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# The Craic Monthly

### November 2018

Ghoulish behaviour in Tomich

# The dragons rise

by Brad Collins



On Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> October grading took place at the Cannich Dojo (Cannich Hall) for 5 of the members of the Black Dragons group.

In a very impressive performance by all five students those in attendance were treated to a great display of skill and talent.

Thanks must go to the instructor and Sensai Kevin Shorthouse who does such a fantastic job training our children in the art of Hapkido.

So well done to all and congratulations to Jack, Sarah & Struan who all achieved their green belt; and to the two Dragon Warriors Murray who is now a blue belt and Sempai Jacob who achieved his purple belt.



# Let's beat winter

There's not much you can do to stop the cold weather, but with a few simple steps you can better prepare your home or business.

### What's on November

7 – Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm – 9pm

- 10 Shinty Club Awards: Cannich Hall
- 14 Whist Club: Cannich Hall 130pm 430pm
- 15 Whist Club: Cannich Hall 630pm 1030pm
- 21 Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm 9pm
- 28 Whist Club: Cannich Hall 130pm 430pm

### December

- 5 Strathglass Community Council: Cannich Hall 730pm 9pm
- 5 Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm 9pm
- 12 Seniors Xmas Lunch: Cannich Hall from 1200pm
- 19 Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm 9pm
- 20 Childrens Xmas Party: Cannich Hall 1pm 330pm
- 20 Whist Club: Cannich Hall 630pm 1030pm
- 31 Annual Hogmanay Party: Cannich Hall 7pm-midnight

### January

- 16 Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm 9pm
- 17 Whist Club: Cannich Hall 630pm 1030pm
- 30 Craft Club: Cannich Hall 7pm 9pm

# Wed 12th Dec 2018 Cannich Hall 12 for 12:30 pm

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If you have an event coming up let us know at the shop or email the details to shop@cannichstores.co.uk to get your event listed in our community diary.

More and more people are reading our newsletter and it's a great way to promote your event to the community.

### **Regular Events:**

Black Dragon Hapkido: Cannich Hall 6:30pm – 8pm every Wednesday

Junior Youth Club: Cannich Hall 6:30pm – 8:00 every Friday\*\*

Senior Youth Club: Cannich Hall 8:00pm – 9:30pm every Friday\*\*

GP Surgery: Cannich Hall 11:00am - 1:00pm every Thursday

GP Surgery: Cannich Hall 9:30am – 11:30am every Tuesday

Indoor Bowling: Cannich Hall 1:30pm – 4:30pm every Monday

Slainte Fitness Training: Cannich Hall 7pm every Monday

\* All Shinty fixtures/throw ups are subject to change due to weather,

unforeseen circumstances etc. For further information see www.strathglassshintyclub.co.uk

\*\* Youth Club is not held during the school holidays

#### Time is running out....

November 14<sup>th</sup> is the last day to pre-order your meat for Christmas, this year we have a great selection to choose from, drop in to the shop and place your order to ensure you don't miss out

## Whisky of the Month

This is the third in a new range of experimental whiskies from the Glenfiddich Distillery. For this experiment, Malt Master Brian Kinsman travelled to Canada to meet a renowned winemaker in Niagara. There he learned how the grapes had to be picked by moonlight at -10°C to produce the intensely sweet Icewine.

Upon his return to the Glenfiddich Distillery Brian started experimenting with several French oak Icewine casks from the Canadian winery, filling them with different Glenfiddich aged malts for up to six months. Only the rarer whiskies, those aged for 21 years, could cope with the extra Icewine intensity.

The taste is a perfect combination of both pioneering liquids, the heightened candied sweets and oakiness of Glenfiddich are complemented by mouth-watering tropical fruit notes and a luscious sweetness from the unique Icewine cask finish



Region: Speyside 70cl 43% vol

#### **Tasting Notes:**

**Nose**: A bouquet of tropical fruit and candied sweets are perfectly balanced with underlying wine notes.

**Palate**: Soft sweet notes reminiscent of candied fruit and Turkish delight develop into flavours of mouth watering lychee. The fusion of sweet flavours is soon met with a rich drying sensation from the Icewine

Finish: Short & Crisp.

### The end....

No, not the end of our little newsletter although I have thought about it (if you have contributions please let me know). It's the end of another season and from all reports it has been quite a good one for all.

The sun shone, the birds sang and the tourists came in droves. Last weekend however marked the end of the season as the cafés closed for the year and the hotels move to their winter hours. The Coach House Café in Tomich went out in great style with a fantastic BBQ hosted by the skilful staff and attended by a large group of thankful guests and customers.

To those that have ended their season enjoy your well earned break and see you next year, for the rest of us well I guess life goes on as we prepare for the colder months

