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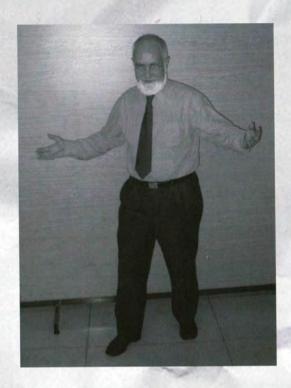








The Boss and



Each year I write a piece for the Yearbook. Each year I state that I am sure that this year's book will be the best ever. Each year my prediction is accurate.

I am sure I will be correct again in saying that in this, our Jubilee year, the team will produce the best ever Yearbook.

I am sure that when the current pupils reach my age, their children and grandchildren will enjoy looking through the faces from the past.

Congratulations to the whole team who have had a very professional approach to their work.



Mr MacRae



Mrs Kubica



Mrs Stewart



Mr McKay

his Helpers

I'd like to say a big CONGRATULATIONS to the Yearbook team for producing such a fantastic Jubilee Edition.

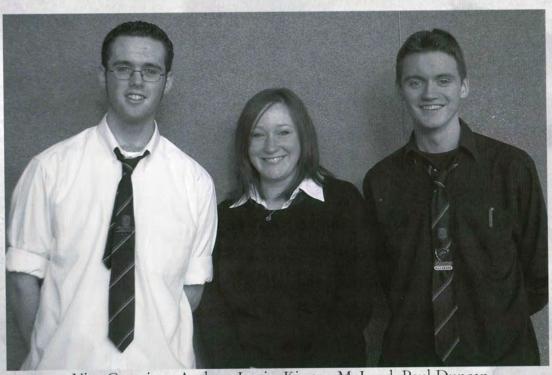
Congratulations must especially go to Alison, the Editor, for not actually exploding and splattering all over the wall! Although with stress levels as dangerously high as they were, it was a close thing!

The Jubilee Year has been a lot of fun - and a lot of work! But we survived, thanks to all the lovely prefects turning up for their duties and volunteering for the seemingly endless list of parents' evenings. I think we all deserved the biscuits we stole!

Some recognition must also go to the teachers - those we all know and love and whom we'll all remember for one reason or another! Whether we want to admit it or not, they really helped us through, not only preparing us for the dreaded exams, but also for the world beyond KA!

Thank You KA! Katy Rankin





Vice Captains: Andrew Jarvie, Kirsten McLeod, Paul Duncan



Perfect



Prefects

Back Row: Melanie Barrie, Paul Duncan, Gordon Harper, Stuart Stevenson, Craig Jewitt, Stewart Derrick, Tony Martin, Martin Lamb, Stewart Strachan

Middle Row: Fiona Anderson, Laura Hurren, Victoria Truesdale, Bobby Greenlaw, Andrew Jarvie, Mairi MacKinnon, Sam Taylor, Kirsten McLeod, Gillian Deans, Alison Fotheringham

Front Row: Katie Morrison, Beth Richardson, Ashley Cassels, Natalie Morris, Lauren McLaughlin, Lindsay Butcher, Hannah Gray, Emma Kane, Katy Rankin

Prefects

Link Prefects

Back Row: Gordon Harper, Stewart Cochrane, Peter McWhinnie, Laura Hurren, Christopher Nicholson, Grant Kerr, Hannah Gray, Melanie Oakley

Front Row: Melanie Barrie, Katie Morrison, Ashley Cassels, Mairi MacKinnon, Katy Rankin, Alison Fotheringham, Fiona Brownlie





Paired Readers

Back Row (l-r): Victoria Truesdale, Gillian Deans, Laura Hurren.

Front Row (l-r): Hannah Gray, Ashley Cassels, Melanie Oakley.

Absent: Duncan Keith, Christopher Robinson, Karen Anderson, Kimberley Duff.





Katy and her Dux medal

June 2003 saw the annual awards ceremonies take place. Pictured are some of the prize winners from each year group. If you won an award but don't see your ugly mug pictured, it's your own fault for not turning up for the photo! No prizes for guessing who the major winner in the senior school was. Pictured above, Katy Rankin made a clean sweep, with merit awards for every subject, Dux, the English cup, the Maths cup and the Modern Languages Shield. Congratulations! At least you saved everyone else from having to move, Katy!

HIGH



S1 Effort Award Winners



S1 Merit and Attendance Award Winners



S2 Award Winners





S3 Merit and Effort Award Winners

FLIERS



S4 Attendance Awards



Katy and Melanie with the Modern Languages Shield



S4 Merit Awards



S4 Effort Awards



Senior Award Winners





KA'S MOST WANTED

These faces represent a group of people who we will never understand. They live at school, are present in most classrooms, and present a real and imminent danger to any pupil who has not done their homework. Reward for the capture of any of these dangerous creatures currently stands at \$1million, but approach with caution, especially on Monday mornings.



CHESNEY, D

CRIME: Pretending to be goldilocks in his youth and supporting Partick Thistle.

PUNISHMENT: Partick Thistle season ticket confiscated.





KERR, L

CRIME: Getting way too excited about the number theory and dead mathematicians.

PUNISHMENT: Confiscation of all sweets and chocolate for her S6 pupils.

A1G3BRA N01



BURTON, L

CRIME: Love for too many books.

PUNISHMENT: Sent to Azkaban under the control of the dementors.





SCOTT, M

CRIME: Retiring, aka skiving!

PUNISHMENT: Forced to do royal duties when Liz is on holiday.

OE 2



BOULSTRIDGE, J

more?

PUNISHMENT: No more mid-exam cuppas, you try sitting Advanced Higher English beside

10 M1N5 L3FT



CONWAY, M

CRIME: Shameful festive head-gear.

PUNISHMENT: Confiscation of her opentoed sandals.

5ILLY H4T5



MACMILLAN, M

CRIME: Imitating Ginger

PUNISHMENT: right now, wannabe, who do you think you are?

G1RL P0W3R



M1N1 5K1RT

CARMICHAEL, S

CRIME: Wearing Deirdre Rashid glasses.

PUNISHMENT: Go to Spec-savers.



CRIME: Hey, she's an invigilator, need we say

temptation!



FALLEN, C

CRIME: Her cheap claim to fame, "I used to live in the same street as Darius".

PUNISHMENT: Forced to forever listen to his music, on permanent repeat.

CUR1Y 5U3



SCOBBIE, J

CRIME: Dressing up, far too convincingly, as a Glasgow Ned

PUNISHMENT: Enduring Martin Lamb's dodgy chat-up lines

BURB3RRY



CUMMING, S

CRIME: Being a bingo

PUNISHMENT: Having her balls removed.

C1LLA BLCK





DIN, S

CRIME: Being THE MOST sarcastic person EVER.

PUNISHMENT: being a part-timer, and get yourself in here every day of the week.





GORDON, J

CRIME: Teaching the best method of killing using chicken wire and telling scary war stories.

PUNISHMENT: Confiscation of his wee brown satchel 'n' pipe.

G1 J0HN



5HORTY

HARPER, C

CRIME: Being the same height as Stewart Strachan.

PUNISHMENT: Hasn't she been punished enough?



IRVINE, H

CRIME: Striking a scary resemblence to Dawn French.

PUNISHMENT: Forced to forever endure her S6 study class, Wed P6!





KANE, J

CRIME: Needing "something nice", after a night of too many "cokes".

PUNISHMENT: Confiscation of the following items: ghd's, caffeine kicks, scooter(s), sugar hits.

SC00T3R



KEOGH, K

CRIME: Being a demon in the soup queue at lunch, barging through poor wee pupils waiting for soup.

PUNISHMENT: Confiscation of her cancer sticks.

K10



MCGHEE, P

CRIME: Receeding hairline, disgraceful ties, over-enthusiasm Shakespeare, but most of all, abandoning us.

PUNISHMENT: Banned from watching Sabrina the Teenage Witch, despite its 'educational values".

ON TH3 T33



DENOVAN, A

CRIME: Telling jokes that smell like one-year-old Cheddar.

PUNISHMENT: Joke Books confiscated.

CH33S3



RAFTERY, S

CRIME: Starting every sentence with the word "but...." then never finishing.

PUNISHMENT: Forced to hereafter always complete a sentence.





SCOTT, I

CRIME: Bearing a striking resemblance to Lurch.

PUNISHMENT: A week with the Adams Family.



BRODIE, C

CRIME: Terrorising S4 for their work experience forms.

PUNISHMENT: See how you would like spending a week at the Inland Revenue.

13ROD13



CARRICK, M

CRIME: Dogging school when we all have to come.

PUNISHMENT: Wear Mr MacFarlane's ties.





CONLEY, J

CRIME: Obsession with chocolate, cakes and biscuits.

PUNISHMENT: NO MORE CAKES!!



LAWRIE, J

CRIME: Being totally and utterly obsessed with his soap operas, most of all the fantastic Home and Away.

PUNISHMENT: Confiscation of his TV. Oh, and his video recorder so that he can't tape Home and Away.



5ICK NOT3

MACFARLANE, N

CRIME: His choice in fashionable ties.

PUNISHMENT: Locked in the server cupboard over lunch.



5W33T135





CRIME: Bad taste in football team.

REILLY. A

PUNISHMENT: Season ticket swapped with Mr Brown's.





BROWN, A

CRIME: Being psychopathically tidy! And loud!

PUNISHMENT: Season ticket swapped with Miss Reilly's.

13LUE NOS3



KNIGHT, W

CRIME: Co-ordinating his shirts depending on the day of the week.

PUNISHMENT: Forced to wear his blue shirt on a Friday instead of a Monday!!!





TOLMIE, D

CRIME: Seen too often wearing the blue labcoat.

PUNISHMENT: No more BBC Radio 2 (Grandpas fm) for you!



TURNBULL, F

CRIME: Looking like Tom Green.

PUNISHMENT: Eat a mouse! (Like Tom Green in Roadtrip)



3NGIN35



MITCHELL, M

CRIME: "HANDS WASHED, HAIR TIED BACK, APRONS ON!" Need we say more?

PUNISHMENT: Forced to pay (gasp!) the full price for something, instead of always getting a bargain.

