



# The Craic Monthly

## March 2017

2017 Shinty Youth

FREE

## Strathglass Shinty Youth Awards

by Jess Butler

Saturday 11th February heralded the much-anticipated Youth Shinty awards evening for Strathglass Shinty club. It was held at Cannich Community hall adjacent to the Strathglass home ground and was well attended by young and older players alike as well as families and others in the community. The hall was decorated with club memorabilia and photos of the players.

Following a welcome and introduction by Mr Jim Price, one of the youth coaches, Club President Donald Fraser then acknowledged the tremendous work put in by the youth players and coaches alike.

Jim went on to praise the youth players' efforts and achievements last season following up with an explanation of the three attributes that the coaches encourage in the Strathglass youngsters these being encouragement, enthusiasm and support for each other. He went on to say that even though Strathglass is a small club in a rural area with a sparse population, the players are very capable with an excellent attitude and that they always represent the club to the best of their ability and support each other both on and off the pitch and as such are a credit to both the club and the community.

A presentation was then made to Mike Cooper of M.C. Builders to recognise his commitment to the club and thank him for his sponsorship of the whole of the youth squad.

Thanks were then given to the three youth coaches, Jim Price, Ian McCallum and Andrew Fraser on behalf of the children, parents and club.

Donald Fraser, Club President made the presentations along with Ian McCallum and Andrew Fraser. All children received a certificate. In each age group there are also medals given each year in four categories these being for ENDEAVOUR, EFFORT and COMMITMENT, SKILLS and TECHNIQUE, and PLAYER OF THE YEAR.

The prizes were awarded as follows, Under 12's : Endeavour medal was awarded to Isla Strachan, Effort and Commitment medal to Ben McLeod, Skills and Technique to Murray Hood and the Player of the year was Finlay Liston.

Under 14's : Endeavour medal was awarded to Innes Hood, Effort and Commitment to Alistair MacLean, Skills and Technique to Thomas Maclean and the Player of the year was Niall McCallum.

Under 17's : Endeavour medal to Eddie Noble, Effort and Commitment to Angus Stobo, Skills and Technique to Sam Cooper and the player of the year was Archie Wotherspoon.

The final presentation of the Alan B Stewart Cup for the overall Young Player of the year went to Niall McCallum.



# What's on

## March

- 1 – Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm – 9pm
- 4 – Shinty (Strathglass v Caberfeigh): 230pm \*
- 6 – SACC Board Meeting: 7pm – 9pm
- 8 – Library Van: 1015am – 1130am
- 11 – Shinty (Strathglass v Strathspey): 230pm \*
- 15 – Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm – 9pm
- 16 – Whist Club: Cannich Hall 730pm – 1030pm
- 18 – Shinty (Strathglass v Lochcarron): 230pm \*
- 19 – Shinty (Strathglass Ladies v Lochaber): 230pm \*
- 25 – Shinty (Strathglass 1<sup>st</sup> v Lovat) MacTavish Cup: 230pm \*
- 29 – Library Van: Outside Cannich Bridge Primary 1015am – 1130am
- 29 – Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm – 9pm
- 29 – Community Council Meeting: Cannich Hall 730pm – 930pm

## April

- 1 – Strathglass Markets: Cannich Hall 10am – 2pm
- 1 – Shinty (Strathglass 1<sup>st</sup> v Inverness): 230pm \*
- 3 – SACC Board Meeting: 7pm – 9pm
- 8 – Shinty (Strathglass 2<sup>nd</sup> v Caberfeigh): 12pm \*
- 8 – Shinty (Strathglass 1<sup>st</sup> v Skye): 3pm \*
- 12 – Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm – 9pm
- 15 – Shinty (Strathglass 2<sup>nd</sup> v Caberfeigh): 230pm \*
- 20 – Whist Club: Cannich Hall 730pm – 1030pm

\* All Shinty fixtures/throw ups are subject to change due to weather, unforeseen circumstances etc. For further information see [www.strathglassshintyclub.co.uk](http://www.strathglassshintyclub.co.uk) or [www.facebook.com/pages/Strathglass-Shinty-Club](https://www.facebook.com/pages/Strathglass-Shinty-Club)

## Regular Events:

- Strathglass Indoor Bowling Club: Cannich Hall 1:15pm – 4:30pm every Monday
- Health Kicks Fitness: Cannich Hall 12:45pm – 2pm every Tuesday
- Black Dragon Hapkido: Cannich Hall 6:30pm – 7:30pm every Wednesday
- Junior Youth Club: Cannich Hall 6:30pm – 8:00 every Friday
- Senior Youth Club: Cannich Hall 8:00pm – 9:30pm every Friday

## Classifieds

### Wanted

### Positions Vacant

I am looking for somebody who would like to walk a dog but without the commitment of owning one. I cannot walk as far as my dog needs so would like to meet up with somebody who could take her for one or two long walks a week.

