish has been withdrawn.

The application for land west of East Trodial Farm near the village included the formation of access and was withdrawn earlier this week.

SKIPNESS

Dance Diary

SKIPNESS Village Hall has finalised its dance diary, running from this summer up to Easter next year.

The Skipness ceilidhs are a family institution and the audience runs from babies taken along in carrycots to pensioners.

The bands come from all over Scotland to play and the dances have built up an incredible reputation over the years for friendliness and fun.

The events are unlicensed and include the now legendary suppers of sandwiches and home baking.

The July dance is on Friday 22 with Archie John McVicar; Friday August 12, The Occasionals; Friday September 23, a ceilidh with Alex McKinnon, David Hunt and others.

On Friday October 28 there is a Halloween fancy dress and dance with Archie and Alec

MacAllister's Band in aid of the RNLI.

Friday December 30 has a festive dance with Gunna South Ceilidh band and the Easter Dance, Saturday April 14 next year will be with Band tha.

STEWARTON

Eyes down for bingo

THE COMMITTEE at Stewarton Village Hall has organised a prize bingo night to be held at the club on Thursday July 21 at the hall.

The event has been planned during Glasgow Fair and the hope is that lots of holidaymakers will go along as well to help boost hall funds.

Summer bowls league

STEWARTON Village Hall summer bowls league is well underway and meets every Friday night with more than a dozen players turning up.

Soup off

THE soup luncheon club had to be cancelled at Stewarton Village Hall last week when the Red Cross bus broke down and many members could not get there.

GIGHA

No trouble at festival

POLICE report that overall there was no trouble at Gigha Music Festival over the weekend.

Extra patrols were put on and police worked with Caledonian MacBrayne throughout the festival.

There was only one incident on Sunday morning at around 12.30am when alcohol was confiscated from under age youths and disposed of.

BELLOCHEAUTY

Speeding

TWO speeding tickets were issued at Bellochanut on Monday morning.

Traffic police issued the tickets during routine checks at 8.30am in the village on the A83.

ISLAY

Festival of the Sea

ISLAY'S Festival of the Sea will take place alongside the Colmcille Rowing Challenge, a race organised by the Foyle Rowing Club in Moville, County Donegal.

Rowing teams from Moville and Islay will race from Port Ellen to Moville, a distance of 44 miles, in traditional coastal rowing boats on July 9.

South Islay Development recognised the opportunity to expand the initial race idea into a local project to increase volunteer participation, skills training and promotion of the area by developing a Festival of the Sea.

As well as the actual race, both communities will each hold a Festival of the Sea including regattas, awareness raising events and workshops within their respective areas.

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SADDELL

Mobile library van tours Kintyre

LAST week was library van week for the majority of Kintyre.

Week four of the West Argyll library bus rota sees Gordon Swanson from Lochgair bring

the bus to the southern-most part of its patch; it visits Skipness and Claddich during week three.

The mobile library serves from Port Appin in the north to South-end.

After being off the road for the first two days of the week the library was on the east

road, visiting Peninver to Carradale and then on to Grogport.

In Saddell Gloria Cunningham and Andrea Hopkins were waiting to change their books.

Gloria said: 'You look forward to the library coming, especially in winter. It really is a link.'



Andrea Hopkins, left, and Gloria Cunningham in the mobile library with Gordon Swanson at Saddell. 0_c26lib01



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Progress so far

Scottish Water, along with our contractors Black & Veatch, has made good progress with the waste water improvements in Campbeltown. We are in the last stage of the work, which is expected to be complete by September 2011 – three months ahead of schedule.

The final phase of the work, to upgrade Kinloch Park Pumping Station and provide improved foul treatment and new storm facilities at Slaty Farlan Waste Water Treatment Works (WWTW), started in April 2010.

Mechanical and electrical work is ongoing at Kinloch Park Pumping Station and should be completed by the end of July.

At Slaty Farlan WWTW, we have completed the civil works for the storm facility and the supplementary treatment facility. The installation of the mechanical and electrical equipment is ongoing and testing will be carried out in July.