CH34P5KAT3



ROBERTSON, C

CRIME: Striking fear into the hearts of pupils with her "up close and personal approach".

PUNISHMENT: A restraining order.



SMITH, J

CRIME: Cooking up a storm.

PUNISHMENT: Fined a bottle of vanilla essence.



STEWART, M

CRIME: Keeping her rations close to her chest.

PUNISHMENT: Be a bit more liberal with pupils Home Ec. portions.





CRIME: Cuddling and patting nasty little boys.

PUNISHMENT: Banned from Monsoon.



COOKY

MACINNES, D

CRIME: Having far too much facial hair.

PUNISHMENT: Shaved by cut-throat razor.



SHAW, L

CRIME: Indistinguishable from pupils in classrooms.

PUNISHMENT: Forced to join the basketball team.





CRIME: Tucking his woollen tie into his shirt pocket.

PUNISHMENT: Having an ear cut off.



DOUG13

D4VINCI

N3TB4LL CH34T

ABERCROMBIE, A

CRIME: Lawsuit already filed for derogatory comments against pupils. Pathological hatred for giggling girls.

PUNISHMENT: Next year, at Loch Eil, allow girls to stay up all night pillowfighting and girly gossiping.



ANGUS, L

5LAT3R

CRIME: THAT performance at Crazy Day 2003. Plus, always siding with "the barbies" in PE.

PUNISHMENT: Red lippy, black eyeliner and leather boots confiscated.









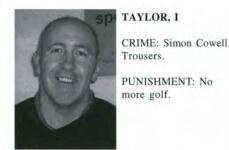


DOUGAN, I

CRIME: Extremely bad sense of humour which he demonstrates at every oppportunity.

PUNISHMENT: Forced to wear the retired Mr Simpson's infamous shellsuit!

CL1NT EWOD



IT3 A 13ALL



KERR, J

CRIME: Getting way too much enjoyment out of the French verb 'to come'.

PUNISHMENT: Being forced to dress in trainers and baggy sweat pants every day.

BLOND3 BOMSH3LL



MCAULAY, V

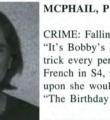
CRIME: Crime unknown, but under close inspection by FBI spies after suspicious behaviour.

PUNISHMENT: If caught, put before panel of students for fair trial.

LA F3MM3



Q 5KIPP3R



CRIME: Falling for the "It's Bobby's Birthday" trick every period of French in S4, where upon she would play "The Birthday Tape".

PUNISHMENT: No more baked potatoes from the canteen.



CRIME: Her love of geeky little boys in history.

PUNISHMENT: Forced to spend an hour locked in a room with big "T Blair".





LAIRD, C

CRIME: Preventing pupils from finishing a sentence before butting in with a sarcastic comment.

PUNISHMENT: Banned from entering "Mr Universe" (again)

LEG5 11



SEMPLE, A

CRIME: Being able to teach too many subjects.

PUNISHMENT: Locked in THE CUPBOARD with only Mr Laird's WW2 rifle for company.



KING, D

CRIME: Being a poser.

PUNISHMENT: "Band" from brand names.



SMITH, M

CRIME: Being almost as dramatic as an actress from "Sunset Beach".

PUNISHMENT: Forced to speak in a South American Dialect and act out "The Crucible".

D14L3CT



WOODS, L

CRIME: Taking maternity leave to the max.

PUNISHMENT: Pregnancy, childbirth and two babies - does she need further punishment?

ILUV R3



KUBICA, K

CRIME: Always falling over when she's out on the pis...te.

PUNISHMENT: Forced to do a photo shoot on a bad hair day! (GASP!!!)





MACRAE, A

CRIME: Overuse of the phrase, "To all intents and purposes".

PUNISHMENT: Forever forced to spend the entire 53 minutes with his classes.

MACCA



MCKAY, I

CRIME: Having a side shed.

PUNISHMENT: Banned from smiling.



STEWART, V

CRIME: Disturbing classes with her noisy heels.

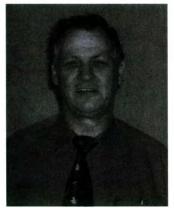
PUNISHMENT: Buy some slippers woman!





BEHIND THE SCENES

Kilsyth Academy couldn't function properly without the hard work of these friendly faces. They each bring their own talent to the school, making it a much friendlier environment. Without them, KA just wouldn't be the same!



Mr Foster



Auxiliaries



Mrs Mitchell



Learning Support Staff



The Janitors



Canteen Ladies



Science Technicians

First Year















Amy Thomson Fiona Steward Valerie Scott Shaun Scott Robyn Ramsay Kieran O'Sullivan Martin Mowatt













Hazel Millar Craig McLeod Caitlin McIvor Gary McGovern Taylor McDowall Laura McAnea James Masterson













Amber Lynn Megan Loudon Sarah Hendren Wendy Gracie David Gouck Gary Gilmour Ben Garlinge















Kevin Gall Andrew Fowler Hayley Fleming Steven Finlayson Andrew Coyle Lee-Ann Calder Scott Byron















Christina Brown Nicolle Black Rachel Archer Tony Allan Kirsty Adam Claire Brewis Nicholas Woods















Ross Wilson Holly Thomson Emma Smith Kevin Shannon Andrew Scott Hayley Reid Emma Peter















Sheilah Patrick Kirsty Morrison Rebecca McBride Rachel Martin Lynsey MacKenzie Callum Lenehan Christopher Kettles



First Year

Aynslie Kemmitt Lea Kearney Ross Jack Ross Hind Hayley Grant Alexander Gage Nicole Ferrie













John Duff Mhairi Convy Grant Cleland Gillian Cain Lauren Brown David Black Kieran Bamford















Gary Anderson Dean Allan Graeme Young Alan Wren Karen Winters Amy Wilhare Emma Tyrrell















Stephanie Shaw Paul Russell Mark Roberts Kimberley Partridge Erin O'Neill Christopher O'Neil Janine O'Brien















Sophie Morris Kelly McCulloch Amanda McCallum Mandy McCaig Scott MacKenzie Ashlie Lawson Amanda Lang















Liam Knox Hannah Keogh Scott Kennedy Jade Hall Jamie Gordon Steven Gill Sean Differ















Jordan Curle Georgina Collins Scott Campbell Kenneth Brown Joshua Bell Adam Andrews Heather Fraser





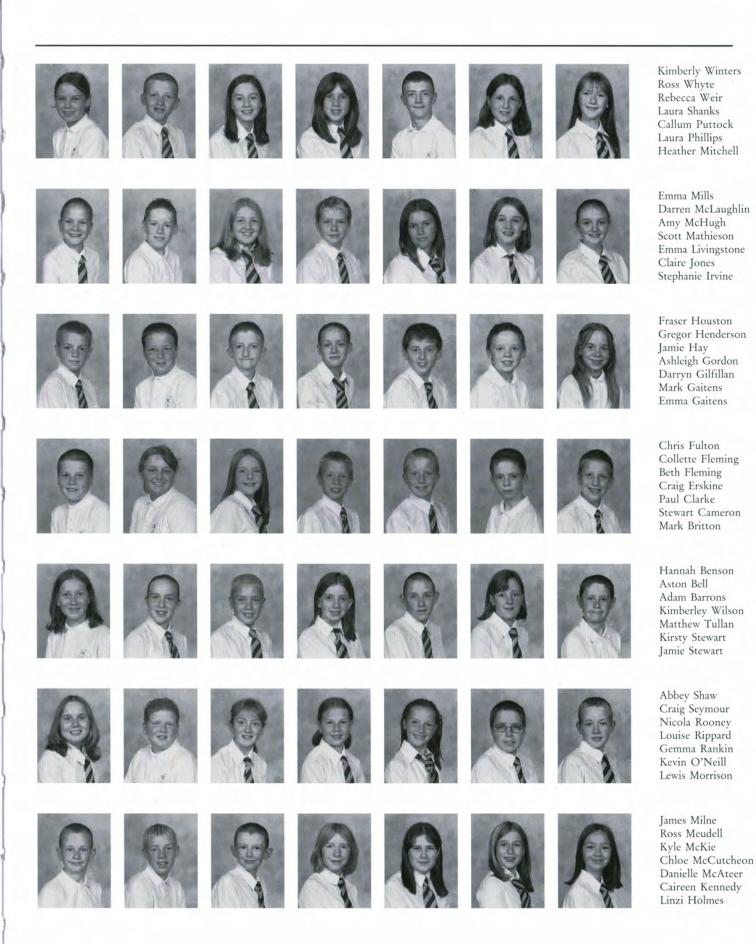














First Year

Adam Hamilton Christopher Duff Craig Donaldson Laura Dickson Jamie Dick Lynne Cunningham Martin Comrie



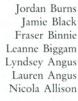
























Laura Abercrombie Danielle Young Josh Whitsey Donna Strain Samantha Service Linda Provan Greig Murray















Jonathan Mooney Fraser Milne Eilidh McNab Kieran McLaughlin Scott McCulloch Sarah McCulloch Ainslie Mason















Kirsty Love Steven Letham Stephen Kerr John Kerr Lauren Kennedy Lorraine Johnstone Stewart Hodge















Stephanie Hamilton Louise Gough Kara Gallagher Rory Finlayson Ricky Dunn Tamzin DeRoche Blair Clelland















Craig Cartwright Melissa Cairney Rebecca Barclay Diane Armour Thomas Agnew











Kid's Lit Quiz

On the 12th of December, our very own Kilsyth Academy played host to the only Scottish heat of the Kid's Lit Quiz. Our own team did very well, being placed fifth out of 24 schools. The quiz originated in New Zealand and is the brainchild of Wayne Mills, who wanted to encourage kids to read. The quiz was a great success and the winners, Dunblane High School, went on to win the British heat.



Mrs Burton and Mr MacKay share a joke



Mrs Burton with author Theresa Breslin





The KA team; Stephanie Irvine, Aston Bell, Kimberly Winters, Laura Dickson and the team mascot.



The team pose for a photo with Wayne Mills.



The winning team



The whole KA crew



The Quizmaster, Wayne Mills.



