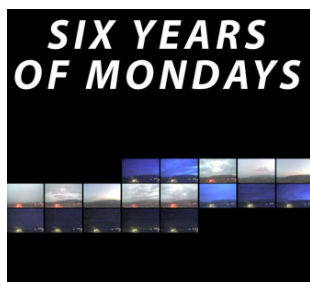


Weather to Whether

Art & Science connected to the weather



Fife Contemporary Art & Craft is delighted to showcase the 'Weather Project', which took place in the Levenmouth area of Methil, Buckhaven and Leven. The project resulted in a temporary weather related commission by artists Thomson and Craighead (www.thomson-craighead.net) and a number of related art projects with Kirkland High School, Fife Young Carers, Cameron Hospital & Buckhaven High School.

We are delighted to host this showcase event in partnership with Bright Green Hydrogen (www.brightgreenhydrogen.org.uk) who operate the Hydrogen Office project in Methil. The Hydrogen Office Project demonstrates and promotes the potential of storing surplus renewable energy as hydrogen, for a range of on-demand applications that require reliable, quiet, and very clean energy sources. The project raises the profile of renewable, hydrogen and fuel cell technology by storing surplus renewable energy for times when renewable energy may not be available (i.e. insufficient renewable energy supply or peak demand), or for an application for which renewable energy may not be suitable (i.e. transport or uninterruptible power supply).

This event is aimed at S2/S3 secondary pupils.

Date: **Wednesday 16 April 2014**

Time: 9.30am – 12pm

Venue: Fife Renewables Innovation Centre (FRIC), Ajax Way, Leven, Fife, KY8 3RS

Cost: FREE

Bookings: FCA&C 01334 474610 or mail@fcac.co.uk

(Transport subsidy available to support this event courtesy of Fife Cultural Trust's Seedcorn Transport Scheme)



PROGRAMME:

- 9.30 am** **Participants Arrive**
- 9.35 am** **Welcome to the FRIC Building** – Karen Ritchie, Demonstration Centre Manager, BGH / David Hogg, Technical Manager, BGH
- 9.40 am** **Overview of the Weather Project** – Diana Sykes, Director, Fife Contemporary Art & Craft
- 9.50 am** **Screening of ‘Six Years of Mondays’**, by Thomson & Craighead
A documentary artwork about a man called Graham Smith living in the Scottish Kingdom of Fife, who has been making timelapse recordings of the view from his bedroom window everyday from 6am to 6pm since 2006. The short video work takes us through a visualisation of six years of Mondays where each ‘year’ is soundtracked differently offering a range of contexts from which this contemplative landscape can be viewed.
- 10.05 am** **Power from Weather Presentation** – David Hogg, Technical Manager, BGH. Talk about generating power from the weather – through wind, sun and rain
- 10.20 am** **Power from Weather Demonstration** – Visual displays / working models for power from the weather
- 10.50 am** **Hydrogen Office Presentation** – Karen Ritchie, Demonstration Centre Manager, BGH. Talk about what we do at the hydrogen office – using renewables to produce hydrogen, using a fuel cell & hydrogen boiler
- 11.15 am** **Hydrogen Office Demonstration** – Visual displays / working models of hydrogen & energy storage
- 11.45 am** **Renewable Energy Q & A** – A chance to ask questions about renewable energy
- 12.00 noon** **Event Closes**