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June 2016



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GreenbankParish
CHURCH

at the heart of the **community**

Parish Register

DEATHS

12/4/16 Mrs Rita Ronaldson, 8 Shaw Court, Newton Mearns
24/4/16 Mr J. Gordon Hamilton, 33 Mearns Road, Clarkston
30/4/16 Mrs Anna Fraser, 203 River Court, Busby Road, Clarkston
3/5/16 William Allan, 141 Greenwood Road, Clarkston

*Dependent on your bounteous breath, we seek your grace alone,
In every stage of life and death, to keep us still your own"*

NEW MEMBERS

Neil McGeoch and Kirsty McKay joined Greenbank on 27th March 2016.

Neil and Kirsty live in Stamperland. Kirsty works as a hairdresser/ beautician in her salon at Williamwood and Neil is a joiner/builder who runs his own business. They are both very busy at work so enjoy their holidays when time allows. Their most recent holiday was in America where they drove Route 66. They commented that it was a fantastic experience, which they will remember for a very long time. They have a wee dog called Leo who keeps them active. They enjoy taking him long walks at the weekend. Neil and Kirsty are getting married in November and are therefore spending every spare moment planning the big day. We wish them well and look forward to meeting them at church.

WEDDING

Pamela Carruthers and Graham McCulloch on 1st April 2016

Pamela and Graham had a magical day. They were introduced at Graham's nephew's christening at which Pamela was godmother. Pamela's bridesmaids were Pamela's older sister, Amanda, younger sister, Emma, cousin Laura and the friend who introduced them, Jennifer. Graham's best man was his brother Andy and the ushers were seven of his best friends whom he'd known since school: Ryan, Shan, Gary, Paul, Mark, and David and Michael (who both flew over from LA to be there). Pamela and Graham's wedding took place at the City Halls. Afterwards they spent a few nights on the Isle of Skye. In August they will honeymoon, driving down the west coast of America. They live in a flat in Shawlands. They commented that the most memorable part of their day was definitely the service. "It was beautiful and very personal and we couldn't wipe the smiles (or tears) from our faces. This was enhanced by the fact that Jeanne has been a great family friend for many years so we were delighted she was able to marry us!"

PULPIT DIARY

3 rd June	4.00pm	Messy Church
	7.30pm	Preparatory Service
5 th June	10.30am	Sacrament of Holy Communion & Sunday Club (in halls)
	3.00pm	Sacrament of Holy Communion
	6.30pm	All Age Communion
12 th June	10.30am	Worship (with Sunday Club prize giving)
19 th June	10.30am	Worship (with Rev. Esther Ninian) & Film Club for children
26 th June	10.30am	Worship (with Rev. John Campbell) & Film Club for children

*Please note that from **3RD JULY UNTIL 14TH AUGUST** our Sunday morning worship will take the form of an **ALL AGE FAMILY SERVICE THAT WILL COMMENCE AT 10AM** and will last approximately 40 minutes.

Dear Friends,

Summer holiday time is almost upon us and if you are having a holiday at home or away from home, I hope you have a lovely time this year. For the church, summer brings a change of pace as well as a change of seasons. Most of the organisations and groups that meet in the church halls during the winter months stop until the autumn. The summer weeks provide opportunities for leaders and helpers to look back and think about the success of their group and consider where changes could possibly be made in the future. In that respect our life as a church is similar.

I thought you would like to know that good progress is being made on our Legacy for Future Generations project. Members of the Kirk Session are working with an architect and a quantity surveyor to consider options for our property assets. This is being considered within the context of our purpose as a church, the needs of our community and how we can best serve these needs. It will be after the summer before proposals emerge and at that time the congregation will be consulted before any final decisions are taken.

Meanwhile, as a result of consultations that have already taken place, the Kirk Session is piloting three new initiatives and is looking forward to receiving feedback:

Bookbug – The first pilot session took place on Thursday 5th May and was blessed with 14 mums/grans and 20 children between 3 months and 5 years. This was led by trained volunteers from the Kirk Session. The half hour session began with songs, rhymes, stories, games, bubbles and lots of fun. Feedback was excellent and everyone enjoyed staying on to have a coffee together.