The Judges





Sixth year "helpers"



Almost as traditional as Christmas, the end of year senior social is always a big hit, this year proving to be no exception. The Colzium House was the hot spot in Kilsyth on Friday 13 June as everyone let their hair down (some more than others) after the stresses of exams. Everyone was "dolled up" for a night to remember that included dancin', romancin', and drinkin'! Here are some of the memorable moments.



Put that in yer pipe 'n' smoke it!!





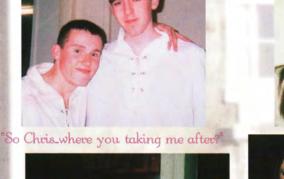
And the winner is.













"Fiona, one more time. Camera on, eyes open"



Smile Victorial?!



Foxy Laydeez



Cutest Couple Contest!



Karaoke



So Jessie will it be boy 1,2 or.







Possibly...



Love is in the air!





Or could it be ...



GUYS AND DOLLS





Bobby, your tongue won't reach the glass from











Time Team

We found it impossible to convince the Channel 4 Time Team crew that Balmalloch, Kilsyth was a ritual Pictish burial ground, or anything else exciting for that matter. So the Editorial team were forced to take matters into their own hands and dig about in the school archives to find any artefacts worth saving, apart from Mr MacRae's hair.

The earliest part of Kilsyth Academy was built in the ancient civilisation of the 1950s, when dinosaurs were still roaming the earth and Mr MacRae was just in his 40s. Additional wings were added at various stages when the inhabitants were most prosperous.

It was discovered after many hours of reading the school log book that the average weekly entry consists of "Nothing out of the ordinary to report". Also found were many photographs, some of which are displayed here. On occasion, however, the school did go all out with musical productions, talent shows and even a visit from the Prime Minister and the late Donald Dewar (for whom the road was specially resurfaced).

Throughout its existence, Kilsyth Academy has been used by adults to teach the new generation about subjects they deem important. To our disappointment this does not include classes in hair straightening, applying the perfect fake tan or perfecting that "just got out of bed" look for the boys. Despite all of this, it is the teachers who have been found to be crazy, not the pupils.

Here are but a few examples.

A former principal teacher of Modern Languages had rather eccentric discipline procedures; he used the belt for the slightest crime, such as, a failure to answer one of his questions in French.







KA Style

However, he did not like belting girls, so if a girl made a mistake, it was common policy for her to nominate a boy in the class to receive the punishment for her. Nowadays, the teacher would be locked up. Although most teachers and female pupils would probably welcome a reintroduction of the belt.

A former Head of Maths was even more eccentric, if not insane. He was teaching a class in what is known now as Room 154. When the bell rang for the end of the period, he decided that he was not going to let his pupils out of the door. However, he did say that they could leave through the window, if they wanted. So all 25 pupils had to climb out of the window and clamber down the outside wall. None of the pupils thought of reporting his behaviour, as this was standard procedure in his class.

A History teacher decided to liven up a lesson about the war. He gave the class some work to do, then went into the adjacent store cupboard. Some 5 minutes later, he leapt out wearing an army uniform, camouflage paint and most disturbingly, carrying a rifle. (We wonder who that was, Mr Gordon!)

A Chemistry teacher was doing an experiment upstairs when, suddenly, a tap came away from the attached pipe and a fountain of water shot high into the air. The teacher did nothing about it until a Technical teacher came running upstairs to say that water was pouring through his ceiling. The teacher then decided that he should probably report the problem to the janitor, by which time, the water was 2 cm deep on his floor, it was seeping through the walls into adjacent labs and was pouring through the ceiling of 3 technical rooms.

Kilsyth Academy has had a great 50 years, with lots of great memories and we hope that the next 50 years will be even better!

















Hawaiian







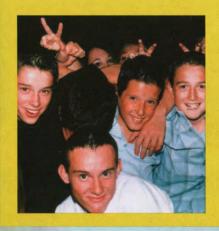
6th year contribution to the night.



The girls, once again, show the lads who are the better sex when it comes to organisation.



Disco



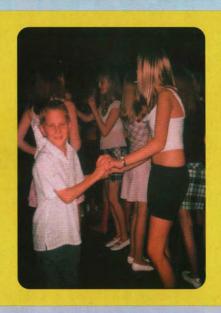






Sam and Ally indulge in the photo fun provided.

Someone get me a box!







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Sun, Sea, Sand

The Jubilee Day is sure to be remembered as one of the best school days this year. The official ceremony marking the schools fifty years was held in the morning but things kept going well into the afternoon. It was a huge success and even the weather was in keeping with our Beach Day theme. The fun of the fair was enjoyed by all!!









Biker Chick



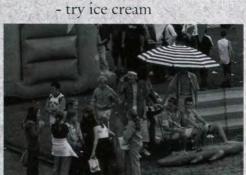
Desperate for a drink



Is it a bird? Is it a plane? No its supercochy!!



If you ever need a favour - try ice cream



Imagine queueing for that lot





Like bees to a honey pot



and.....Sandwiches





Don't think they'll make the cover of sports illustrated!



So that's why Miss Kane is always late to school!



Up, up and away





Hula - Hula - Hannah









Miss Laing and her admirers....



Old habits die hard



....And Mr Drysdale with his



Sun, Sea, Sand



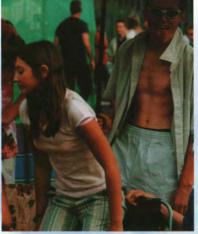
Which unsuspecting student should be my next victim?



Fireman James!







Making a quick exit - can you blame her?



Initiation for new teachers?







The effect Mr MacRae has on women



How dare you ask for sprinkles!





and.....Sandwiches



What do you think of the table cloth as my latest outfit?



Any excuse to wear flowers!



Sex on the beach?



Ms Conway dons her Sunday bonnet and tries her luck with the Director of Education



Sun, sand and ... aren't you missing something, Martin?



Wanna be in my gang?



Posing for page 3 again Craig?



Stewart and Bobby on the pull. Again!!



Stick to the flower arranging!



How many ways can you cover up from the sun?







Beach Babes?





Second Year



2L Class Photo

Back Row: Jamie Shanks, Callum Harris, Stephen Whyte, Mark Jenkins, John McLean, Christopher Lynch, Jonathan Small, Scott Reid

Middle Row: Ryan Blair, Michaela Henderson, Alison Hosie, Ruth Thomson, Kelsey Gardiner, Elissa Moffat, Katriona Whyte, Roslyn Whiteford, Connor Preston

Front Row: Stephen Blackshaw, Suzanne Phillips, Lisa Stevenson, Jenna Todd, Emma Hart, Kerry Anne Stewart, Marie Graham, John Abercrombie

2K Class Photo

Back Row: Scott McFarlane, Gary Milne, Matthew Burns, Jamie Differ, Mark Starmore, Grant Haddow, Neill Hamilton, Stephen Milne

Middle Row: Viktor Brandt, Lyndsay Wilson, Gillian Primrose, Ryan Turner, Liam Soutar, Christopher Mitchell, Holly Abercrombie, Lynne Robinson, Hayleigh Miller, Kristofer Brooks

Front Row: Dionne West, Kerry Starrs, Emma Henderson, Louise Wilson, Stacy Johnston, Laura Tracey, Victoria Hudson, Emma McCann

Absent: Franciscus de Goey



2T Class Photo

Back Row: Steven Foster, Gary Stirling, Jordan Kingston, Andrew Morris, Allan Bird, Christopher Linn, Stephen Rankin, Kristofer Love

Middle Row: Steven Lees, David Warsito, Michelle Docherty, Katherine McCormack, Darren McLean, Monica Quinn, Darren McPhater, Thomas Jackson

Front Row: Pauline Scott, Alison Barrowman, Carol-Anne Hunter, Kerri Bryce, Kimberly Pinkerton, Claire Mitchell, Victoria Loudon, Rebecca Greene

Second Year

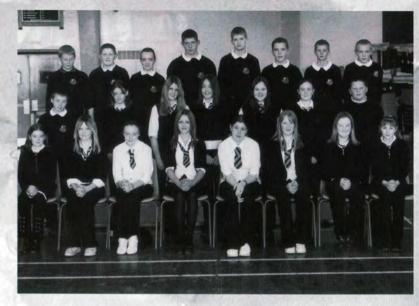
2S Class Photo

Back Row: Steven O'Connor, John Wright, John McIvor, Jamie Whiteford, Charles Scotland, Callum Stewart, Matthew Pine, Christopher Meiklejohn

Middle Row: Craig Harrison, Fiona Mears, Jennifer Mitchell, Vicki Laidlaw, Amy Bollore, Maxine Stewart, Gary McLeod

Front Row: Emma Quinn, Nicola Andrew, Nikki Devlin, Jenniffer Gibson, Mandi Stewart, Claire Marshall, Laura Durham, Sarah Miller

Absent: George Brady, Hugh Kidd, Melanie Partridge, Aaron Rankin



2Y Class Photo

Back Row: Craig Wyper, Robbie Wilson, Steven Kelly, Craig Chalmers, Scott Jewitt, Calum McGuinness, Hugh Nelson

Middle Row: Ross Wheeler, Alan Roome, Craig MacDonald, Karen Stevenson, Samantha Whyte, Ashley Raybould, Christopher Abercrombie, Grant Ellis, Ross Kilbride

Front Row: Gillian Docherty, Jane DeZutter, Rebecca Duff, Nisha Scott, Lacey Boyd, Gillian Seymour, Lynsey Bowe, Lynsey Hood

Absent: Stephen Maxwell, Chris McVey

2H Class Photo

Back Row: Stuart Crammond, Frasor Mason, Dayle Craigie, Douglas MacKay, Mark Birney, Craig Cole, Sam Noon, Ryan Day, BJ Prentice

Middle Row: Paul Ross, Victoria Cochrane, Iona McLachlan, Laurie McNab, Julie Kavanagh, Rosie Gillies, Victoria Brown, Morgen MacKenzie, Natasha Holland, Tony Shaw

Front Row: Liam Clarke, Heather McLaughlin, Lorna Beveridge, Kirsty McWilliam, Gemma Wyper

Absent: Craig Frew, Stacey Hughes, Lyndsay MacFarlane, Kimberley McCreadie



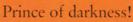


Holloweens





This year's Hallowe'en disco was a success, as ever, and was enjoyed by everyone who attended. Several people got into the spirit of the evening by getting dressed up!