The installation and excavation for the marine outfall from Slaty Farlan WWTW is well under way and testing should be completed shortly.

Work has started on St John Street and we aim to complete this by the end of August. Traffic management in the area is to ensure continuity of passage for all road users.

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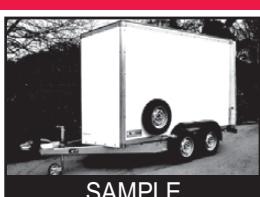


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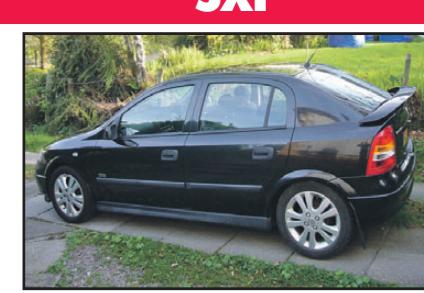
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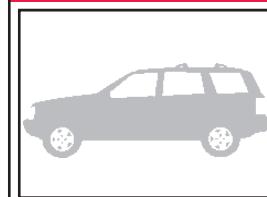
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Wednesday 6th July 2011

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An application is being made in June 2011 to Marine Scotland, in order to obtain consent for installation of the device in Sanda Sound.

Oceanflow will be holding a public information day in Campbeltown for the purpose of informing local residents and any other interested parties about the device, our company and our plans for the trials. Oceanflow staff will be there to answer questions and there will be a short presentation at two pre-arranged times during the event. We very much look forward to meeting you and hearing your questions and points of view.

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### TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 2008 REGULATION 20(1) ADVERT STATEMENT

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| Ref No       | Proposal                                                                                                                                                                          | Site Address                                                                                                | Location of Plans         |
|--------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 11/00502/PPP | Site for the erection of a dwellinghouse                                                                                                                                          | Plot 3 Fraoch<br>Choile<br>Whitehouse<br>Tarbert<br>Argyll And Bute                                         | Sub Post Office Tarbert   |
| 11/00895/PP  | Erection of dwellinghouse and installation of septic tank.                                                                                                                        | Plot A<br>Land Adjacent to Castle Sween Cottage<br>Achnamara<br>Lochgilphead<br>Argyll And Bute<br>PA31 8PT | Area Office Ardrishaig    |
| 11/00897/PP  | Erection of dwellinghouse and installation of septic tank.                                                                                                                        | Plot B<br>Land North Of Castle Sween Cottage<br>Achnamara<br>Lochgilphead<br>Argyll And Bute<br>PA31 8PT    | Area Office Ardrishaig    |
| 11/00937/PP  | Erection of a wind turbine (60m to hub, 84m to blade tip), with associated substation, crane pad and temporary hardstanding and the upgrading of 550m of existing forestry track. | Land North East Of Redesdale House<br>Skipness<br>Tarbert<br>Argyll And Bute                                | Sub Post Office Tarbert   |
| 11/00971/PPP | Site for the erection of a dwellinghouse                                                                                                                                          | Land North West Of Mingulay Port Righ Carradale Campbeltown<br>Argyll And Bute<br>PA28 6SE                  | Sub Post Office Carradale |
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| 11/00957/PP  | Formation of new window and door opening and rolled lead roof extended and rooflights removed (retrospective)                                                             | George Hotel<br>Main Street East<br>Inveraray<br>Argyll And Bute<br>PA32 8TT              | Sub Post Office Inveraray                 |
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| 11/01007/PP  | Erection of 2 holiday letting dwellinghouses and associated car parking.                                                                                                  | Garden Ground Of Brambles<br>Main Street West<br>Inveraray<br>Argyll And Bute<br>PA32 8TU | Sub Post Office Inveraray                 |
| 11/01010/PP  | Installation of replacement windows on rear elevation (retrospective)                                                                                                     | Anchor Hotel<br>Harbour Street<br>Tarbert<br>Argyll And Bute<br>PA29 6UB                  | Sub Post Office Tarbert                   |
| 11/01023/PP  | Painting of shop front elevation (Retrospective)                                                                                                                          | 30 -32 Union Street<br>Campbeltown<br>Argyll And Bute<br>PA28 6HY                         | Burnet Building St<br>John St Campbeltown |
| 11/01024/LIB | Painting of shop front elevation (Retrospective)                                                                                                                          | 30 - 32 Union Street<br>Campbeltown<br>Argyll And Bute<br>PA28 6HY                        | Burnet Building St<br>John St Campbeltown |

