

# Grange Academy Bulletin

16<sup>th</sup> December 2019



# Scott

Congratulations to Scott Neil who has been selected for the Scottish Schools FA National Squad.

**A tremendous achievement!**

# Dance Show

Well done to everyone who performed in the Dance Show last week.

Thank you to Mrs Pohler for her leadership.



# Ritangle Competition

Well done to this group of mathletes who slogged their way through a 4:40pm – 9:30pm problem-solving session last week as part of their submission to the Ritangle Competition.



#resilience

# Mr Smith's Podcast

Mr Smith was interviewed last week by a journalist from the Times Educational Supplement, Scotland, and you'll be able to listen to the podcast very soon.



# Sports Leaders



Thanks to Mr Adams and his team of NPA Sports Leaders who helped out at the Annanhill Primary Christmas lunch last week.

Fantastic enthusiasm, effort and fun.

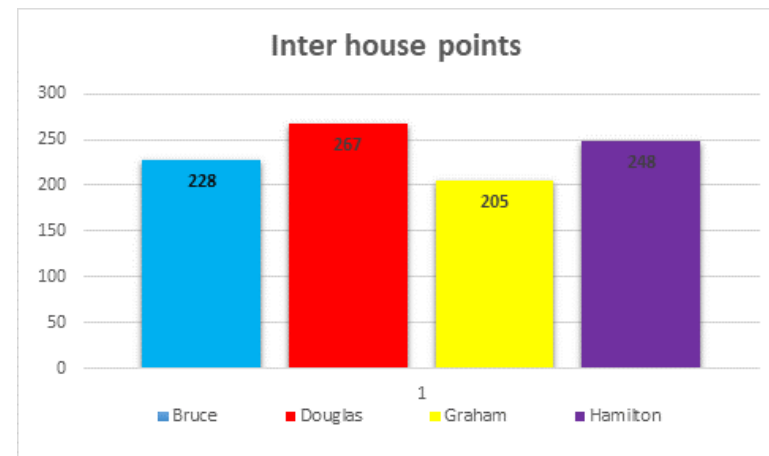
# House Points Update

Well done to everyone involved in Ninja Warrior! Everyone who took part gained 2 points for their house, while everyone who spectated gained 1 point for cheering on their housemates.

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place for each age group were also awarded 3, 2 and 1 points respectively.

The points for this event are as follows:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Douglas 133
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Bruce 120
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Hamilton 112
- 4<sup>th</sup> Graham 89



# January Prelims

All S4-6 pupils should now have received a prelim timetable, an SQA Coursework booklet, and a copy of their own individualised SQA record for checking.

If anyone has not received these, please pick them up from the main school office.



# Message from Mrs Pohler:

There will be no National 5 Dance supported study this week (Monday) and Dance Club will resume in the new year (January 2020).

All pupils attending the Christmas dance trip on Friday please go to the P.E. Department on Wednesday (18th) at break time.

# KFC Grange Supporter Club

Could all members of the KFC Grange Academy Supporter Club please attend a meeting **TODAY** at interval in the PE department.

We will discuss:

- free tickets
- Player of the Year Award
- Away Games



## Grange Education Group



# Christmas Concert 2019

Wednesday 18th December  
7pm

£4 full  
£2 concession

Tickets available through  
[www.ticketsource.co.uk/grangeacademy](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/grangeacademy)



# Christmas Shoebox Appeal

In addition to collecting for some of our elderly neighbours, we will be working with East Ayrshire Churches Homelessness Action who are based in Laigh Kirk. EACHA distribute food and toiletries to people in need such as those on a low income, victims of domestic abuse, and homeless - many of whom are veterans. In addition to tins of food and dry items, there is also a great need for toiletries and in particular, shower gel, shampoo, sanitary items, tooth brushes and toothpaste.

Please donate what you can - a tin or two, a gift box of essential toiletries?

We aim to deliver our donations the week before Christmas, so if donations could be handed in to the school by the 16th of December that would greatly appreciated.

Donations should be handed to Mrs McGregor, the school office or Guidance. DofE pupils will regularly collect items from the school office and the Guidance base.

Thank you in advance of your generosity.

The Grange Duke of Edinburgh team

# **Carols in the Classroom!**

**The last week of term. Every lunchtime.  
You're invited to come along to F052 (Mr Smith's room) to  
sing a few Christmas carols at this amazing time of year.**

**No auditions. Definitely not just for musicians.  
Even if you only usually sing in the shower, that's ok.  
It's about getting together to belt out some of the tunes  
that remind us about the real Christmas story.**

**Everyone's welcome.  
Starting about 1.30pm on Monday 16<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>,  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>, Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December**





**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December**



# **Senior Christmas Awards Night**

Welcome drink on arrival, three course dinner followed by awards, dancing and prizes!

Time: 6:30 – 10pm

Price: £16

A great occasion to celebrate with your year group and enjoy some Christmas festivities!

**All ticket must be paid and food orders placed by tomorrow!**

Happy Christmas, Grange!



*Merry Christmas*  
& HAPPY NEW YEAR