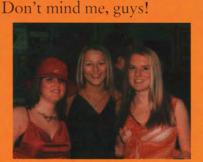




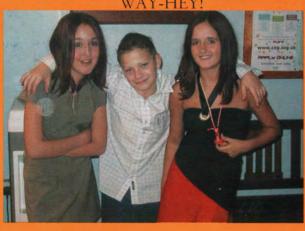
Stewart's pulled!

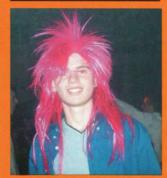
Girls, you're supposed to look at the camera!





WAY-HEY!





There's something different about G, but what?



Boy" from da hood!

been



Ally: "Remember back in the day..."







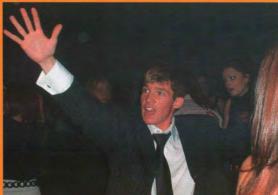






Another Scream sequel...





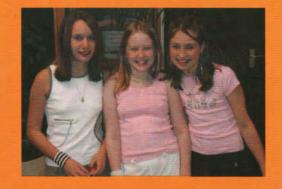
Night Fever, Night Fever!













Breathe in girls!







Final Destination



The Entire Crew



We worship you, Oh Great One!



Would you trust this grin???



Ga-Ga-Gals



Is this before or after the drink was confiscated?!?!



Last Easter a coach of 90 pupils plus a handful of teachers all scooted off for a week of fun, laughter, excitement and naughty antics. The week was a big success and the trip was enjoyed by all who went. (Apart from TT who spent most of it sleeping). This was Mr Simpson's last ever trip and despite the over-flow and over-spending on "refreshments", it lived up to the high standard of previous trips and will keep Mr Simpson with good memories well into his retirement.





Carter's found his idol



"It's very simple, Mr MacKay..."



Illegal gambling? Us? Never!



Il Some



Long Journey Guys?



nis idol

Do you shave or wax??

Well Said!

Amanda Cant



The public speaking competition is the annual chance for the English stars to shine. This gave Mrs
Burton and members of the Rotary Club a very hard decision when judging each of the competitions. The topics covered ranged from a disastrous skiing trip and the Falkirk Wheel to Steven Carter's unique talk about his life so far.

After the ordeal of the competition the winners were invited to go and give their speeches to the Rotary Club. We are sure all the people at the Rotary Club would have been just as entertained as we were when we listened to the competitions. A big thank you to everybody who took part. We hope you are all looking forward to this year's competition!

Sarah MacKenzie

Donna Goodwin

Laurel Thomson

Commended

JUN IOD









It seems Kilsyth Academy has gone disco crazy this year!! On the 17th of November, the school held its third disco of the year, with all proceeds going to the "Bring back the old boiler" campaign. With the sweltering temperatures in the school, it was refreshing to feel the chill of a crisp November evening. Everyone enjoyed themselves (as the photos show) except our Sam! Unfortunately Liam just couldn't take the pace!





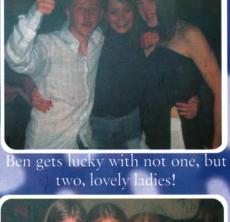
Grant couldn't pull any birds, so tried his luck with his mates



instead!



Looks like Gordon's seen the ghost from the clock tower!





1st years' get their groove on!



Did no-one tell them Hallowe'en has passed?





MANIA



Everyone got their glad rags on to strut their stuff on the dance floor. However, the award for "worst dancers" has to go to Cochy and Dome!









Hayley and Eleanor enjoy one last night of freedom before prelims!













In tonight's cutest couple contest who will be victorious? Will it be Debbie and Thomas? Bobby and his unsuspecting victim? Or Catriona and her man? No... it's Miss Irvine and her toyboy Ally Stevens!



THIRDYLARI

Mrs Allen's Class

Back Row: Matthew Halcrow, Robbie Ritchie, Greg Martin, Alex McArthur, David Smith, Billy Abercrombie, Jason Barrons.

Middle Row: Graeme Barbour, Daniel McIlwaine, Ross Fawcett, Crawford Clarke, Lisa Seymour, Heather McNair, Mark Wilson, David Law, John Maxwell, David Bailey.

Front Row: Lisa Louden, Stephanie Glen, Mhairi Jack, Stacey Cook, Karen Napier, Jennifer Cairney, Natalie Gray, Jennifer Bamford, Lorna Sullivan, Lynsey Meffin. Absent: Ashley Roberts.



Ms Din/Mrs Harper's Class

Back Row: Karen Duncan, Christopher MacKay, Peter Watson, Ben Truesdale, Callum Wark, James Morrison, Craig Burns, Gordon Milne, Daniel Stewart, Carly MacKenzie.

Middle Row: Kirsty Barrie, Kirsty Walker, Ginny Kay-Gourlay, Katie Richardson, Emma Barrie, Rhona Wilson, Fiona Stevenson, Erin Forsyth, Kirsten Campbell, Megan Reid.

Back Row: Laura McGuire, Ruth Fotheringham, Julie Fleming, Emma Whyte, Stephanie Armour, Hannah Steward, Lysia Abercrombie, Karen McEwan, Nicola Britton.



Mrs Carmichael's Class

Back Row: Stewart Hay, Jamie Routledge, Stewart Houston, Jack Wilhare, Duncan McPhater, Philip Wands, Alan Adair, Iain Kelly.

Middle Row: Martin Hickman, Lyndsay Blair, Sarah Calderwood, Debbie Morrison, Candice Lynn, Jemma McBride, Hannah MacFarlane, Peter Oakley.

Front Row: Lynsay O'Neill, Lauren Turner, Jacqlyn Truten, Gail Kennedy, Joanne Miller, Ashleigh Friel, Lauren Roberts, Amy McGregor, Lisa Higham, Elizabeth Tallo.





Mr Gordon's Class

Back Row: John Munnoch, David Kerr, Ross Maden, Gordon Hawthorn, Wesley Wilson, Mark Ross, Craig Thayne, Andrew MacKinnon.

Middle Row: Greg Abercrombie, Rory Helan, Nikki Strachan, Lee Sherlock, Debbie Aitken, Catriona Lawther, Jennifer Wanless, Ross Holmes, Stuart Thomson. Front Row: Lisa Roe, Gillian Rankin, Amy Angus, Heather Burns, Kirsty Young,

Lindsay Somerville, Jennifer Kerr, Jenna Morgan, Kirsty Fleming, Carly Shannon.



Mrs Keogh's Class

Back Row: Jamie Livingston, Craig McAteer, David Breton, Ryan Cairley, Robert Allan, Steven Pearson, Stuart

Middle Row: Alan Baldwin, Jamie Goodwin, Peter Gaitens, Graham Cullen, Jamie McAnea, Ross Mitchell.

Front Row: Anne Peters, Debbie Burns, Leeane Coombe, Lynsey Smith, Naomi Brown, Sian Runciman, Kirsty Smith.



Miss Kane's Class

Back Row: Kevin Masterson, Scott Crawford, Steven Lochrie.

Front Row: Stewart Runciman, Amy Black, Kelly Black, Daniel Condliffe.

Absent: Stephen Milner, Jamie Campbell, Craig Banziger, Linzi Morton.



Mrs Cumming's Class

Back Row: Robert Daisely, Liam Maguire, Mark Leibow, Kenneth Lenehan, Daniel Beattie, Stephen Smith, Robert Morris, Kevin Franks.

Middle Row: David Sneddon, John Pittendreigh, Andrew Gourlay, William Dunbar, Allan Brown, John Stark, Jamie Marklow, Rory O'Sullivan.

Front Row: John Peter, Emma Irvine, Kerry Irvine, Kathryn Campbell, Karen Lenk, Kirstie Whiteford, Cameron West.





Survivel of

On 29 August, 32 pupils, 4 teachers and a mad bus driver headed for the Highlands for a weekend of "Team Building".

Highlights included Mrs K and Mrs A getting no sleep due to persistent talkers; Andrew's monkey business up an 82ft tree; everyone's singing efforts; a group shouting match and Alistair and Martin trying to scare the girls by hiding in the bushes. Most memorable of all was the rafting. Rumour has it, the MacPherson clan are releasing a book entitled "How to sink in the middle of the loch in 10 easy steps!"



The teams smiling, before they feel the temperature of the water



Katie shows off her climbing skills!!



Follow the leader... blindfolded



Stewart and Bobby reading a poem! Punishment for not turning up to a meeting!!





Midgie protection: essential for a successful weekend



Playing with Lego, a normal Saturday night for Martin then!



The editor shows her true colours!!



The girls relaxing



The daily news bulletin, Highland style



the Fittest





Now what if that bench were to break?



A game of ring a ring o' roses gone wrong



How to scale a wall in 3 easy steps



"Colin, how does Titanic end again?"



"Paul, you're doing it all wrong!!" Emma steps in to show how it's done.



Mrs Kubica faces her fear



Nice to see they're still smiling!!



The Rescue Mission



You'd think it was too cold for skinny dipping



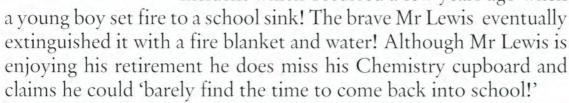
The victorious team in the raft challenge! The only one not to sink!



The Old and...



The infamous Mr Lewis (I'm sure you all remember him well) was in K.A from 1978-2003 and he has taken with him many happy memories. One such memory was of an incident which occurred a few years ago when





Mr Lewis's Quotes: 'See me at the end, I'll give you something to do'

'Fail to prepare, prepare to fail' 'Money for old rope, really!'



Mr Robertson admits that he has been with us for so long that he cannot remember the exact date (We did attempt to work it out but no-one's maths was that good!) Mr Robertson likes to think back on his first day at KA as an exciting challenge and he remained with us so long due to the

friendly atmosphere...and of course his expertise on the Kilsyth Cuddies football team! (We apologise for any alarm this picture may cause). When asked for a funny incident Mr Robertson proudly replied 'no serious incidents, at least no



legislations!' No longer dabbling with biology, we can now catch Mr Robertson building fences and playing his mandolin.