Youth Club – The pilot for this is scheduled to begin in the autumn for the P7 to S3 age group on Saturday nights. This will depend on the success of grant applications to meet the cost of two part-time leaders and a rota of suitable volunteers from the congregation.

During the 6 weeks of the school holidays this year our Sunday worship will take the form of All Age Family Services. These services will begin at 10am and last 40-45 minutes. If the weather is good this will allow everyone to get away for the rest of the day, at a reasonable time, after coming to church. If you are at home this summer I hope you will come along.

I am thankful for the considerable thought and effort of the Kirk Session at this time and look forward to seeing how the new initiatives and plans for the future develop after the summer months.

As we all spend time relaxing and hopefully enjoying some good weather this summer, perhaps we could take a little time to think about the kind of Church we hope to see here at Greenbank in the future.

So may God help us all to rest within His love that He might renew and refresh us, so that we can better serve Him, in the new session ahead.

A blessed summer to you all,

Yours,



**Everyone from the congregation
is warmly invited to the Service of Installation of
Rev Jeanne N. Roddick
as Moderator of the Presbytery of Glasgow
on Sunday 26th June 2016 at 7pm
in Greenbank Parish Church
Refreshments will be served afterwards in the church halls**

What's On

THE LUNCH CLUB

By the time Good Neighbour is distributed, the Lunch Club will have held its last meeting of the 2015 - 2016 session, but we hope to welcome everyone back again on Friday 30th September.

It has been another successful year with large quantities of soup and filled rolls, tea and coffee, not to mention the odd biscuit, being enjoyed by many. Then there is all the chatter that accompanies the eating - perhaps that is the most important part!

The club has a small nucleus of individuals who regularly give their time to make and serve the food. Without this dedicated group, the club could not function so a big "thank you" to them all. However, there is no point in preparing lunch if no one comes to consume it, so on behalf of everyone in the team, a vote of thanks to all our loyal customers for your continued support. Maureen and Jan

WALKING GROUP PROGRAMME - 2016

The Walking Group programme for 2016 is shown below.

New members will be warmly welcomed. Come along and enjoy the fresh air and good company.

All walks are on Saturdays except 20th November which is a Sunday.

We leave from the Church at the times shown:

18 th June	Strathaven	10am
9 th July	Isle of Arran	8am
20 th August	West Highland Way (from Mllngavie)	10am
17 th September	Maidens to Culzean	9.30am
15 th October	Water of Leith	9am
20 th November	Clyde Walkway (Glasgow)	1pm

For further information contact Allan McLaren (639-5848) or Douglas Paterson (638-6350)

THE WALKING GROUP

Our second walk of the year was to Lochwinnoch on Saturday 23 April. We met as usual outside the church and "car shared" to the visitor centre beside Castle Semple Loch. In the morning we walked beside the Loch and through the woods to the ruined collegiate church. We returned towards the start along the old railway track, which is now a cycle track to a suitable stop with tables to eat our lunch.

In the afternoon we walked up through the village to the Parkhill Woodland Trails. The trees were just coming into leaf and we stopped at the viewpoint overlooking the loch before looping round to re-join our earlier path back to the visitor centre for a well-earned cup of tea.

Our next walk is to Strathaven on 18th June, and we walk on Saturday about once a month. We are always happy for new "walkers" to join us.

Simon Walker (644 5582)

GREENBANK PARISH STRIDERS (G.P.S.) NEED YOUR TRAINERS!

