

Craigie Record

Welcome back pupils, staff members and teachers. We hope the time you've had off was a good one. But sadly we have to come back to school for educational work, and complete boredom. But hopefully the Craigie Record will brighten up your day and get you through another year.



Daniel Bell, Editor

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LEAF IT TO US!



Busy Craigmarnloch pupils have been hard at work

planting the seeds of our new outdoor learning area. After a long time away from school, that our outdoor areas were spruced up and decorated the areas with many sound ideas including CD and bottle top curtains. This fantastic area of the playground is now nearly ready for relaxation and is a safe space to hang out with friends. Although a big negative is that it will be right next to the football pitch so bring ear defenders or headphones if you want to check it out!



BEHIND THE MASK: NEW STAFF JOIN CRAIGMARLOCH



Mrs Kyle



Mr Parker



Mr Ren



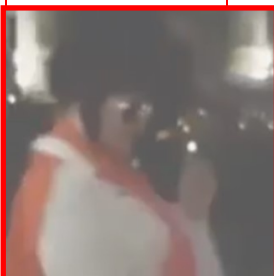
Mr Ipkiiss

A warm welcome to new staff who have joined Craigmarnloch during this difficult period. Due to the pandemic our new staff have had to wear face coverings during our photoshoot, but we hope the pictures above will help you to recognise them in and around the school.

IN OUR NEXT EDITION *Cartoon Strip by J McElwee Esq of S2A*

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SAFE**

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LIVES**

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Craigmarloch Heroes Kaye Steele



Kaye is a friendly face who makes sure things run smoothly in the school. As the first point of call for visitors she keeps a smile and a cool head on at all times. Our editorial team went to find out about life in the office.



Is it hard working in an office?

This office? Yes!

How did you become the First Aid person for the school?

I think I was duped into it!

Who is the best person who has ever done work experience in the office?

Daniel Bell (because he's standing 2 metres away from me right now!).

What is good about your job?

Helping the pupils.

Is it fun talking over the intercom?

No because it gives me the fear!

What are your favourite hobbies?

Reading and walking.

Who is your favourite rapper?

Eminem.

Where did you work before Craigmarloch?

Vango Scotland. It's a camping company based in Port Glasgow. It's now called the Andrew Mitchell Group.

Have you found Mr Byrne's glass hammer yet?

I'm still looking for it!

What's it like working for Mr Walker?

I've worked for worse!

Would you rather fight a duck sized lion or a lion sized duck?

Duck sized lion.

Logging in

Strictly or Dancing on Ice?

Hate them!

Messi or Ronaldo?

Ronaldo because he's better looking!

Bake Off or Masterchef?

Don't watch either.

McDonalds or KFC?

McDonalds

TV Box Set or Cinema?

Cinema

Jack or Victor?

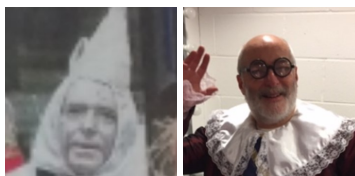
The wee one - Jack



A Dramatic Addition Mr Blair



Mr Blair is one of Craigmarloch's leading maths teachers, as well as a skilled practitioner of Dad jokes and a frequent pantomime star. Our editorial team went to find out a bit more about the man whose humour divides opinion!



What's it like being a maths teacher?

Good. I like it. Sometimes things don't add up.

What interested you about maths?

I just enjoyed working with numbers and I was good at it in school.

What's it like being a grandad?

Brilliant— fun but tiring!

What is your best dad joke?

What do you do if you see a spaceman?

Park in it, man!

How did you start getting involved in drama?

I played the drums in the panto.

What is your favourite part that you've ever played in the theatre?

The tin man from the Wizard of Oz.

What football team you support?

I don't support a team but if I did it would have to be Greenock Morton.

Who was your first crush?

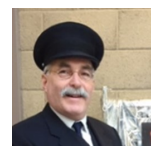
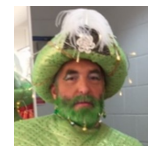
It was so long ago I can't remember!

What other hobbies do you have?

Table tennis, reading and moaning!

Would you rather fight a duck sized lion or a lion sized duck?

A duck sized lion.



Easy as π

Strictly or X Factor?

Strictly

Messi or Ronaldo?