Mr Robertson's Quotes: 'It's quite simple really' 'It's a hard life' 'Making steady progress'



Mr Simpson, the only PE teacher who was known to smoke 40 cigarettes a day, was with us from August 1965. During that time he must have taught over half of the population of Kilsyth. He will be missed by the large number of pupils who have taken part in the annual 3 Countries trip. Mr Simpson was the main organiser of this trip and since he left many pupils have said that the trip just won't be the same without him. However, we have not had the chance to miss him properly. Since retiring he has almost spent

more time in the school than when he worked here. Let's take this as a compliment!

Mr Simpson's Quotes: 'a rum tum tum!'

'(students name) you are a muppet' (always with closed eyes!)





Mr Taylor, better known as 'Mr T', was often referred to as "Marathon Man" because of his claims of running marathons! When asked if we could ask him a few questions Mr T replied "depends how personal". This left us wondering what he has to hide! Mr Taylor will miss the good pupils and the staff at the school. However he is now fully enjoying the free time he has to play golf and tennis, occasionally taking a break to do a bit of supply teaching. The best thing about retirement for him is "being able to go out a lot".

Mr Taylor's Ouotes:

'Get your wires out!'

'Physics is magic'

...The New



Mr Neilson Biology + Pupil Support

Most known for: His psychotic intentions and his Teddy Smith jumper.



Mrs Scoular, Chemistry

Most known for:
Being a Malteser (brown on the outside + blonde on the inside!).

Miss Rennie Modern Languages Most known for: being worshipped by the senior boys



Mr Reilly Head of Science

Most known for: His strong resemblance to Harry from Sex and the City





Mrs Shepherd
Music
Most known for:
Her constant smiling and
over-enthusiasm

A

Mrs Wright Chemistry

Most known for: Being unable to keep her eyes open in photographs

Ms McKillop Physics + Pupil Support

Most known for: overwearing of animal print jumpers



Miss McCarron
Maths
Most known for:
The invention of the
Maths game
Snap,Clap,Click,Click!





Mr Jones, Physics

Most known for: His over-use of the catch phrase -"Deal with it!"



Mr Sommerville PF

Most known for; supporting Motherwell and being a ginger!





This Year's Christmas Disco beat all the rest in the romance stakes. This was encouraged by the selling of mistletoe which proved to be popular with pupils of all ages - no matter how small as Stewart Strachan demonstrated! Well KA's Christmas Discos just wouldn't be the same without a kiss under the mistletoe!

Which lucky lady will it be tonight?















Three of a kind





helpers



The pride of KA males!





Dressed to impress!



Crimbo



Paul finds himself spoiled for choice yet again!











Babyyyy I'm your man!







Wishful thinking on your part, Thomas?!!



Ahhh young love....



All I want for Christmas is













WE HAD ONE



Survivors



I need a leg up!











It's just like being at Niagara Falls!



It's Titanic all over again!



Tarzan training!



EIL OF A TIME



Ok, we're up...now what?



Babes on the rocks!

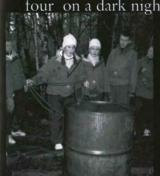


This year the fourth years ventured out to Loch Eil to enjoy an action packed week of adventurous fun accompanied by Miss Shaw and Mr Stirling. Unfortunately though we weren't able to obtain any photographs from Mr Stirling's trip!



giant pink thing

Wouldn't wanna meet these four on a dark night!





Gonna lasoo me a can!



Mr McAlister likes to give everything a go



Mind your head!





brazy Day has always been known or its cross-dressing teachers and endless battles to bear Xicky arrison at the Technical Carmival. This year proved to be no

Endless battles to beat Nicky
Harrison at the Technical Carmival
This year proved to be no
exception. The Techi Carmival was
once again the place to be as
everyone battled to win the great
selection box prize and the karaoke
was one event that you didn't have
to be at to hear! Firm, laughter and
enjoyment carried on into the
afternoon as we were introduced to
some new members of staff and





Stewart, what are you protecting?



So blondes do have more film, eh!



Can I have just one touch:



"BoYaCasha!



Come on Stewart, keep up



'It should have been



Even Mr MacRae gets into the festive spirit



'Who's the man?'



50th

ME CRAZY!!!



Star encounter



Looking good, Mell



How not to wear makeun!





Gary was obviously upset about this being his last day!



How many points do you get for hitting Tony, sir?



Ladies in Red



Blingir





You won't be laughing when you look in the mirror!



Jordan



You're sweet enough Both!



Laura always gets into the festive spirit!



A Christmas



What are the words again?

After endless rehearsals it was finally time for the Christmas Concert. All those rehearsals paid off though as the audience enjoyed music from all the different bands and groups in the school.

It has been a big year for the Wind Band as they achieved a Silver Award in the Scottish Wind Band Competition.



Who said being a prefect was all hard work?





A choir of angels



Miss King finally realised that the flutes are better than the clarinets!





The PTA hard at work





She claims she fell over!







Present



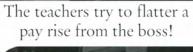
























Mrs Cunningham likes the school so much, she even stays in the evening

practise with"!



Fourth Year

Mr Gordon's Class

Back Row: Iain Nicol, Craig Clelland, Graham Brady, Raymond Hartley, Sam McArthur

Middle Row: Graeme Burns, Scott Kennedy, Brian McMahon, David Lochrie, Alan Smith, Iain Campbell

Front Row: Gavin McKie, Mark Gage, Kimberley Rankin, Kerry Matear, Lynsey Ness, Mark Brandt, Christopher Stewart



Mrs Keogh's Class

Back Row: Colin Miller, Robert Thayne, Gordon Barrowman, Greg Whyte, Nicholas Clarke, Craig Henderson, Christopher Mackie, Alasdair Gregor, Alan Derrick, Aidan Butler

Middle Row: Vhairi Taylor, Lindsay Curle, Gemma Wilson, Susan Jarvie, Kirsty McLean, Katy Brown, Jessica Foulds, Lorna Thomson, Heather Sillars, Eleanor Waterson, Nicole Smith.

Front Row: Fiona Wren, Emma Singleton, Kirsty Somerville, Donna Goodwin, Laura Hartley, Lindy Wright, Sheena Murray, Heather Macfarlane

Miss Kane's Class

Back Row: Lindsay Conn, Ross MacKenzie, Jamie Marshall, Ross Workman, Alistair Gow, Christopher Hudson, Ross Gordon, Douglas Harper, Iain Donaldson

Middle Row: Rachel Bateman, Fiona Mitchell, Sarah Rafferty, Louise Wright, Hayley Barrie, Samantha Fowler, Ann Davidson, Laurel Thomson, Stacey Griffin, Emma Paton

Front Row: Emma Taylor, Kirsten Hamilton, Katie Wilcock, Alison Tonagh, Debbie Finlayson, Amanda Howes, Lynn Cain, Christine McBride, Sarah Lindsay, Sarah MacKenzie, Christine Webb





Fourth Year



Miss Irvine's Class

Back Row: Graham McGregor, Thomas McPhater, Gary Scott, Calum Entwistle, Jamie White, Christopher Allison, Iain Malloch, Stuart Angus, Robert O'Brien, Jonathon Pirie

Middle Row: Craig Morrison, Scott Rae, Amanda Patrick, Frances Stevens, Mandy Stewart, Kirsten Brown, Karen Brotherton, Nicola Simpson

Front Row: Jennifer Fullerton, Lauren Wilson, Lisa McLeod, Lana Townsley, Karen Brown, Natalie Ellis, Kayleigh Bowe, Elaine Clelland

Mrs Allen's Class

Back Row: Ewan McDonald, Garath Cameron, Dean Gilmour

Front Row: Gary Marshall, Christopher Munn, Steven McMillan



Mrs Carmichael's Class

Back Row: Kristoffer Wilson, Gary Thomson, Lee Moonan, Scott Mitchell, John Paterson, Greg Williamson, Andrew Brown

Middle Row: Steven Whyte, Peter MacArthur, John Clelland, Christopher Allan, Adam Gillies, Grant Finlayson, Mark Dornan

Front Row: Lynsey MacLure, Charlene Allardice, Karina Keith, Siobhan Pollock, Katrina Donaldson, Johanna Gibson, Ashley McCallum, Rachel Donaldson.



BURNS



Katy: "too smart to be female", according to Stewart who can't see over the counter at work yet

This year's tribute to Robert Burns was yet another fabulous success, with Katy and Stewart pushing the boundaries of insults to the max, while Mr Dougan crossed the line with his rubbish jokes as he tried to fill Mr Denovan's shoes in the role of Chairman. Katy's speech took a satirical look at the male species, with Stewart coming into her line of fire most often, with jibes at his height and his love for the younger lady. Stewart just made a blatant attack on women, telling us that they are apparently only good for two things one of which is cooking. He also let us in on some secrets about Katy's success - " study, study, study", and her downfalls - not knowing how to say "social life" in a foreign language. There Stewart, confused about his sexuality and were also speeches from Peter Welsh and John Graham, as well as more bad jokes from Mr Dougan.



a secret cross dresser



Paul tries to show he's a real man









SUPPER



Mairi provided the music for the night



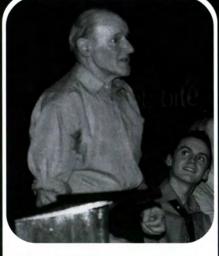
Mr Foster showed us what he's made of as he piped in the haggis



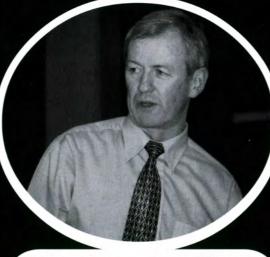
Martin, wearer of "the most homosexual clothes ever" and not a happy bunny



An amazing performance was given by Rowan



Holy Willie's Prayer was recited by Mr Welsh, a former Janitor



Mr Dougan was on top form with his usual blend of bad jokes and cheap insults



The Immortal Memory was delivered by Mr Graham



Grant with his posse of women and bodyguards



Wonder which ladies Andrew and Stewart took home that night





Lean on me....

