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Find out what we are doing to support Children & Young People of the Armed Forces Highland Community

Armed Forces Community

The Black Watch, 3rd Battalion The Royal Regiment of Scotland

(3 SCOTS)

3 SCOTS are currently based in Fort George. We are currently are a Light protected mobility Infantry unit. WE have been based in Fort George since 2008 and have an established link within the Inverness community. We are currently the United Kingdom stand by Battalion (UKSB) and are on high readiness to deal with any incident within the United Kingdom.

51st HIGHLAND, 7th Battalion The Royal Regiment of Scotland (7SCOTS)

7 SCOTS are one of two Reserve Infantry Battalions of the Royal Regiment of Scotland. They recruit from the largest recruiting area in the UK, with soldiers coming from as far south as Dumbarton to Caithness in the north. From the east in Aberdeen and as far west as the Outer Hebrides. In the Highlands is C Company with its headquarters in Inverness with locations in Elgin and Stornoway. Although C Company have three locations their soldiers come from right across the Highlands and Islands.



What's happening in Highland Schools This issue Raigmore Primary

Raigmore Primary

Sadly, we said goodbye to a few of our Families at the end of last term; watching many of our Raigy children move on to pastures new. We always try to send the children off with plenty of fond memories, lots of good luck wishes and a school sweatshirt signed with colourful messages. More importantly, however, we send them off in the knowledge that they are special and were valued greatly. We make a "Special Person" certificate for each leaver which describes all the reasons why they were special to us and why they will continue to shine!

<u>Click here</u> to visit the Highland Armed Forces Website or visit <u>www.highland.gov.uk</u> and search "Armed Forces"

School/Nursery: Enrolment Forms Let your school know if your child (s) is from a Serving, Reservist or Veteran family. If we know—we have a greater understanding of your child and how best to ensure their time at school is the best

Training Opportunity Training for Education staff The Emotional Cycles of Separation Contact: Iouise.kinnear2@highland.gov.uk

> getting it right for every child

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Army Welfare Service

The Army Welfare Service is the Army's professional welfare provider; it delivers a comprehensive and confidential welfare service responsive to the needs of individuals and families and the Chain of Command in order to maximize the operational effectiveness of our service Personnel.

This year we have been involved in the Tri—service Youth Voice programme and are working with pupils in local schools, raising awareness of the challenges faced by them.

The new term will see us back in the primary and secondary schools, working alongside partner agencies to support young people who will be transitioning to secondary school, coping with parents on deployment as well as planning our holiday activity programmes.

The Royal Caledonian Education Trust (RCET) is Scotland's Armed Forces Children's Charity.



RCET supports children and young people from Armed Forces families. We provide financial assistance, staff training and resources all free of charge. It helps us if we know where you are and where your children go to school. To help us provide our support to the youngsters who most

need it please let your child's school know that you are an Armed Forces family and tell them what RCET can offer. For further information contact:-

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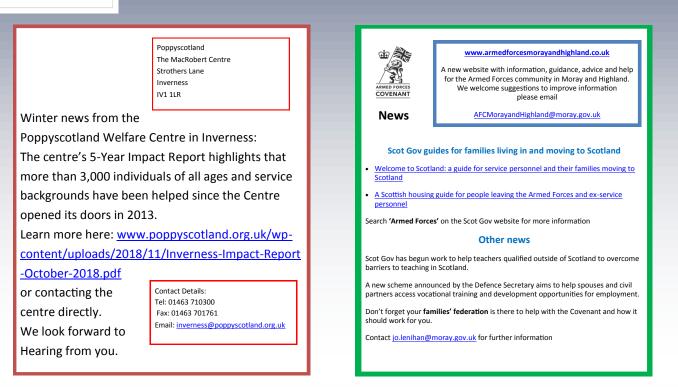


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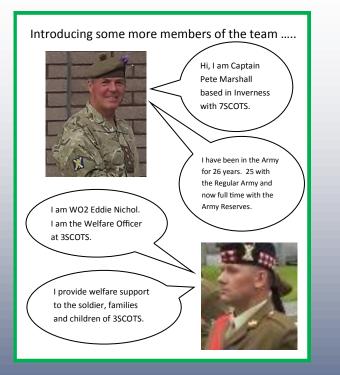


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