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## DEVELOPMENT AND INFRASTRUCTURE

### (HALL STREET, CAMPBELTOWN)(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC) ORDER 2011

On Monday 27th June 2011, Argyll and Bute Council, made the above named Order under Section 16A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended, the effect of which will be that for a temporary period, no person shall drive or cause or permit to be driven any vehicle, with the exception of emergency services vehicles, through length of the southeast bound carriageway of Hall Street, Campbeltown, extending from its junction with the roundabout at Old Quay Head to its junction with the roundabout at the New Quay a distance of 235 metres or thereby. Vehicles will still be permitted to travel in the north west bound carriageway.

The Order, which is necessary to facilitate the holding of the RNLI fundraising Gala Day, shall have effect when indicated by signs between 0930 hours and 1800 hours on Saturday 16th July 2011.

Alternative Route: Vehicles approaching from the North should proceed via Main Street, Argyll Street, Stewart Road, New Quay Street thence Kilkerran Road. Vehicles approaching from the south should proceed vice versa.  
Sandy MacTaggart, Executive Director, Development & Infrastructure Services, 1A Manse Brae, LOCHGILPHEAD Argyll PA31 8RD

## HARBOURS ACT 1964

### PROPOSED CAMPBELTOWN HARBOUR REVISION ORDER 201[X]

1. Notice is hereby given that Argyll & Bute Council ("the Council") has applied to the Scottish Ministers to make a harbour revision order ("the proposed Order") under Section 14 of the Harbours Act 1964 ("the 1964 Act").

2. The objects of the proposed Order are to empower the Council to make changes to Campbeltown harbour ("the harbour") and the infrastructure at the harbour by the construction of works, and to apply the powers, rights and duties of the Council in respect of the harbour and harbour infrastructure to those works and to other existing works.

3. No land is proposed for compulsory acquisition.

4. The works proposed to be authorised comprise the widening of the existing New Quay; the realignment of the northwest face of the existing pier and the northwest and northeast faces of the existing slipway structure; dredging and slope protection; and reclamation of part of the foreshore and seabed for the purpose of road widening so as to improve vehicular access to Hall Street.

5. The Scottish Ministers have by letter dated 22 June 2010 informed the Council that they have decided in accordance with paragraph 4 of Schedule 3 to the 1964 Act that the application relates to a project which falls within paragraph 10(e) of Annex II to Council Directive 85/337/EEC on the assessment of the effects of certain public and private projects on the environment (as relevantly amended by Council Directive 97/11/EC and Council Directive 2003/35/EC) because the project relates to the construction of a port installation, and that it is not a relevant project in terms of Schedule 3 to the 1964 Act because it would be unlikely to have significant effects on the environment by virtue of its size Accordingly, no Environmental Statement is required.

6. The application to the Scottish Ministers comprises:

- The application letter;
- A copy of the proposed Order; and
- The deposited plan and sections as referred to in the draft of the proposed order.

All of these materials together with the letter of 22 June 2010 giving the Scottish Ministers' decision as referred to above ("the Application Papers") can be found at [www.argyll-bute.gov.uk/campbeltown-harbour-revision-order](http://www.argyll-bute.gov.uk/campbeltown-harbour-revision-order).

7. A copy of the Application Papers may be inspected at all reasonable hours until the expiry of the forty-two days' period specified in paragraph 9 of this notice at:

- The Harbour Master's Office, Old Quay, Campbeltown, Argyll PA28 6EF; and
- The offices of the Council at Kilmory, Lochgilphead, Argyll, PA31 8RT.

8. Any person requiring further information concerning the works proposed may apply in writing for that information to Ross MacPhie, URS Scott Wilson, 23 Chester Street, Edinburgh EH3 7EN, until the expiry of the forty-two days' period specified in paragraph 9 of this notice.