ON THE

Like mother, like son





Do you shave or wax?



There's always one show off!



Mr Dougan let loose behind the bar!



Little Miss Attitude!





Nice pyramid





It's okay Donna he'll leave in a minute

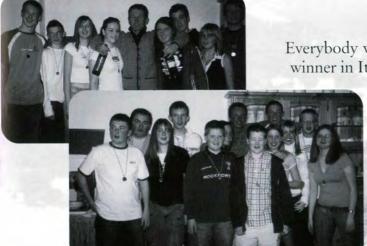
Snow, skis and sexy Italians what more could you ask for? It didn't take us long to acquaint ourselves with the coach drivers - especially Sarah MacKenzie who received the "Michael the Driver Appreciation Award"! Barry, the other driver, soon had us singing 'Yogi Bear' - the clean version of course. The first day on the snow-covered, sunny slopes saw Mrs Kubica 'misplace' her son, Craig, at lunchtime and win the first Donkey of the Day Award eehaw, eehaw! Fue. We all got to know our instructors well over the week - some better than others, eh Samantha!

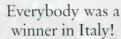
Our favourite ladies man Ricardo starting calling himself IL NESSY. Don't ask! We all loved the skiing and the beginners even skied a red run on the 3rd day! A great thanks go to our teachers and their side kicks for a wonderful trip, and finally, the holiday anthem to round off the week - Cooky and Mr D's remix of "Let it Be" - Magic!

By Kirsten McLeod, Fiona Anderson, Samantha Fowler, Sarah McKenzie and Lauren Wilson

PISTE

Page Sponsored by Mr D - "Be all you can be!"











Closer..



'No chance mate!'







Twins?



Nice hats guys!





The Good..



the Bad..



and the Ugly



Not much to say really, is there?





LOVE 5









Male Bonding!

Valentines day is supposed to be the most romantic day of the year and this year's disco, despite being two weeks late, celebrated Cupid's day of love in style! The night, as ever, was enjoyed by all, except those who happened to come into contact with Mr Nicholson - how many birds did he pull again? Many new couples were born with the help of the

'Matchmaker' system and the night raised a good amount of money for the Yearbook, so thanks to all who went!

Hannah couldn't decide which one to have, so she just had two!





It's ladies night on both sides!



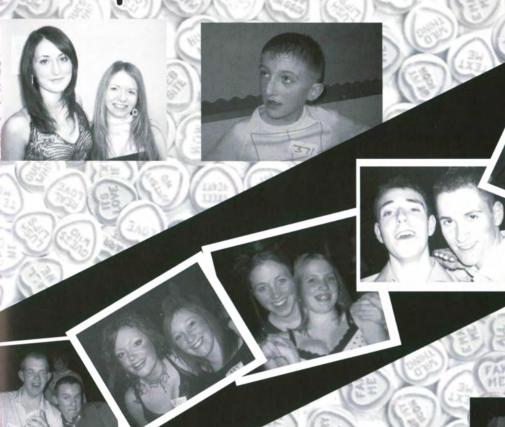






Male Eye Candy!

IN THE AIR!











Donna is always spoilt for choice!



And the crowds went wild....



Looking good, guys!



Stars In

This year's Stars in Their Eyes Talent show was held with a bit of a difference. Not only did we have celebrities such as The Honeyz, Atomic Kitten, Red Hot Chili Peppers, Ja Rule and Ashanti, we also had the Krankies and Lesley Fitzsimmons from Take the High Road as our judging panel for the show on January 19th.









Rowan smiles after her great performance!



Amy struggles to remember her next line!



Laura proves she can be a 'fighter!'





The girls tell us about their 'favourite things.'



The girls show off their dance moves



Our celeb judges!



Their Eyes

And the winners were......



Atomic Kitten 2



Hasn't anyone ever told you NOT to eat the microphone?...



Our Panel of Judges



Ja Rule and Ashanti



The Chilis



Check out our hot guitar players!



Hands up if you think Duncan's tatoos are real?







Clubs \$



The Sailing Team



The Debating Team



The Engineering Team



This year has been a busy one for the school's clubs and teams. The Dance Club entered the North Lanarkshire Dance Competition and the 3rd Year dancers won silver at a previous festival. The gymnastics team are the North Lanarkshire Schools' Champions for the third year running. The advanced gymnastics team are representing this area in the Scottish Championships. Kirsty Adams took part in an International Gymnastics Festival in Barcelona. The badminton team won the North Lanarkshire Consolation Quaich. The 6th Years entered into the Engineering Education Scheme Competition and won the Glasgow Caledonian University Award for Design Excellence. The debating team was very successful and even reached the Scottish semi-finals of the English Speaking Union Debating Competition. The sailing team won the Ken Sykes Ladies Trophy in the Scottish School event for the 4th year running. This year's Enterprise Company 'Blazin Ice' has been very productive, producing items for every occasion in the school year.





Dance Club









Sports











The Gymnastics Club









The Badminton club









Fifth Years

5K

Back Row: Greg Milne,Ross Wilson,Scott Abercrombie, Thomas Wilson

Middle Row: Gary Brooks, Janine West, Laura Hall, Claire Chalmers, Ross McGee

Front Row: Donna Short, Ashley Harris, Madelyn Webb, Alison Reade, Claire Primrose, Cheryl Cunningham.



Back Row: Craig Hoey, Allan Gray, David Harvey, Malcolm McKechnie, Greg Harris

Middle Row: Andrew Stark, Katie McAleer, Rowan Richardson, Natasha Todd, Christopher McCann, Ross Steele

Front Row: Morgan-Hayley Bell, Amanda Harper, Amanda Lowe, Haley Moir, Dawn Butterly, Eilidh Campbell, Kirsten Smith, Victoria McKay

<u>5H</u>

Back Row: Jonathan Miller, Kevin Dunn, Mark Chisholm, John McGregor, Stuart MacFarlane

Front Row: Nadia Climie, Leanne Wilson, Chloe Ritchie, Sophia Akhtar, Lisa Clark, Ashleigh Brown, Linzi Morrison









Fifth Years



<u>5T</u>

Back Row: George Marklow Matthew Hutchison, Graham Stirling, Marc Law, Ben De Zutter

Middle Row: Richard Wright, Graham McCaig, Scott Anderson, Andrew Doran

Front Row: Donna Cook, Claire Kerr, Melissa Robinson, Madeline Grant, Wendy Docherty



5Y

Back Row: Richard Fawcett, Robert Blair, Alan Robinson, Adam Storrar, Andrew Martin

Front Row: Craig Hughes, Mhairi-Claire Hunter, Hayley Dawson, Kayleigh Semple, Fiona Hardie, Daniel Fullerton



<u>5S</u>

Back Row: Jamie Stewart, Daniel Keogh, Sean Worrall, Philip Cole, Alexander Munnoch, David Ross, Nicky Harrison

Front Row: Fiona Riddell, Kirsty Connell, Lynne Henderson, Caroline Haggart, Anna Sigurdsson, Fiona Thomson, Alana Roe



Winter Wonderland



Wait for me!!



Don't hit a man when he's down!



Up, up and away!



Snow Bunnies



Last Easter an enthusiastic bunch of pupils and staff set off for a snow filled adventure in Aviemore. True to form this trip proved to be just as eventful, if not more so than previous ones. With Sarah M cutting her head on a ski tow and Gillian's cheeky slope antics, it proved to be a trip not soon forgotten!







James Kane & Sons

with a "sexy" pose??



Assemble yourselves!





Mr Dougan strikes....





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Strasbourg



At the end of last year a group of our finest linguists (and Mrs Kerr!) travelled to Strasbourg to take part in an international conference. They spent the week with students from all over Europe, flying the flag for Scotland. Nicky

even wore his kilt!



Educational? No shopping!





Ahgadoo, doo, doo!





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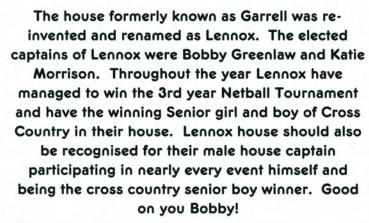
Mowlem plc wish Kilsyth Academy staff and pupils very best wishes on their 50th Anniversary



LENNOX



Captains:
Bobby Greenlaw and
Katie Morrison





Cross Country obviously wore him out!





Lennox's Sexy Football Team



Cute Rugby Team



Junior and Senior Netball Teams

and





HOUSE





Bobby and Debbie were the Senior Cross Country Winners!









Caught on







Pupils hard at work!

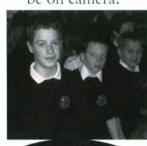
The next Jimmy Hendrix?

Mr Macinnes is always there to help his students... anything to be on camera!









Shock Horror! The Cafe without our dinner ladies!





Grant shows us his body yet again!

Would you pay to kiss these two?





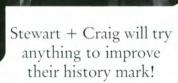
K.A's Kiss 'O' Grams













The Usual Suspects



Camera



Behind the Scenes in the English Dept







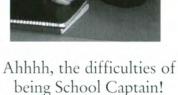




Can it really be Stewart studying? Ashley attempts to knock some sense back into him













Our House Captains...need I say anymore?



What really goes on in those 6th Year Study Classes!





Mr Neilson proves that teachers can be just as bad as the pupils!



Mr Scott's idea of school uniform



Kelvin



Captains:
Christopher Nicholson and
Emma Kane

Kelvin's Killer Rugby Team

Kelvin's official captains, appointed this year, were Emma Kane and Christopher Nicholson. Like all the other Houses, they have notched up some excellent credits to their house name. These include being the winners of the Senior Swimming girls and boys competition, being the winner of the Junior Cross Country event and coming second in over half the events.

Well done to everyone in Kelvin, Keep up the hard work!



"Lift 1, 2, 3, come on Craig, join in, aerobics is fun!" Whatever Dome!



Tired girls?





Kelvin's Football Team were in 2nd place.
Nice looking bunch!