With you wearing them of course! We're not Paula Radcliffe, Mo Farah, or even Jessica Ennis! But we enjoy our running, jogging, strolling and **STRIDING**. We meet outside the church on a Monday evening at 6.30pm, and then do a sociable run of anywhere between 2 miles and 10k. (That latter distance is of course a way to con you into doing 6 miles!). No, seriously, we are not serious; we run for fun. And we run at any speed, for any distance, depending on what the vote is amongst those who turn up. No pressure, no timing, just a pleasant light training run, with lots of chat on route . . . unless of course you prefer not to talk. That's OK too. So what do you say? Try it one Monday and see how you like it?

Hope to see you soon,

Alan Veitch (0787 212 4023)

TUESDAY EVENING WALKING GROUP

We meet at 7pm sharp in front of the church for a friendly walk (approx. 3 miles) which usually takes us an hour. We are a friendly, chatty, group so if you would like to come along you would be most welcome.

Evelyn Clelland (07762 065507)

A FUNDRAISING EVENING FOR ETHIOPIA

F3 ENTERTAINMENTS PRESENTS: "KIM SINGS ADELE FOR LALIBELA"

Thursday 9th June at 7.30pm in Cathcart Castle Golf Club, Mearns Road including a raffle and silent auction.

Tickets, £10, from June Alexander (644 2682).

GREENBANK CHURCH BOWLS TOURNAMENT 2016

Entries are invited from previous players and new players to take part in the annual bowls tournament, which will be held at Giffnock Bowling Club on **Saturday, 25th June starting at 2 pm**. The format will be teams of triples to be selected by the organisers. Your entries should be sent to Bill Robertson on 585 0008 or to Sadie Gould on 571 8808 by 18th June at the latest. Entry will be £5, which will include afternoon tea.

CLARKSTON COMMUNITY CHOIR

Come along and join the Clarkston Community Choir for a fantastic night of songs, from Elton John to the Beach Boys they'll be sure to get your toes tapping! Joining the choir in their second summer concert are special guests, the Williams Jazz Quartet, and singer, Ailie Anderson. The concert takes place at 7.30pm on the 1st June in Greenbank Parish Church. Tickets cost £5 (includes tea & coffee after the concert).

SOLAS FESTIVAL 16

Scotland's midsummer festival of music and arts, including live music, cinema, poetry, visual art, performance and family-friendly fun.

The Bield, Tibbermore, near Perth, 17th – 19th June 2016.

This year's festival theme is "Beyond Borders", challenging the concept of boundaries, from freedom of movement and the physical borders experienced by the refugees, to some of the "borders" that are a part of daily life for all of us, be they social, political, economic, spiritual or cultural. Tickets can be booked on the solas website (currently cheaper early bird tickets are also available).

For more information please contact the festival manager, Jill Smith (07761911761) or e-mail: jill@solasfestival.co.uk or at www.solasfestival.co.uk

PRAISE 2016 GATHERING "CALLED TO WORSHIP"

Saturday 25th & Sunday 26th June at Glasgow Royal Concert Hall, 7.30pm

Tickets now on sale at Box Office: www.glasgowconcerthalls.com 0141 353 8000

More information: www.praisegathering.org.uk

Just for Laughs

To keep you chuckling over the summer. Seems to be a general theme! (with thanks to Ellie Murphy)

- Eight new choir robes are currently needed due to the addition of several new members and to the deterioration of some older ones.
- Next Thursday will be try outs for the choir. They need all the help they can get.
- The Church will host an evening of fine dining and hospitality.
- Potluck supper Sunday at 5pm. Prayers and medication to follow.

MESSY CHURCH FRIDAY 3RD JUNE, 4PM – 6PM

For more details, to book a place or offer help, please phone/text Lorna Preece at 07970192541 or email: messygreenbank@gmail.com

News and Updates

ED LINES

Hi Folks,

We have recently had my mum's friends visiting from Canada. She met them years ago when they were revisiting the area as Muriel (nee Johnston another coincidence!) had been born in Fereneze Avenue. It transpired it was the same house in which Susan Johnston used to stay! Small world! I was talking to Graham McCulloch who was married last month (see parish register). We discovered that not only did I know his Gran but his mum had been my Sunday School teacher. Small world! In the days of social media, it is easy to see how small the world actually is. The number of mutual friends I share is amazing - friendships that cross towns, countries and even continents. It's a small world. Many times, when on holiday, I have met people only to discover they are friends of friends or know people I know. I'm sure many of you will have had similar experiences. It's a small world. So this year, when you go on holiday, whether near or far, by plane, train or automobile, you might meet some new friends. Friends that have links, however tenuous, threads that are however slender, will bind us together. They remind us of folk we know and bring us back to where we belong. It is a small world after all.