9. Any person desiring to object to the application should do so in writing to the Scottish Ministers, addressed to Mrs V Ferguson, Transport Scotland, Ports and Harbours Branch, Area 2G North, Victoria Quay, Edinburgh, EH6 6QQ, or by e-mail to [harbourorders@scotland.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:harbourorders@scotland.gsi.gov.uk) before the expiry of the period of forty-two days starting with 1 July 2011 (being the date of first publication of this notice) stating the grounds of their objection.

10. All representations made, including personal information provided to Scottish Ministers, will be shared with the Council. The Council may contact you to discuss your concerns. Names and the text of any representation may also be published on Transport Scotland's website due to Freedom of Information requirements. If you wish to discuss any issues relating to the use of your personal data please contact the person specified in paragraph 9 of this notice.

11. If an objection to the application is made and not withdrawn, the Scottish Ministers may before making their decision (i) cause an inquiry to be held, or (ii) give to the objector an opportunity of appearing before and being heard by a person appointed by them.

Dated this 1st day of July 2011

Brodies LLP, Solicitors, 15 Atholl Crescent, Edinburgh EH3 8HA

## COUNCILLORS' SURGERIES

Councillor Rory Colville (E.W.1 South Kintyre)

Councillor Colville will NOT be holding a surgery during the month of July.

Councillor Colville can be contacted on Tel: 01586 820209 or by email - [rory.colville@argyll-bute.gov.uk](mailto:rory.colville@argyll-bute.gov.uk)

Councillor Donald Kelly (E.W.1 South Kintyre)

Councillor Kelly can be contacted on Tel: 01586 810 391/07977327751 or by email [donald.kelly2@argyll-bute.gov.uk](mailto:donald.kelly2@argyll-bute.gov.uk)

Councillor Kelly will be happy to arrange meetings to suit constituents.

Councillor John Semple (E.W.1. South Kintyre)

Councillor Semple can be contacted on Tel: 01586 553 765 or by email - [john.semple@argyll-bute.gov.uk](mailto:john.semple@argyll-bute.gov.uk)

Councillor Donnie MacMillan (E.W. 3 Mid Argyll)

Councillor MacMillan can be contacted on Tel: 07979 086093 or an appointment can be made by phoning Members Services on Tel: 01546 604209. Councillor MacMillan can also be contacted by email - [dонаld.macmillan@argyll-bute.gov.uk](mailto:donald.macmillan@argyll-bute.gov.uk)

Councillor Alison Hay (E.W.3 Mid Argyll)

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Councillor Douglas Philand (E.W.3 Mid Argyll)

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Councillor Robin Currie (E.W.2 Kintyre and the Islands)

Councillor Currie can be contacted by email - [robin.currie@argyll-bute.gov.uk](mailto:robin.currie@argyll-bute.gov.uk) or by telephone - 07795 222 849

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To succeed in this role you will need to be able to demonstrate excellence in delivering customer service to internal business users and can operate within defined processes and procedures. As a result any exposure to the ITIL framework is advantageous. Further to this a flexible approach to working and the ability to manage your own workload is essential as is the ability to work within project teams and on your own.

The role will involve travel to other sites including Orkney and Shetland therefore all applicants are required to have a full drivers licence.

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AFT is looking for an individual with a degree in a scientific or environmental discipline who has practical experience working in the field. The successful candidate for the post will be enthusiastic, aspires to develop, is self motivated, and able to work well within a team.

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The Argyll Fisheries Trust is a charitable company limited by guarantee. Set up in 1996 it has a track record of implementing science-based management of fish populations and fisheries. The AFT biologist team reports to an active and involved Board of Directors.

A full job description is available from **Craig MacIntyre, Manager AFT, Cherry Park, Inveraray, Argyll, PA32 8XE; Tel 01499 302322; e-mail: cm@argyllfisheriestrust.co.uk**.