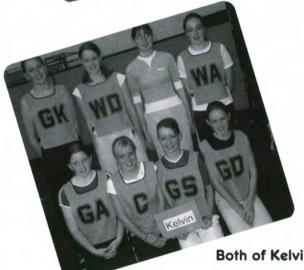


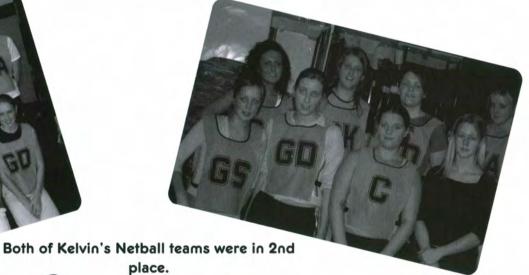


House













These were the fresh faces that were 'persuaded' to take part in the Junior Cross Country!

Oh, you'll remember to say no next time.



Editor's Choice



Macca during his "footballing days". Aye right!

The Macca all time top 5

- 1. "To all intents and purposes..."
- 2. That Cough
- 3. "Essentially..."
- 4. "Effectively..."
- 5. "Hiy!!!"



SMT spiced up by Alison!!

All year Stewart Strachan has given us a good laugh with his dodgy collection of patterned jumpers, so it is now time to celebrate the top five worst ones!











Here are what we believe to be some of the best pictures we've come across this year.



Mr McGhee, or should we say Farmer McGhee?



A classic photo of the lady who hates getting her photo taken



Maybe Mr Mitchell is in the wrong iob?



This is about the forty fifth time these photos were taken!





Students' Council

Students' Council is the pupils' way of voicing their opinions on school matters. It would not take place without all of Mr Knight's hard work and dedication. Pictured below are the representatives from each year group.





Fifth Year



Montrose



Captains:
Grant Kerr and Hannah Gray



The winning Rugby Team.



Montrose's Triumphant Winning Football Team - look at that eye candy girls!

The last of the 3 Houses to be re-invented this year was the newly named Montrose House.
Grant Kerr and Hannah Gray were the peoples' choice of elected captains and have done a great job so far. Already Montrose have won the S2 Rugby, Inter-house Football Tournament, Senior Netball Event and Senior Cross Country Competition. With many events still to take place, Montrose are storming ahead with points and trophies and are successfully holding onto their winning position in the fierce Inter-house

Competition.



Get running girls!

Look at these talented boys singing and running at the same time.





Montrose receiving the Cross Country Cup.



House









Young Musician Of The Year

The Young Musician of the Year Competition is the annual opportunity for pupils to show off their musical talent and once again the standard was very high. This year the winner of the senior competition was Claire Kerr on piano with Graham Stirling on clarinet. The Junior competition was won by Stewart Houston on clarinet, with Samantha Fowler on flute and Katie Richardson on clarinet being the runners up. The winner of the singing competition was Rowan Richardson with Sarah McKenzie as runner up. The swing band entertained the audience when the judges were deliberating.







Junior Winners



Singing Winners



























Skivers Anonymous

Fiona Anderson

Known for: outbursts, laughing, apologising and her friendly personality

Most Likely To Be : fronting the Queenzieburn Rights Campaign Where you'll be in 2014: Magaluf

"Naw, by the way, that's sote"





Liam Anderson

Hamish Known for: being a Patriot Most Likely To Be: Ozzy Osbourne lookalike Where you'll be in 2014: Leader of the SNP

Quote: "Ill be a rock star, rocking stadiums and

concert halls all over the world. like Bon Jovi, Iron Maiden or the Leader of the SNP"

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Melanie Barrie

Mel, Melba, Melvin Known for : carrying her Scooter around the school Most Likely To Be: the first person

to sue Barbie (for foundation crimes) Where you'll be in 2014: shouting "objection your honour" in court Quote:

"Geez-o!"

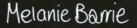




Christopher Birney

Known for : having long, tall assets (arms, legs, hehe) Most Likely To Be: chief check out boy in Tesco Where you'll be in 2014: still trying to pass Higher English

"Superb"



Paul Blair

Pinball, Spud Known for : wild ginger hair Most Likely To Be: unemployed Where you'll be in 2014: lying on a couch watching TV

Quote:

"Whos got it? Pinball's got it"







Chang Bung

Fiona Brownlie

Fee, Wee Fee Known for : dippyness, confused looks and playing with her hair Most Likely To Be : a Playboy bunny Where you'll be in 2014: bouncing around Beverly Hills / TV Reporter Quote: "Eh?", "What"

Jiona Sounce

Paul Blair

Nicky Budzynski

Bud

Known for : constantly reminding everyone how rich he is and that he was the first to pass his driving test Most Likely To Be : a dodgy Spanish salesman

Where you'll be in 2014 : still

"Have you seen my latest



Ashley Cassels

Cassels

Known for: loving the colour pink, giving hugs and huggles Most Likely To Be: the next Ellen MacArthur Where you'll be in 2014:

sailing the seven seas Quote

"Big Hugs" "who tever" "yeh but hey!



Louise Cunningham

Gold, Weezy

Known for: disappearing act from Travel and Tourism

Most Likely To Be : in rehab Where you'll be in 2014: at Vicci's

If the teacher asks, you haven't seen me



Stewart Derrick

The Incredible Hulk

Known for : Rugby, womanising and his relationship with Jack Daniels Most Likely To Be : drunk

Where you'll be in 2014: sitting











Lindsay Butcher

Known for: dancing the night

Most Likely To Be: love coach or relationship therapist

Where you'll be in 2014:

Clamour' columnist giving tips to women on men

"blah, blah, blah"

LButcher

Stewart Cochrane

Cochy, The Janny

Known for: banter, all round

Most Likely To Be: head of the

AA Where you'll be in 2014 : still

trying to pass his driving test Quote:

"HAPPENIN", "The good die young"

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Gillian Deans

Cill, Deansy

Known for : being the most outspoken person to walk on the planet

Most Likely To Be : a 3am girl Where you'll be in 2014: still working in ASDA

"aw shut up!"

Rhona Downie

Rhonda

Known for : sarcasm, hatred of school discos, being a mathematical

Most Likely To Be : lavish, loaded and luvin' it

Where you'll be in 2014 : pole dancing in LA

"I don't care what people think"

Chona Donnie





Paul Duncan

PD. The Gift

Known for : his stories that never seem to end and that take him ages

Most Likely To Be : an evil dictator Where you'll be in 2014: living in Milton trying to take over the world

"This one time and it was the best ever". "It was fantastic"



Matthew Gillies

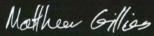
Cillies Afro man

Known for : his crazy hair and the things that live inside it, also his random silly comments

Most Likely To Be: a mad scientist who tries many times to blow up the world

Where you'll be in 2014 being set on five by Brian, or in jail Quote

"Wooahh! You have hair" (Or something equally as stupid)



Bobby Greenlaw

Van dam

Known for : comic humour Most Likely To Be: scared of Devick with a drink in him

Where you'll be in 2014: in the Jack Daniels distillery

Quote:

"It must have been reekin of foosty po!!"

Boby breaken

Gordon Harper

Known for: being afraid of the Krankies, being mad and having crazy hair

Most Likely To Be: mad and involved in extreme sports

Where you'll be in 2014 : Australia. or intensive care

"It's a shandal"



















Alison Fotheringham

Foggy, Leggings

Known for : wearing white and blue polka dot leggings in PE Most Likely To Be: the female

version of Hitler

Where you'll be in 2014: lying on a beach with Barry Ferguson, Matt from Busted or the spirit of Kurt Cobain

"That is such a fashion faux-pas", "Eh. I'm the editor!"

alexon, Jotheringhame

Hannah Gray

Hanable

Known for : huggles and poisoning the H. Chemistry class Most Likely To Be : saving the world!

Where you'll be in 2014: married to Stoo :)

Quote:

"It's Friday"

He Gray

Brian Grogan

Known for: bad attempts at hair dying, setting things on five especially Cillies

Most Likely To Be : in a crazy ska-band

Where you'll be in 2014: in hospital after attempting a crazy skateboard stunt

"You'll be getting nothing and you'll

B. Gregner

Emma Hayward

Known for : her height, her hair, her big boots and playing bass Most Likely To Be : in the 200 Where you'll be in 2014: still trying to figure out Hess's Law or in a really successful band

"Im confused", "Yeeea", "Im only little"

EARYWARD



Laura Hurren

Hurricane

Known for: ved hair, fiery temperament, and being on her phone

Most Likely To Be starring in the Banger Sisters' alongside the airlies

Where you'll be in 2014: at Big Shugs mansion Quote:

"Ya Maddy" "Im Horny" "Thingy"

Lawa Hurren

Craig Jewitt

Jewitt, Chewitt Known for: born in Wales, lives in Denny

Most Likely To Be : wherever Stewart is

Where you'll be in 2014: anywhere but Denny Quote:

"There's your Dinner"

-/all

Duncan Keith

Known for: his singing attempts at every possible opportunity, his love for the younger lady Most Likely To Be : Robbie

Williams wannabe

Where you'll be in 2014: still staving at himself in the mivror

"I have to go powder my nose", "When I go to Jura...

Duncay Leih x

Martin Lamb

Known for: extreme powering (of Fiona Makay), strategic "pulling" tactics

Most Likely To Be : a hairstylist Where you'll be in 2014: in love with a beautiful blonde ... himself!

"If donkeys were monkeys then Jesus wouldn't have got very far"



















Andrew Jarvie

Javie

Known for: mad laugh, good parties, The yellow water bottle, his charming good nature Most Likely To Be: watching

Where you'll be in 2014: an Entrepreneur similar to Richard Branson

You watched that film yet? -

Andrew Jaine

Emma Kane

Known for : evil sense of humour and her gymnastics Most Likely To Be: defending Mr Bud in court Where you'll be in 2014: still driving about with Bud Quote:

To the bat-cave

Grant Kerr

Willy Hastins, Big Mincie, Kevr Known for : volling-pin incident, duet with Mr Gordon Most Likely To Be: managing Montrose House FC (Champions) Where you'll be in 2014: running the Butchers with Geoff (Who?)

Quote:

"Dome, you textin Emma Taylov?"