Have a good summer,

Alison

ARTICLES FOR THE SEPTEMBER ISSUE OF GOOD NEIGHBOUR SHOULD BE SUBMITTED BY SUNDAY 14TH AUGUST PLEASE

Congratulations John Baird who celebrated a big birthday.

Won't tell you his age; let's just say he won't see 69 again!!

THANK YOU

A heartfelt word of thanks to Alison Harvey, Gillian Foy and all their wonderful volunteers/helpers at the Polar Explorer Holiday Club which took place during the Easter holidays. My granddaughter had a most wonderful week at the club enjoying all the games, crafts and activities that were laid on for all the children; especially helping to make the amazing igloo and sliding down the "water chute"- new friends were made as well as seeing old friends. The time and effort put in by Alison, Gillian and their helpers is very much appreciated by parents and grandparents and enjoyed by all the children - Sophie has already asked if there will be another club so roll on next year's . . . hopefully?

Sandra Williams

THE GUILD

The Echo Meeting of the Guild will take place in Clincarthill Church on Thursday, 2nd June at 7.30pm.

The speaker will be the Rev. John Miller.

Enid Dron [Secretary]

NATIONAL YOUTH ASSEMBLY 2016

NYA will now take place on 19th – 22nd August NOT 12th – 15th August as originally advertised. The event is held at Gartmore House near Stirling, beginning at 5pm on Friday 19th and ending at 5pm on Monday 22nd August. If you are aged 17 to 25 inclusive and are interested in voicing your opinions and actively participating in decision making within the Church of Scotland as well as connecting with other Christians please contact the minister on 644 1395. The discussion topics this year will be "Gender Justice", "Mental Health" and "The Future of Ministry and Fresh Expressions". Free coach travel to/from Stirling will be provided.

B.B. QUEEN'S BADGE - IT IS WORTH THE EFFORT

From 1986 to the present day, of the 326 boys who have passed through the Company Section, 155 boys gained their President's Badge 118 of whom went on to attain their Queen's Badge. In the same period, 68 Bronze, 20 Silver and 2 Gold Duke of Edinburgh were also achieved. As a member of the Glasgow Battalion Training Committee, I have seen 1,198 boys from throughout the country gain their Queen's Badge. This has only been made possible by the commitment of the Company Staff, parents and last but not least the boys themselves. We wish to encourage the younger boys coming through the company to remain and achieve the highest award possible. While we appreciate the support of the parents, the main effort must come from the boys themselves. It is hard work, requiring dedication and time when other pursuits may distract, but it is well worth the effort. Having the President's or Queen's Badge on your CV tells anyone interested that you are capable of making such an effort or commitment.

John T Baird

223RD BOY'S BRIGADE AWARDS

Trophies:

Anchor Boys

Drew Jardine Trophy Hamish Turnbull

Junior Section

The A S McCorquodale Steven Carswell

Best Senior Sebastian Mansell

Best Intermediate Kerr Sharples

Best Junior Edward Gow

Sportsman Jamie Collins

Competitions Leo Wearing

Board Games

Junior Leo Wearing

Intermediate

Senior

Samuel Gemmell

Steven Carswell

Company Section

Queen's Men

Callum Gallagher

Andrew Gibb

Craig Henderson

Marc Low

Calum McInnes

Fraser O'Neil

Michael Paton

ANCHOR BOYS

16 boys took part in our display. We promoted 7 boys to the Junior Section: Hamish Turnbull, Rory Turnbull Dylan Lindsay, Callum Howieson, Reece Canning, Aaron Muir and Rio Strong.