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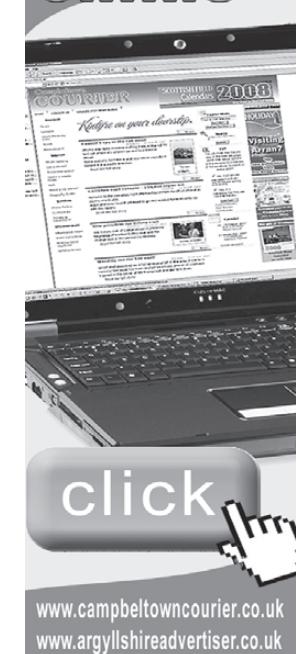
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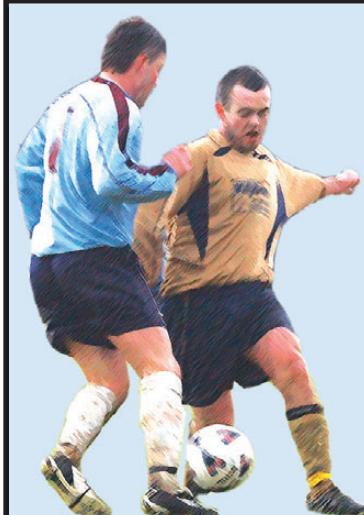
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### BIRTHS

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### ENGAGEMENTS

**FRIER — MARGACH** — Both families are delighted to announce the engagement of John to Fiona, on June 25, 2011.

### MARRIAGES

**LAIRD — MACNAB** — Mark, son of Roy Laird and Linda Herd, Kilmichael Glassary, to Seona, daughter of John and Jennifer MacNab, Ardrishaig at Carnasserie Castle on June 4, 2011. Thanks to our families, friends and all who helped make our day so special.

### DEATHS

**BROWN** — On June 27, 2011, peacefully at home, Annie McEwan, formerly of Kilberry, in her 83rd year, beloved partner of Iain MacLachlan, much loved mother of Anne and Donald and a dear grandmother. Funeral service was held at her home on June 29, interment thereafter at Tarbert Cemetery.

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### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

**DOCHERTY** — Margaret, Babette, Maureen and Malcolm would like to sincerely thank everyone for the kind expressions of sympathy received after the sad loss of Kenneth. Many thanks to the doctors and nurses in the Acute Ward, Campbeltown Hospital for their sympathetic care, Rev Burroughs for his moving and comforting service, Alasdair Blair for his caring and efficient handling of the funeral and to the Argyll Hotel for their excellent purvey. A very special thanks to all who paid their last respects at church and graveside. The retiring collection of £300 was raised for the Highland Parish Church.

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**MCLELLAN** — Remembering with love my dear mother, Jean Stewart, who passed away on July 2, 1979, also my dear father William McLellan, who passed away on November 16, 1976.

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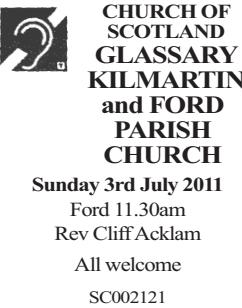
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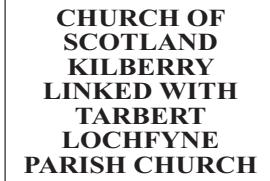
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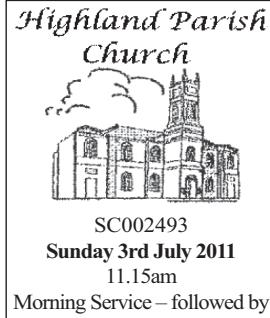
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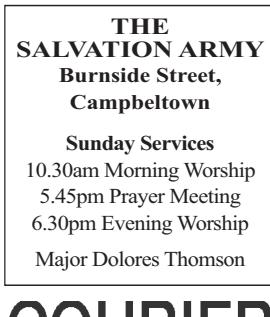
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# George wins 16th championship

TWENTY-three Dunaverney Golf Club members contested the final two rounds of the gents' championship in ideal conditions and on a course superbly prepared by green keepers David Scullion and Willie MacMillan.

Expectations were high for good scores and a tight finish. In the third round the leading players didn't disappoint.

#### Notched

Campbell McCallum, using a five iron at the 177 yard par three fourth hole, notched up the fifth hole in one of his career to card a 63.

