



Rained Off? Not A Chance!



Dutch Scouts defy the rain.

The sun shone in Blair Atholl on Saturday despite the rain! The International Contingents and the Scottish patrols reached their usual high standards in providing us with excellent attractions, especially food! Of course, it wouldn't have happened at all but for the fantastic effort of all the

staff to provide the resources needed. Thanks to everyone's enthusiasm it turned out a great day.

Spectacular Scouts Own Service

On Sunday morning the town of Blair Atholl awoke to the sound of bagpipes and the thundering of drums. Countless scouts and leaders majestically paraded to Blair Castle, where a Scouts Own Service was held. Although concise, it was enjoyed by everyone. Representatives of each country assembled a puzzle, symbolizing when we all come

together we can make something great! Bruce McLaren, the magnificent MacLean subcamp uncle, led the camp in song and worship. Everyone took part in the service, and helped to create a welcoming and unforgettable atmosphere.

By: Evan McNamara(Stewart),David Rankine(Stewart),Paul Everet (Subcamp Staff -MacLean)



Dawn Patrol

The people of Moray in Robertson sub-camp think the dawn patrol walk was ok, not too long or too short. They unfortunately didn't see the sun rise due to the weather. The weather wasn't brilliant and was a bit misty. They think that the weather was humid. The sleeping conditions were very cramped and not comfy and for some funny reason the tent was pitched on a hill. They also think if the weather is good the dawn patrol is a chance of a life time but if the weather is not so good it is a waste of a good nights sleep. Moray also thinks that you need to wear warm clothing, waterproofs and also walking boots along with a sleeping bag and roll mat are needed.

Riz, from Robertson sub-camp.



Although the weather here is not perfect it's a different story in Tokyo, Japan where the temp. is 81F or 27C. Wind is blowing from the south. We will be happy to ship them some of our rain for their gardens. By the time that weather reaches Blair Atholl we will have left for home.

Cailin, Robertson Sub-Camp

Top 10 List

by Chris Mable & N8 Connelly, Robertson

Things You Hear Things To Do

- 1) Fluffy Sheep Song 1) Drink Irn-Bru
- 2) Dead Skunk Song 2) Football
- 3) A Guitar Playing 3) Drink Irn-Bru
- 4) Bagpipes 4) Using a Diablo
- 5) Boom Chick A Boom 5) Play In The Mud
- 6) Inspection in 5 Minutes! 6) Use Duct Tap
- 7) Why? 7) Trading
- 8) I'm Hungry 8) Drink Irn-Bru
- 9) Minging 9) Chopping Wood
- 10) How You Doin? 10) Go To The Kross

Dear Auntie Freeze

Q- I'm searching for a girlfriend but I'm so very ugly. What can I do?

Ragina Vagna, Robertson

A- Sorry, but if you are so ugly, you'll never get an earth girl, only an alien girl.

Q- Hello. I'm looking nice but I'm smelling very terrible. How can I get a girlfriend?

Mozart, Mac Donald

A- Oh dear! You have to wash yourself or you'll never get any friend, perhaps eat some garlic and breathe all over them! That would be sexy!

Q- Hi. My boyfriend is so nice but I'm so ugly. I feel so miserable. What can I do?

Sahra U., Steward

A- Is your boyfriend called Jobannes? If so, he's nice and ugly also. So you are perfect match.

Thoughts

If Con is the opposite of Pro, is Congress the opposite of Progress?

Why are things transported by ships called cargo, and things transported by cars called shipments?

By: Evan McNamara (Stewart)

Big Brother Updates

As you may or may not know Tim was evicted from the Big Brother House on Friday.
If you haven't been following the series here's some info about the remaining four housemates:

ALEX- Fave Food- Kangaroo
Fave Film- A Clockwork Orange
Fave Book- Oliver Twist

JADE - Fave Food-Kebabs
Fave Film-Rush Hour
Enjoys- Shopping, being healthy and gossiping (*We've noticed!* - Ed.)

JONNY- Lives- Newcastle
Fave Book- Treasure Island
Enjoys- smoking and relaxing in the sauna

KATE- Lives - Kent
Fave Film- True Romance
Enjoys- Listening to Madonna and going out with friends

Cailin, Robertson Subcamp

HELP - LOST.

Lost 2 very special woggles.

One gold with BP House

One wood with American pin in middle.