Grant WH Kerr Alistair MacDougall

Known for : looking like his brother

Most Likely To Be: a 50 cent wannabe

Where you'll be in 2014: on

Quote:

"If you want an opinion - Ill give you

Algar Dougall



Stuart MacDougall

Jinky

Known for: his plastic hair, female tendencies, being sarcastic and showing off,

Most Likely To Be: a strong policeman with a string of female admirers

Where you'll be in 2014: arresting most of 6th year for various offences Quote:

"Do you know what I just realised ..."

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Fiona MacKay

Nonaz, Nona, Jake
Known for: blonde comments
Most Likely To Be: undisclosed
Where you'll be in 2014:
somewhere taking English lessons
Quote:

"When a blink a can't see",

"A umny dumb",

"This camera isnt rewindeded"



Tony Martin

To-jam,

Known for: being extremely sick at the social

Most Likely To Be: a football commentator

Where you'll be in 2014: on the football park or raidin' the fridge Quote:

"Back in two, need a munch", "I want my bed", "awrite bud"

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John-Allan McCaig

Jean

Known for: having excessive

Most Likely To Be: poker master Where you'll be in 2014 getting his hair cut

Quote:

"excellent"

Johnston 19 Eig











"Hey Roundeye"

Yasmar, Doni

Known for : wacky dreads

Most Likely To Be: on the couch Where you'll be in 2014: on the



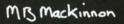
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Ramsay MacFarlane

Known for: politeness, and being an expert agony aunt Most Likely To Be: the staving vole in Holby City Where you'll be in 2014 in Thailand making people better Quote:

It will be ok





Yvonne McBride

Yvo, Y-von, Yevers

Known for: being indecisive and making people laugh

Most Likely To Be: the next
Queen of the Jungle

Where you'll be in 2014: the first ever fun accountant

Quote:

"doodoodoodoodoo, this is insania"

yourse Mysnide



Lynsay McLaren

Known for: her sun shimmer, partying, man eating and being a Smiths loyalist

Most Likely To Be: boozin', cruisin', and lisin' it up_in Kirky

Where you'll be in 2014: in Smiths
Quote:

"In a doosh"

Lyony Mary

Lauren McLaughin

Moany McLaughlin

Known for: speaking her mind,
being wild, outgoing and up for a
laugh

Most Likely To Be: on the cover of FHM

Where you'll be in 2014: travelling the world in a hippy van Quote:

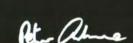
"Phone me after 9, I'm studying"



Peter McWhinnie

Pedro
Known for: going on mission
trips
Most Likely To Be: something
Where you'll be in 2014: good
job with a family
Quote:

"I don't know"



Natalie Morris

Known for: her Dior specs and artistic talent Most Likely To Be: in debt Where you'll be in 2014: married to a millionaire

Quote:

"I shop therefore I am", "Ooops"

patiellong

Christopher Nicholson

Dome, Mikkelson .

Known for: the size of his head

Most Likely To Be: Champ

Manager addict

Where you'll be in 2014:
season 2200/2201 in champ

Quote:
anythin about Phoenix Nights or Peter

Chris Nicholson

















Kirsten McLeod

Known for: giggling non stop and round the clock cheeriness, even with all those meetings to attend.

Most Likely To Be: man hunting Where you'll be in 2014: having a good time somewhere out there Quote:

"Whaaat!, I don't get it?"

RANKel

Graeme Miller

Turbo, Pig Known for: annoying everyone Most Likely To Be: drinking Jack Daniels

Where you'll be in 2014: still wondering where I am going to be!
Quote:

"Good shout"

gram Miller

Katie Morrison

Kat, K-Mo

Known for: laughing hysterically at innappropriate times

Most Likely To Be: the owner of a mini cooper

Where you'll be in 2014: shopping Quote:

"Shut up!"

Katu Manison

Mel Oakley

Known for: changing from a sweet, innocent, law abiding blonde to a dark haired rebellious, gothic socialist who spends her free time causing chaos

Most Likely To Be: an MSP for the SSP

Where you'll be in 2014: the jail for breach of the peace Quote:

"So! If you believe in it, fight for it. F••k them"

Mel. Oakley.



Colin Pearce

Known for : the hot tub Most Likely To Be: a hot tub salesman

Where you'll be in 2014: in a hot tub

Quote:

"Most people call me Colin, but you can call me Pearcey



Calinkara

Nicola Reid

Niki, Nic Known for:

her outrageous laugh and her constant attachment to her mobile phone

Most Likely To Be: a boy racers

Where you'll be in 2014: still being driven about

"You've a nutter"



Nicola Reid





Katy Rankin

Katy the Supreme

Known for: being too smart to be

Most Likely To Be: lying on a psychiatrist's couch or in surgery operating of course

Where you'll be in 2014: following in her family footsteps, being a doctor

"Lovely prefects ... I need some volunteers for ...

Kety Rankin

Beth Richardson

Known for: mischievous giggle, sillyness and cuteness.

Most Likely To Be: Jennifer Love Hewitt in Heartbreakers

Where you'll be in 2014:

ummmm . . somewhere . . erm . still

"All's fair in love and war...hehe" "Sweetiebum"

Blichardson.

Christopher Robinson

Known for: being overly helpful and his big grin Most Likely To Be: a blue Movie Star

Where you'll be in 2014: still working in Somerfield Quote:

"Hi, how are you"



Chris Robinson.

Jennifer Smith

Smithy, Jeffers, Jen Known for : being obsessed with the guys of Good Charlotte and pizza Most Likely To Be : on MSN Where you'll be in 2014: a with kids

Quote:

"Normal people scare me"





Sarah Runciman

Saz, Zenga

Known for: mood swings Most Likely To Be :t he next Julia

Where you'll be in 2014: celebrating a win at the Oscars

"The comment is.."

Sorth Ruchan

Michaela Smith

Known for: outbursts of laughter Most Likely To Be ! aughing Where you'll be in 2014: in a mental ward, telling jokes to the wall

"Oh_I've got something to tell you"

Midado Smith

Graeme Spencer

Spenny, Jim Spence Known for: being on the e-mail Most Likely To Be: still opening e-mails

Where you'll be in 2014: still at home Quote:

"Well Dougie"



Stuart Stevenson

Stuarty, Pat
Known for: paper run empire
Most Likely To Be: pro Footballer
Where you'll be in 2014: goalkeeper
for Man U and Scotland

Quote:
"finnives"



Thomas Tallo

TT
Known for: being nocturnal
Most Likely To Be: computer genius
Where you'll be in 2014; in bed
Curte:

"The less o' that, the better"

Thorse Fall

Victoria Truesdale

Known for: being quiet and shy Most Likely To Be: a mime Where you'll be in 2014: on top of a mountain looking at the stars. Quote:

"Mr McKay wasn't in his office, again!"

Victoria Truesdale

















Alistair Stevens

Ally, Sully, Stevens
Known for: quality web site
www.allystevens.com
Most Likely To Be: a multi
millionaire
Where you'll be in 2014: sitting
in front of the computer
Quote:

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"Gozi you've mad!"

Stewart Strachan

Sheep
Known for: the jumpers
(he has no sleeves)
Most Likely To Be: under 5ft
Where you'll be in 2014: on a
yellow pages behind the counter
at Debenhams
Quote:

'Slow down, there's a pole there'

S. Stuck

Sam Taylor

Samuell
Known for: mullet, mop head
Most Likely To Be: mumbling
Where you'll be in 2014: legal to
buy his first alcoholic drink
Quote:
"its not a mullet"

Buffer.

Leigh Wilson

Known for: teeny tiny writing Most Likely To Be: drunk or in the gutter

Where you'll be in 2014 in rockstar rehab or dead Quote:

"Ya muppet"

hijh Ullan



BEHIND



Editor Alison

Well done readers! You've finally reached the end of this year's jumbo sized Yearbook! We finally finished production after 7 long months of being caged into room 124, only occasionally being let out to visit the scanner, surviving on Irn Bru, Fruit Pastilles and Chomps, supplied by Mr MacRae.

Production of this year's YB was fraught with disaster - anything that could go wrong with the photos, did go wrong, and of course, there was the long running feud over who was responsible for scanning. All that is left to say is a big thanks to everyone involved and good luck to next year's team. Alison



We love each other really! Alison and Gillian (Deputy Editor)



The Editorial Team

Natalie, Alison, Mairi, Beth and Gillian were responsible for designing pages.

This team had endless lunchtime meetings, which Beth will miss dearly.



Gillian and Alison stopping mid-argument to pose for the camera!



DTP
Graeme, Ashley, Melanie and Ramsay
The DTP team have worked really
hard this year, producing
everything on the computers.



This year's dazzling cover was desgined by Natalie Morris and the excellent endsheets were produced by Ramsay MacFarlane.



Team Leaders pretending to have a meeting



Andrew ponders ways to make more money

THE SCENES



Photography Back Row; Sam, Gordon, Alistair Front Row; Katie, Kirsten, Fiona, Victoria

everything



Business

(l-r)Emma, Martin, Lindsay, Stewart, Laura, Andrew, Katy and Yvonne.

The Business team have had a great year, organising discos, selling yearbooks and getting sponsors for the YB, as well as helping with Stars In Their Eyes



DTP Leader Melanie Barrie



Business Team Leaders Emma and Andrew

taking and retaking pictures of anything and Yearbook Phrases!

Editorial

The Photography mob have been super busy

Alison: "Eh, I'm the Editor!"

Gillian: "I did the social page!"

Beth: "Graeme could you

possibly..."

Natalie "But I did the cover!"

Mairi: "I need to go to debating."

DTP

Melanie: "Scanning is not a DTP

job!"

Graeme: "It's a disaster!"

Ashley: "I have a sore head."



Photography Leader Kirsten McLeod



A yearbook member happy at his work - rare!



Alison and Mairi pretending to work



Stewart doing what he's best at, skiving and posing!



Looking a bit confused there Gillian!



Thanks!

We would like to thank everyone who has played a part in producing this Yearbook and in making it the best one yet!

We would like to say a special thank you to:

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The Publishers, especially Craig Gilchrist, for putting up with us and giving us so much help and advice.

Every one in the school for being patient with us while we were taking all the photographs.

And finally, to you, for buying the yearbook!!!!!

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