Current champion George MacMillan was not giving up his title

without a fight and with a 61 cut Campbell's lead to one.

At this stage Campbell was also leading the handicap section with a nett 175 from Mark Davis on 187. Duncan Watson III secured the senior's title in this round for a three round gross total of 201.

#### Excellent

Conditions remained excellent for the third round and by seventh hole leading Campbell was three shots clear of George but disaster struck on the eighth hole when Campbell lost a ball and enabled George to take advantage and posted another sub par round of 61 to finish

seven shots clear and win the Championship for the sixteenth time.

#### Results

Club Championship: 1 George MacMillan 255, 2 Campbell McCallum 262, 3 Duncan Watson III 271, 4 Donald Taylor 284, =5 Sandy Watson 288 and Mark Davis 288.

Handicap Championship: 1 Campbell McCallum 238, 2 Mark Davis 252, 3 Darren Kelly 254, 4 Duncan Watson III 255, 5 Kenny Cameron 266, 6 Alistair O'May 258.

Senior Championship (over three rounds): 1 Duncan Watson III 201, 2 Donald Taylor 210, 3 Sandy Watson 217.



Left to right: Campbell McCallum, captain Darren Kelly, George MacMillan and Duncan Watson III.



Catherine McEachran, left, and Marion Reid.

## Ladies qualify for the National finals

OVER the weekend Campbeltown Bowling Club (CBC) played host to the Kingston club from the south side of Glasgow.

The Kingston club, which was founded in 1849, will sadly close its doors for the last time at the end of the season, as it has been unable to sustain a good level of members.

This annual friendly match has been running home and away since 1976 and it is hoped that at least some of the former Kingston members will make the journey to Campbeltown annually in future years.

During their visits many of the Stronavaar club's members have enjoyed visits from the Kingston members during hospital stays in the city.

The results of the gents' and ladies' matches were irrelevant as both Tomlinson trophies had already been consigned to the CBC trophy cabi-

net in posterity but two home wins ensured this was merited.

Both teams enjoyed, and will long remember, the dance on Saturday night and the ceilidh on Sunday afternoon that rounded off a great weekend.

#### Happier

On a happier note, it is pleasing to report that Catherine McEachran and Marion Reid have qualified for the National finals at Ayr Northfield at the end of July following their District final win against Dalmuir at Vale of Leven last week.

Their success and that of the Argyll club's ladies' four is all the more meritorious when they are handicapped by having to travel to various greens, some barely fit for purpose, in the West Dunbartonshire area and often having to play two matches in one day against opponents who live within five minutes walk of the venues.

## Alister raises £645

A MAN has thanked everyone who has sponsored him for a fishing competition helping to raise £645 for charity.

Alister Nimmo took part in the Big Fish competition held in Ayr last month in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. Alister managed to catch four rainbow trout weighing 8lbs 14ozs; he had the second heaviest basket out of 18 anglers, beaten into second place by only 8 ozs. Alister also raised £165 for Cancer Research by selling bedding plants.

## Final rounds at Tarbert

THIS WEEKEND will see the final two rounds of Tarbert Golf Club's Championship take place at Glenralloch.

The Senior Championship also takes place this weekend along with the John Reid Quaich and the trophy presentations will take place on Sunday at 5.15pm.

Members are reminded that the final two rounds are seeded and the relevant ballot times are

posted on the club notice board. Anyone not playing should remove their name in plenty of time.

The club also has a new website, www.tarbertgolfclub.org where members can view competition results, knockout draws and various news items. All the hard work by club member Willie Young is coming to fruition so log on and take a look.

## Lodge 141 holds prize-giving

ST JOHNS 141 Recreation Club in Campbeltown held its annual prize-giving for bowls and pool recently.

After another good season of competitions the winners were:

Bowls:  
McTaggart Bowl  
Championship: winner  
Mike Richardson, runner  
up Keith Millar; Archie  
McKinlay Shield: win-

ner Keith Millar, runner  
up Billy Bruce; George  
Cook Pairs: winners  
Donald Milloy and Alan  
McSporran, runners up  
Ian McAlister and Charlie  
McSporran; Hugh  
Thomson Bowl Triples:  
winners Donald Milloy,  
Peter McEachran and  
Keith Millar, runners up  
John Morrison, Adam  
McClellan and John  
Reid.