The night consisted of three activities and all 16 boys received their P1, P2 & P3 badges and Lego. The top award, the Drew Jardine trophy, was awarded to the boy who through 3 years of attending the Anchor Boys best showed the traits of the Boy's Brigade: following the Christian faith by being thoughtful, kind and considerate to others. This top award went to Hamish Turnbull.

As we have promoted 7 boys to the Junior Section we desperately need more P1s after the school break to bring up the numbers. We start back on Thursday 8th September at 18.30pm.

I would like to thank all the staff for their continued support throughout the year. I couldn't run the section without their help.

Stephen Bisset

OIC 223rd Anchor Boys

ECO-CONGREGATION SCOTLAND

On Saturday 23rd April I attended the Eco-Congregation Annual Gathering at St. Ninian's Cathedral in Perth. Keynote speakers were Stuart Housden, Director of RSPB Scotland and Andy Lester, Conservation Director for the Christian environmental charity A Rocha UK.

The consensus of opinion was that we must lower our carbon footprint, not relying on wasting our world's resources. We must consider very carefully when we come to the point of replacing items at home and in the Church. For example where possible Churches should look at replacing fossil fuel sources with systems such as air and ground heat pumps, solar power etc. as well ensuring that buildings are properly insulated. One speaker expressed his concern that his grandson might not hear the first cuckoo in spring and not know what he has missed. I hope that our descendants will not have to ask "why didn't we do more?"

Grace Paterson

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY GREENBANK WINTER FAIR

The date of the Fair this year will be Saturday, 12th November 2016 from 10.00 am - 1.00 pm.

The success of the Fair is dependent on the continued support of the congregations, organisations and friends.

The usual stalls will be there:

- Christmas Tea Room
- Home Baking Stall
- Christmas Stall (including festive arrangements and bulbs)
- Bric-a-Brac
- Unwanted Gift Stall
- Toiletries
- Christmas Gift Bags (gift to be value of no less than £2.00 to be placed in Christmas Gift Bag)
- Pocket Money Stall
- Toy Stall and Children's Books
- Book Stall
- Christmas Hamper
- Bottle Stall

As in previous years we would ask for donations for the above stalls which can be brought to the Church anytime from now or contact any of the undernoted who will be happy to collect.

In addition to the above stalls there will be Face Painting/Nail Painting/Tattoos, a Human Fruit Machine and Guess the Birthday and Guess Weight of Cake, plus an opportunity to win some super prizes in a raffle.

Once again we thank you in advance for your support.

Anna Martin (644 0972) Eleanor Johnstone (577 0335) Elizabeth Cross (638 5162)

STAMPS AND POSTCARDS

The need for these goes on. All contributions welcome.

Where the money goes? For stamps, the scheme is run by the Church of Scotland World Mission. This year the money will go to the Protestant church of South India to support their ecological programmes such as harvesting and re-use of rainwater. There is a poster describing the work on the notice board in the Hall of Friendship.

Old stamps are wanted too. I will be happy to advise anyone who has an old collection and does not know if it has any value.

I have not heard yet where the money raised for postcards will be going this year but will advise in due course.

Duncan McIntyre (01355 260068)

CHRISTIAN AID

The 36th Annual Art Exhibition held in the Carmichael Halls in March resulted in profits of about £4,200 from the sales of paintings from local and invited artists. Thanks to all who attended the event and who worked hard in support of this effort in so many different ways.

At the time of writing, the annual door to door collection for Christian Aid week is about to get under way. This is the biggest part of the income gathered by Christian Aid during the year, and the help of all the collectors and counters at Greenbank is much appreciated. A huge thank you is due to all our volunteers for all the effort that it takes to distribute, collect and count the contents of the envelopes. I am particularly grateful for the assistance, this year, of the JAM group for their help in preparing the collector packs. I will keep you posted, through the intimations, once the collection figures become available.