Messi - because of the name!

Bake Off or Masterchef?

Bake Off.

McDonalds or KFC?

KFC

TV Box Set or Cinema

TV Box Set

Jack or Victor?

Jack

PUPIL INTERVIEW BETH DONNACHIE

Beth is one of our senior pupils and is well known for setting a good example to younger pupils and for her talent at art. Our editorial team spoke to her to find out more about life in S6.



Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Loughlin

What's your favourite subject?

Art

Who is your favourite member of One Direction?

Zayn Malik

What is your favourite Little Mix song?

Told You So

What school did you go to before Craigmearloch?

St Andrew's Primary School

What is the best holiday you have been on?

Florida

If you could be a celebrity for one day who would you be?

Perrie Edwards from Little Mix

What do you like about wedding dresses?

I love them because they are pretty.

What other hobbies do you have?

Dancing

Would you rather fight a duck sized lion or a lion sized duck?

Duck sized lion

X Factor or Britain's Got Talent?

Britain's Got Talent

Anna or Elsa?

Anna

Bake Off or Masterchef?

Bake Off

McDonalds or KFC?

McDonalds

TV Box Set or Cinema?

Cinema

Jack or Victor? Victor



Recipe of the month - Mrs Barney



Keep autumn colds and coughs at bay with this warming chicken curry. A classic for all the family!

Ingredients

- 100g chicken breast
- 1/2 onion
- 1/4 clove of garlic
- 15ml oil
- 2.5ml chilli, cumin, coriander
- 50ml chopped tomatoes
- 100ml chicken stock
- 50g long grain rice



Method

- 1 Cut up the chicken. Peel and slice onion
- 2 Crush the garlic
- 3 Heat the oil in a stewpan and cook the chicken, onion and garlic for 2-3 minutes.
- 4 Add the spices and cook for one minute.

- 5 Add the tomatoes, then the chicken stock and bring the mixture to the boil.
- 6 Simmer uncovered for 20 minutes.
- 7 Boil water in a pot. Cook rice for 15 minutes. Drain.
- 8 Adjust seasoning and consistency of sauce.
- 9 Serve curry on a bed of rice, garnished with chopped coriander.
- 10 Enjoy responsibly and wash your hands before and after eating.



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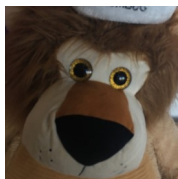
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Sport News



LOCKDOWN OLYMPIANS



With the 2020 Summer Olympic games in Tokyo postponed until 2021, Craigmarloch staff filled the gap with their own summer of sport.



Garden Jogging	Mrs Barney	Gold
	Mrs Francis	Silver
Tutu Squatting	Mrs McAllister	Gold
Himalayan Mountaineering	Mrs Clydesdale	Bronze
Rocky Running	Mr Byrne	Gold
Cycling Juggling Biathlon	Mrs McCafferty	Silver
Broomstick Riding	Mrs McShane	Bronze
Elvis Dancing	Mrs Loughlin	Gold
Contortion Gymnastics	Mrs Murdoch	Gold
Tricycling Omnium	Mr Convery	Bronze
Dog Trampolineing	Mrs L Smith	Disqualified
Dog Squatting	Miss Buchanan	Gold
Sofa Sitting	Mr Browne	Gold
Child Lifting	Mrs Hepburn	Gold
Leisure Cycling	Mrs Griffin	Gold
	Mrs Brannigan	Silver
Glow Stick Jumping Jacks	Mrs Lyon	Bronze
Toilet Paper WeightLifting	Mrs Steele	Gold
Outdoor Gymnastics	Mrs Brown	Gold
(Daniel's Decision)	Mrs Pollard	Silver
	Mrs Monk	Bronze
Backdoor Boxing	Mrs Doherty	Gold (Daniel's Decision)
	Mrs Cannon	Silver
	Mrs Mowberry	Bronze
	Mrs Salters	Disqualified (Daniel's decision)
Chocolate Basketball	Mrs McKay	Gold
Cross Country Running	Mr Macrae	Gold
	Miss Morrison	Silver
	Mrs A Smith	Disqualified (attempted to do event indoors)
Garden Golf	Mrs Owejan (USA)	Gold
Indoor Bowls	Mrs Bissell	Gold
Official Umpire	Mrs Stewart	Gold