Pool:  
Robert Bone Cup  
Singles: winner Ron-  
nie McNally, runner up  
Keith Millar; Malcolm  
McGougan Shield Pairs,  
winners John Reid and  
Alan McSporran, runners  
up Billy Johnston and  
Peter McEachran.

The prizes were presented by the club president Hugh Wilson senior.



The prize winners of the bowling and pool competitions over the year.

## Winter league duo battle for Coronation Cup

THE familiar pairing of Graham Anderson and David Rankin was very much in the mix for the top honours of the Coronation Cup at Machrihanish Golf Club at the weekend.

The course never gave too much away with only nine players finishing the day with scores that were ahead of the course.

Rankin threw down the gauntlet to his winter partner as he finished his early morning round with an excellent score of +4, after a gross round of 74 and only dropping points to the course at the 3rd and the 11th.

Anderson took to the course in the afternoon armed with the incentive that +4 was the score he would have to beat if he was to finish ahead of his winter league coach and mentor.

Graham got off to a good start with pars at the first five holes and reached the turn in +3, before finishing a back nine that consisted of seven pars to take him to the Clubhouse in +5 for the win.

Rankin's day was further hijacked when J B McPhee also carded a +4 score with a better inward half to secure second place and push

Rankin back down into third.

The senior prize went to Willie Miller and the junior winner was K Reppke.

**Texas Scramble**  
The weekend's golf continued on Sunday with the popular Texas Scramble, which attracted a healthy number of entries.

Following his Erskine Shield victory, some of Finlay Wylie's form must have rubbed off on his team mates as they could do no wrong and romped home to a five-stroke victory over the nearest rivals with a net score of 53.1.

Finlay's team playing under the creative team name of 'F Wylie', consisted of Ian McGougan, Neil McCallum, and Donnie McLean, however you could have been forgiven for thinking it was McIlroy, McDowell, and Poulter judging

by the amount of single putts that dropped in the cup during the round.

Tarbert's finest, consisting of Ross Currie, J McNab, I Johnstone and D Johnstone, made a valiant effort to take the runners up spot with a score of 58.1.

## Castlehill Sports Day

CASTLEHILL Sports Day took place last month with the children competing in various activities and age groups.

Main prizewinners: Infant cup winner: Kelly Graham and Owen Reid with 16 points, runner up: Conner McMurphy with 13 points.

Junior trophy winner: Denise Megson and Nicola McKellar with 16 points, runner up: Rory Paterson and Andrew Johnstone with 11 points.

Senior trophy winner: Isla MacKinnon with 22 points, runner up Jamie McKellar with 18 points.

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## West Highland Way trek



A LOCAL man has described his trek over the West Highland Way as 'quite gruelling'.

Alasdair Blair and his wife Janet joined with her sister Margaret and daughter, also Margaret, to take part in the 96-mile walk over eight days.

The route started off in Milngavie and finished up in Fort William, and Alasdair told *The Courier* this week that the weather was mixed, and he hadn't done as much training as he'd have liked as it was quite short notice.

'Janet talked me into it as she wanted to do it with her sister; I was pressurized into going. I did really enjoy it though and hope to do it again in a few years, this time for charity,' said Alasdair.

## Local football

LOCHGILPHEAD has now won its opening four league games in the Campbeltown and District Amateur Football League.

They beat Ardriishaig 4-3 at the weekend to make it four wins in a row.

Also at the weekend the Wee Toon lost 14-0 to the Meadows.

This weekend's fixtures: Meadows v Kintyre Athletic, Lochgilphead v Southend, Wee Toon v Tarbert Boys, Carradale v Ardriishaig. Kintyre Select has a free weekend.

# Sport

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## 184 miles covered in club's 24-hour relay

IN THE first 24-hour relay organised by Campbeltown Running Club more than £1,500 was raised for Macmillan Cancer Support and the club's funds.