Mark Allan

Ron Livingston

LODGING HOUSE MISSION

The annual sponsored cycle to raise funds for the Lodging House Mission will take place on Saturday, 6th August. This is a provisional date and confirmation and further details will appear via intimations. At the moment I understand that the event will start from Glasgow Green and will end at the Lodging House Mission on East Campbell Street. Please consider supporting this event either by taking part or by sponsoring church participants. Once further details are available I will be seeking sponsorship on behalf of our participants. Thank you in anticipation of your support.

Alison Allan (638 3916)

OUR NEW WEBSITE

Have you looked at our new website? A member of our congregation, Fraser Simpson, has produced a modern, vibrant and highly informative website for us. Visit on www.greenbankglasgow.org.uk.

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to Fraser for all his hard work in designing the site and for agreeing to keep it up to date. It is also proving a great way for the church and its clubs to reach the community. To that end, if you are involved with a club and would like to add to the content of your page, please contact Fraser on webmaster@greenbankglasgow.org.uk

EASTWOODHILL CARE HOME

The recent Coffee Morning/Sale held in Giffnock South Church Halls in aid of Eastwoodhill raised £1,375. This will mean that the Friends of Eastwoodhill Group can purchase a new mobility chair, which will make life easier for staff and residents. The Friends want to thank all who contributed to the success of the day, whether by attendance, purchase of tickets, taking part in the quiz, donations of goods or baking or help on the day. Special thanks from me to Greenbankers Anne Jaap and Elizabeth Wishart who served in the tearoom.

The Friends run various activities in Eastwoodhill such as games afternoons as well as raising money.

Currently there are 31 residents. The staff members have been kept even busier than usual recently as the lift was out of commission for maintenance. As there are some residents on both floors and some cannot manage stairs, the upstairs lounge had to serve as dining room too, involving a lot of furniture moving and carrying of food. They seem to have coped admirably and are prepared to do it again as it has been decided that a new lift is required.

Greenbank and the other Church of Scotland churches in the area also take part in the home's Sunday services. A small team from Greenbank holds the service three times a year.

Liz Allan

FLOWER LIST FOR JUNE & JULY 2016

	<u>Communion Table</u>	<u>Centenary Chapel</u>	<u>Side Windows</u>
5 th June	Communion	Aileen McKinlay	Communion
12 th June	Jan Christie	Christine Britton	
19 th June	Fay Thomson		
26 th June	Christine Baird	Jean Gailey	The Howard Family
3 rd July	Anne Margetts	Alison Harvey	
10 th July	Anne Smith	Betty Ritchie	Diane Adam
17 th July	C. Cairns	Rachel Mackay	
24 th July	Margaret Miller		
31 st July	C. Black		

The Flower Lists for 2016 are on the transept windows; you are invited to put your name and telephone number on a list to donate flowers on the date of your choice. A member of the Flower Committee will contact you during the week prior to this date.

PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAYERS FOR HEALING

If you need prayer for yourself, a loved one or a friend please use the Greenbank Church Card [see reverse side] which can be found at the end of the church pews, and place it in the box at the front door of the church. Alternatively, prayer requests can be given to our Minister, Rev. Jeanne Roddick.

Those for whom prayers have been requested will be prayed for at the monthly at the Prayers for Healing Service and throughout the month by members of the Prayer Group.

BOOKBUG BOOKS

Bookbug Sessions have been running on Thursday mornings at 9.30 for a month now. A healthy number of parents and carers have been bringing along their babies and toddlers to sing songs, join in rhymes and listen to stories, led enthusiastically by Elizabeth Wishart and her team. The feedback from those attending has been very complementary and they have asked that the sessions continue beyond the initial pilot. Normally these sessions take place in libraries and nurseries where stocks of books are available for the children to read and look at. Obviously this is not the case in Greenbank –yet. So if you have books suitable for babies and toddlers that you no longer require and wish to donate, please leave them in the church office or the box in the Hall of Friendship. The children and the team would be very grateful.