Purdy is nearly 7 years old and is a Labrador/Cocker Spaniel cross. She loves to play with children and is excellent with other dogs & cats. She has a lovely nature. There is not an ounce of malice in her.

Purdy is extremely well behaved both on or off the lead and travels so well in the car that you wouldn't know she is there. All it takes to keep her happy out on a walk is a tennis ball or Frisbee. She loves swimming too! She comes to you immediately when you call her if you come across sheep.

If interested please call Sue on 07714 337089

### For Sale

### Strathglass Markets

#### Upcoming Dates

April 1<sup>st</sup>

June 3<sup>rd</sup>

August 5<sup>th</sup>

October 7<sup>th</sup>

December 2<sup>nd</sup>

10am – 2pm

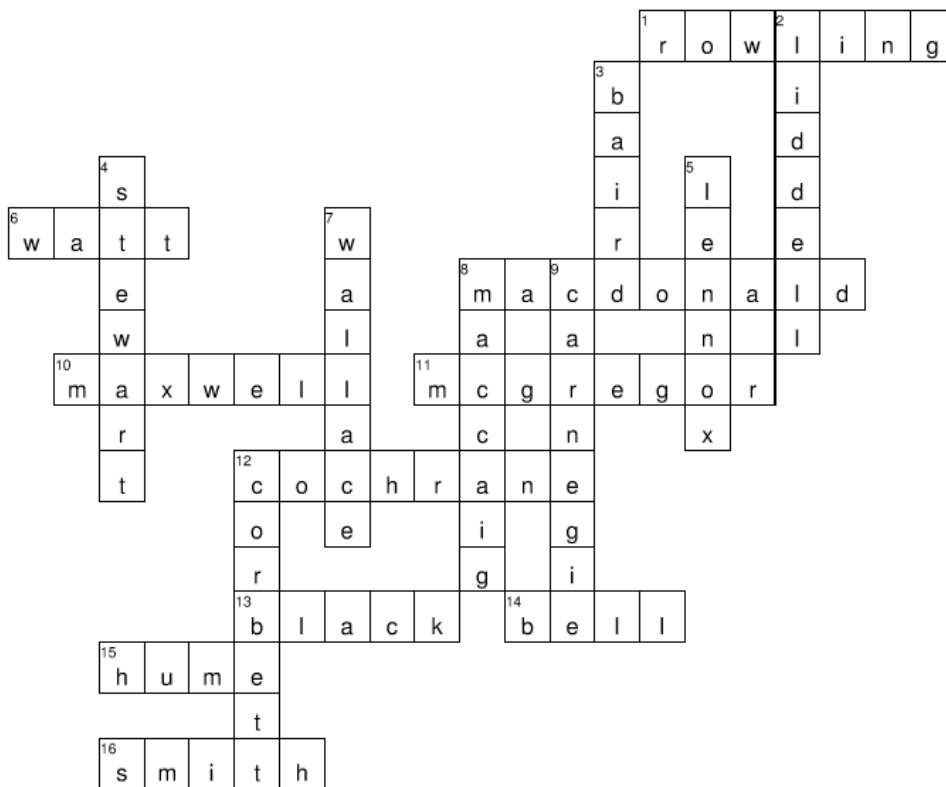
I'm not very good at games with balls and raquets, though I look quite stunning in me tennis shorts, but if stamina and speed are what I lack it's made up for by me skill in other sports.

As an ambidextrous tosser of a pancake, with a simultaneous flick of either wrist, I can volley backhand, forehand then I can make them turn and catch 'em crosshand as they twist.

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- 12. Dambusters Planner
- 13. Father of Quantitative Chemistry
- 14. Inventor of the Telephone
- 15. Philosopher
- 16. Father of Economics

**Down**

- 2. Chariots of Fire
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