

Composting

As well as attending the Fun Games on 2nd July the Waste Awareness Information Team will be returning to Logie Coldstone in August to hold a Compost Workshop on the evening of **Wednesday 3rd August!** Perhaps if you order a composter at the Games Day it will be delivered on the 3rd, along with instructions to make it work most effectively!

Grand Raffle

(to be drawn on games Day)

Tickets on sale soon from Committee and Airedale Lounge and will also be available on Games Day.

Prizes include so far:-

Painting of a local scene by Harry Lawson Johnston:
2 nights B&B in Express by Holiday Inn, Inverness:
Vouchers for:- Truly Scrumptious Cake Shop, Secret Garden Florist, Blondeze Hairdresser, Ballater chip shop, Phyllis Hair Salon, Beauty Salon in Di's Hair and Beauty:
To make this a really good raffle more donations of prizes are needed –all will be on display on Games Day.

Do you have any historic photos of Logie Coldstone?

Fred Bull continues to hunt for historic photos of the local area to put on an exhibition for all to see in the Airedale Lounge possibly in mid August – if you have anything you think might fit the bill **please contact Fred on 80042 before the end of June.**

Summer Songs of Praise

Followed by a cuppa !!

Sunday 28th August 4pm
in Logie Coldstone Hall
All welcome

Table Top Sale?

After the last newsletter there was only one call about a prospective Table Top Sale so I've decided to shelve this idea for a while and maybe do one in the Autumn.

Call Dawn if interested. (81163)

Children's Competition

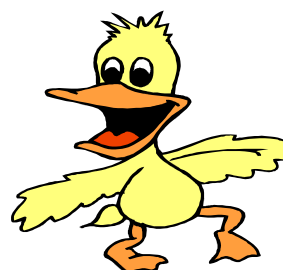
Your ideas for a better Hall

Two age groups: 5-9 years and 10 -14years

Prizes will be given at the Games for best ideas, both written and drawn as you wish on :-

- what you like about the hall just now
- what could make it even better.

Entries, with name, address and age on the back to Joyce Lovie, North Nib, Logie Coldstone by 30th June



Lucky Ducky Winners!

The following people were the winners of £15, £10 and £5 respectively in the Duck Races :-

Race 1	Mandy Stevenson Parkneuk Callum Rose
Race 2	Helena Finch L Littlejohn Nigel Bridger
Race 3	Mimi Hutchison Bill Chapman Elaine Watt
Race 4	Tober Fraser Alan Cooper Jo Williams
Race 5	Mandy Stevenson Smiddyhill Hamish Farquhar

Coloured ducks Katrina Farquhar

Would you like to advertise your business in the Games Programme?

At a cost of £10 advertising space is available in the Games programme.

If you are interested please call Anne (81539) for more details by 3rd June.

News for the next newsletter?

(going out towards the end of June)

Any info to be included in the next Newsletter can be sent via e-mail to

dawn@tyson-online.co.uk

or given to Dawn Tyson, The Auld Kirk, Logie Coldstone. (Tel.No 81163)

Newsletter edited by Anne Mathers – any comments on content please send to Anne (81539).

Would you like your newsletter to be sent by e-mail?

If you would - please send your e-mail address to Anne Mathers.

(billyandannebraefoot@btinternet.com)

Hall Bookings

If you have any events you would like to hold at the Hall, please call Mrs Evelyn Smith on 81401.



Events in and around the Hall

Badminton – A Badminton night was held in May – this was successful so will carry on for the next few Monday nights from 7.30pm. All welcome. £1 each. Equipment available.

Duck Race – Many thanks to Bob and friends for arranging this fun activity, and all who supported it. Despite the rain there were lots of helpers and a large audience gathered along the banks of the burn to watch the exciting battle of ducks, both large and small! Many people bought ducks and generous donations were also given. With this and the profits made from food sold after the races, a terrific total of £441.50 was raised. Find out who the winners were on page 2.

Morven Walk & BBQ – The 29th May is the big day and if you don't feel able to walk maybe you could deliver some walkers to Lary (leaving the Hall at 11am.) There will be a barbeque at the Hall in the afternoon, upon return of the tired crowds of walkers - £4 a head. (Refreshments from 4pm, BBQ from 5pm).

Morven Walk

If you've not been asked to sponsor someone yet, come along to the start of the walk and take your pick of the likely looking crowd or join us at the barbeque later!

Hall News and Meetings

The Committee continue to be busy making things happen in and around the Hall. This month the news is that we have decided to carry out repairs to keep the hall wind and watertight and address immediate access and health and safety issues with minimum expense. We are still on path to apply for money for Architects fees to do the feasibility study into the long term improvements required, but every step does take time. This is not necessarily a bad thing, since time allows more input from the community into what our needs are for the future and how best to manage a community building.

The questionnaire and Focus Group meeting were useful in finding out what hall users and potential users want from hall redevelopment. The results of this consultation will soon be available.

The Committee and Trustees are now preparing to send the application to cover the architect's fees to 'Awards for All'.

Meantime a group made up of some Trustees and some Committee will look into the issues around our legal status and whether our Trust arrangement is the most efficient management system for us in the present day.

All this is very time consuming for all involved. However, things are moving along and we welcome all offers of practical help with the day to day management of the hall. Also very welcome are the various activities ongoing and being arranged. These are key to the eventual success of this project.

If you have thought of something you'd like to do to help please contact a Committee member.

All Donations for Games Day welcome

Raffles, bottles for bottle stall, whisky for Wheel of Fortune, cake and candy welcome – contact committee members or come along to the hall on the nights before the Games – details in next newsletter.

Fun Games

2nd July 2 pm on

Help needed!!

The list of things you can have fun taking part in is huge this year and the only excuse for not taking part is because you are helping somewhere else on the day! There are loads of stalls to tempt you – teas, cake & candy, bottle stall, wheel of fortune, a quiz in the programme, sweetie tombola, face painting, small bouncy castle, BBQ, lucky dip and of course the raffle and the ever popular beer tent! Our own local Pipe Band - Towie and District - will be opening and playing at the Games.

There will also be loads of traditional races, including a cross country – so get practising! You could also try summer curling, tug o' war, quoits, basketball shoot, beat the goalie, egg and spoon race, sack race, relay, skipping race, and maybe even a throwing event!!

If you could help to run any of the above stalls or help with any of the 'field sports' or races please contact Anne, Bob or Joyce. If you can't make it but would like to contribute please consider donating something for the stalls or a raffle prize.

Also at the games will be a Waste Awareness Information caravan. They will have information on how to 'reduce, reuse, recycle' waste, real nappies and much more. You'll also be able to order a 'composter' from the caravan!

Logie Coldstone School Concert

The End of Year School Concert is to be held at 7pm on Tuesday 28th June in the Hall.

Everyone is welcome and it's free!

(A raffle will be held)