SAINSBURY'S ACTIVE KIDS VOUCHERS

Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers are being collected by John Meek for B.B. equipment.

There is a designated box in the Hall of Friendship. As the date for redemption is approaching could you give John any remaining vouchers as soon as possible. Thank you.

ADVERTISING INITIATIVE

Over the last few years, the Good Neighbour has been running adverts in the centre page, which has provided important income for the Church. We have two adverts fewer this year due to recent shop closures and the increase in businesses using social media to advertise their products. Can we appeal to members of the congregation using those who advertise with us to let them know that you have seen their advert in the Good Neighbour. If you know of anyone or any company who would like to take the opportunity of advertising, please let us know.

Val Scholfield (638 2146) Alison Harvey (638 3679)

(Greenbank Church will not be held responsible for any contracts negotiated by or on behalf of any person purchasing or receiving services provided by our sponsors.)

BUSHIDO KARATE

It is with great pleasure that I announce that Chris McCabe from our Greenbank Club achieved his Black Belt which has been down to all his hard work and dedication to the art. On the night he showed great technique, true spirit and courage in front of one of the highest grading panels in Scotland. We continued our Competition success with Nicola Micklejohn achieving Bronze and Simon Christie – silver at the Wishaw Open. I would also like to give a special mention to Lachlan Spencer in the junior category who is showing great promise in the competition scene. He has a great future.

Our new beginner's class had a great response with a good mix of adults and juniors joining our great Association.

Finally, we have more gradings in June for our KYU grades and all our students are preparing themselves. Kyū is a Japanese term used in modern martial arts to designate various grades, levels or degrees of proficiency or experience. Coloured belts are worn by Kyu grades: white-orange-red-yellow-green-purple-purple&white-brown(1st),-brown(2nd)- brown & white.

In modern Japanese martial arts, **kyū**-level practitioners hold the ranks below **Dan** or Black Belt.

Best wishes for the summer.

John Elliot

Bushido Karate Association Chairman

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ANNUAL JUMBLE SALE

Saturday 11th June 2016

10am – 12noon

GREENBANK PARISH CHURCH

EAGLESHAM ROAD, CLARKSTON, GLASGOW, G76 7DJ

The boys can collect jumble from Tuesday 7th June until Friday 10th June between 7pm & 9.30pm.
If you have large items you wish us to uplift, call the church halls on 644 4878 to arrange collection.

Alternatively, items can be handed in to the Church from 9am-12noon or 1pm-3pm
Tuesday to Friday.

*Unfortunately, we are unable to accept any large electrical goods i.e. box TV sets, washing machines, cookers, fridges. We are also unable to accept beds due to new regulations. **We CAN take slim TVs.***

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

The 223rd Boys Brigade would be grateful for help with all aspects of the event.

**If you can help, please fill in the form below and return it to
John Meek, 34 Eaglesham Road, Clarkston, Glasgow, G76 7DJ
or telephone 0141 644 2839**

Day	Morning 9-11am	Afternoon 1-3pm	Evening 7-10pm
Tuesday 7 th			
Wednesday 8 th			
Thursday 9 th			
Friday 10 th			
Saturday 11 th			

If you can supply transport, please use the following form.

Day	CAR	VAN	LORRY
Tuesday 7 th			
Wednesday 8 th			
Thursday 9 th			
Friday 10 th			
Saturday 11 th			

Name	Address	Tel. no.

THE COVER

The June cover is usually a photograph of a place in Scotland on a sunny day. Last year it was Dornoch where Greenbankers spent happy times on summer mission. This year it is Arran. Why? Because when I joined Greenbank and conversation turned to holidays, it seemed that the whole church decamped to Arran for the summer. I still hear wistful reminiscences about summers spent there as children, as well as those with children and grandchildren and know many of you still enjoy a week or two on 'Scotland in miniature'. Happy holidays wherever you go.

(Jill Liddell)



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