The object of the event was for people to guess the total distance that would be run over the 24 hours, with guesses charged at £1 a go.

The Bangladeshi Tandoori restaurant kindly sponsored £100 for the event and the person who guessed nearest to the distance winning the money.

The relay started on

Friday evening at 6pm with Johnny McCormick running in slot one. Johnny got the event off to a flier with an impressive 8.38 miles.

The weather conditions were deteriorating on the Friday evening with strong winds and heavy rain making it difficult for the runners, however this didn't appear to dampen anyone's spirit.

It also helped knowing that Donald Campbell was on standby for assistance for the change over throughout the Friday evening and Saturday morning.

The conditions started to improve about 6am on the Saturday morning and the competitors continued to push hard to clock up the mileage.

The final slot was completed by Tommy Morran at 6pm on the Saturday to complete the 24 hour event.

The total distance covered was an impressive 184.88 miles. There are 10 winners who all guessed 185 miles.

The club would like to thank everyone who made donation and everyone who helped in the organising of it.



Members of Campbeltown Running Club outside Aqualibrium on Saturday evening at the end of their 24-hour run for Macmillan Cancer Support. 21\_c26run01.



Valerie MacKay, club championship runner up; Ann Gallacher, club champion; Hazel Scally, handicap champion and Shona Martin, handicap championship runner up. 21\_c26mach01

## Ann is club champion

OVER the last few months the Ladies section of Machrihanish Golf Club has been busy out on the links.

The season started well with a good spell of weather but then slowly and steadily deteriorated over the last three months where the ladies have battled everything nature has thrown at them and despite tricky conditions some very good golf has emerged.

This season the ladies have played host to the Scottish Ladies Amateur Championship, Dunaverty Ladies and visitors from Carradale and Tarbert Golf Club.

The hard fought battle for the well loved 'Camel' started at Southend where Dunaverty were leading five to four then when the return match took place Machrihanish emerged victorious 11 ½ to 6 ½. This saw the trophy being returned to Machrihanish.

The 2011 outing saw the club staying close to home at Machrihanish Dunes where they had a fantastic day and were treated to excellent hospitality from the staff. Despite every round of the 2011 Club Championship being a near washout a very close fought competition took

place in both handicap and scratch divisions.

The 2011 champion Ann Gallacher roared home 16 strokes ahead with an outstanding score of 77 in the final round to clinch the title for the sixth time. Hazel Scally retained her trophy in the handicap section for the second year running with a three-stroke lead over Seona Martin from Tarbert.

The ladies are looking forward to a quieter spell over the next month but are gearing themselves up for the mixed greensome on August 7 and their Pink Charity night on August 16.

## Memorial match

A MEMORIAL match for a well-known local man will become an annual event.

The match on the Meadows Playing Fields on Saturday was organised by Campbeltown Loyal Rangers Supporter's Club in memory of the late Jimmy Taylor who died last year.

The match took place between the under 25s against the over 25s of the club, with the youngest being eight and oldest being around 59.

The club raised £318 and left it to Jimmy's family to choose a charity. They chose the Argyll branch of Alzheimer's Scotland to receive the funds.



Stewart Blue from the winning team with Arlene Taylor who presented the prizes and niece Rhia. 21\_c26loy02

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## Rugby match drawn

KINTYRE drew with Lochgilphead last month when the rugby squad played at home at the Meadows Playing Fields.

The final score was two tries each with both sides playing well.

### Foundation

This was an improvement for the Kintyre side from the last encounter against Loch-

gilphead with a foundation to work on for next season.

The entire squad all played well but a special mention must go to Martin McLean and Thomas Robertson for being true sportsmen and playing for Loch-

gilphead to make up the numbers and ensure that a 15-a-side game could be played.



## Kintyre refs at the Keyline

TWO Kintyre referees, Peter MacCallum and Peter Laing will help officiate at the Keyline Cup tournament to be held in Oban on Saturday July 9. Dundee United's first team squad, Hearts, St Johnstone, Hamilton Accies, Alloa Athletic and Oban Saints are the participating clubs.

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