If found please return to **Uncle Bruce at MacLean Camp**

Reward of a very rare Canadian Badge

Thank you.

IN THE KROSS TONIGHT:

THE SIMPSONS 7-8PM

DISCO 8.15PM - 10PM

A day in the life of a Blair Atholl Scout

5:30- Wake up to find last night's rain practically smothering you into suffocation.

6:00- Wake up once again to hear loud birds or John Perrie cussing.

7:39- Wake up for the hopefully last time to get dressed as a leader is shouting at you to get up.

7:45- Shout at patrol with disgusting tasting and smelling morning breath as nastily as possible for no logical reason at all.

7:47- Brush teeth.

8:30- Eat Breakfast if that's what you want to call it.

9:00- Shout at patrol again to tell them to get ready for inspection when you're not even ready yourself.

9:35- Praise patrol for having a fairly good inspection, or if you're Angus in Stewart for winning once again.

10:15- Have fun or get wet, miserable and muddy at activities.

13:00- Forget about the fact that your hands are caked with mud and eat lunch where you get your hands even more dirty for the next activity.

14:15 Go for activities once again for hopefully a better time than you had before.

16:40- Shout at John Perrie for being who he is and try to light a fire for dinner.

17:40- Still trying to light fire.

18:00- Barely get first spark.

18:40- Shout at patrol for fighting over who has to do dishes.

18:45- Pick up broken dishes off of the mud.

19:00- Find pals and once again yell at John.

23:10- Discover that you no longer have a voice while trying to shout at patrol for dragging mud into the tent.

23:20- Finally lay head down on rock hard fluffy pillow just to do the whole thing again tomorrow.

By- Susan Vines and Taylor Williams Stewart Subcamp.

Happy Birthday to the following people	
Matthew Spencer	Activities
Russell Hewton	Activities
Lynzie Mack	Activities
Tom Fernie	Activities
Rory Forsyth	Morrison
Paul Arhe Klinge	Stewart
Ryan Bain	Stewart
Dawn Scott	Stewart
Cameron McKenzie	Stewart
Stephanie Riccabana	MacLean

Uncle Profile Bruce McLaren

Loved by everyone who knows him but more so himself
Has a terrible sense of humour, Heavenly god-like powers, and a Mass of Massive Armies (unfortunately being so short he can't lead at the head of his army; they can't see him.)
Favourite drink is a quadruple malt whisky.
Loves Photography, Travelling, "Cruising", Promiscuity, Rock & Roll, and Dwile-Flunking (Don't Ask, Don't Tell)
Favourite subcamp is Murray
is 52 or 53 years of age according to carbon dating
his mental age is... Do you really want to know?

Written by Paul Everett by Taylor Williams

Sunday in the Subcamp (Robertson)

Der Tag fing damit an, dass wir 2 Stunden laenger ausschlafen durften. Wir standen erst um 9.30 auf. Somit verschob sich auch das Flagbreak auf 10.30. Die Inspektion fiel aus und wir konnten uns endlich waschen.

Um 11.00 machte sich das ganze Camp auf den Weg zum Blair Castle um dort Lieder zu singen. Danach gingen wir wieder zum Camp, wo uns Uncle Fraser ein leckeres Mittagessen spendierte.

Um 13.30 fingen die National Games an, wo jedes Land ein bekanntes Spiel vorstellte. Dies war leider nicht jedermanns Geschmack und einige Scouts verkruemmten sich irgendwo. Danach gab es im Camp noch ein BBQ, welches von den Leitern vorbereitet wurde.

Am Abend fand im Kross ein Event statt: "Ceilidh in the Kross". Hierbei konnte man Schottische Taeuze lernen.

Allgemein kann man sagen, dass der Tag allen gefallen hat, da ausnahmsweise auch das Wetter mitgespielt hat.

Andre Ragnar Hendrik (Robertson)

The capacity to learn is a *gift*
The ability to learn is a *skill*
The willingness to learn is a *choice*

N8 Connelly, Robertson

How to be the best Subcamp staff:

- 1) Have weird names
- 2) Be able to tell bad jokes
- 3) Be able to act younger than the scouts
- 4) Have big bellies
- 5) Have Sully as there mascot
- 6) Know how to have a great time
- 7) Good cooks
- 8) Always there if you need a chat
- 9) Caring
- 10) Belong to the Stewart subcamp!

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"Where's the nearest McDonalds?"