

Science Ambassadors Update	
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Updating Individual Profiles

Thanks to everyone who have changed their passwords and updated their profiles. A check was run recently and there were still a few to update their details. Everyone is busy at this time of the year and it only takes a few minutes to update.

Log into www.stemnet.org.uk to update.

Listing activities

Once again thanks to all who have done this but it can be a bit tricky. When it comes to venue please let us know because you will not have permission to add a venue.

Finding time to do this can be an issue and if you send your activity details to Alyson.young@global-science.net or frank.mckeever@global-science.net they will be added in for you. All we need is type of event, date, numbers attending, (p6 or S2 etc) names of schools.)

Seas Celebration Event

We will be teaming up with our colleagues in Glasgow to run a Central Scotland Seas Celebration event. We will get the date and venue to you as soon as possible.

Updated information will be available on www.stemscotland.com

Schools looking for Seas & Events requiring Seas

Southwood Primary – Glenrothes
Requiring help with their Engineering club
Contact Teacher : Jennifer.adam@fife.gov.uk

St Mungo's High School Falkirk

School are running an engineering Day on 18th February and are looking for help for someone to run a workshop. It is a complete S2 year group and involves three workshops during the day

Contact Frank McKeever for more information

Deanburn Primary School Bo'ness

The school are running a full Science & Technology Day on 24 April and are looking
For Seas to Help at the School. Contact Frank McKeever for more information.

Portobello High School

The Seas team at Portobello are preparing for their events with the school and the Primary cluster. If you would like to help or a new Sea wisking to get a bit of experience, please contact David Jamieson, davidbjamieson@hotmail.com or Frank McKeever

Knex Challenge Season

The Knex Challenge is kicking off in a number of areas and schools are always looking for a bit help. If you would like to help and it only takes a couple of hours contact us and we will let you know if there is a school near you requiring help.

Grangemouth Science Festival

This event runs from 2nd – 17th March 2009 at Grangemouth Stadium and 2,000 P7 pupils are attending this year. We need a lot of people to run the event and even if you could give half a day or a day that would be a great help. The event is a really good event to get involved in for those who are looking for a suitable activity.

Kelso Science Festival

A working party is looking into the possibility of running a Festival in May/June in Borders and again we will be looking for help to run the event. More information will be forthcoming when available.

Whitburn Cluster Technology event

This is an annual event technology event with all the Primary Schools in the Whitburn Academy Cluster being involved. Any Seas interested in taking part please contact Frank McKeever.

Seas Sign up and Induction Sessions

We are still trying to use three locations for our sign up sessions:

Forth Valley College Falkirk

Evening sessions 5-7pm are as follows:
25th February, 8th April, 20th May. Room 107, Main College Building.

Edinburgh Sessions

Next sessions will be at Edinburgh University, William Rankine Building on the Top Floor at the King's Buildings. Dates are February 6th and 12th 1pm -3pm on both dates. Please drop an email confirmation if you can attend.

Fife Sessions

These will be held at SSERC in Dunfermline and we will inform Fife application direct once we have the dates confirmed.

Company Sessions

Any Company wishing to have a sign up session please let us know and we are happy to visit the site location.

General Sign Up

Please note that sign ups can be done at any time at Forth Valley College during working hours by phoning and arranging an appointment. 01324 403103 or Frank.McKeever @global-science.net

Disclosure Changes

Since January 2009 Stempoints in Scotland are moving from CRB to CRBS. Seas will see little change. It will be phased in that new application will be CRBS and renewals will be CRBS.

Everyone will now go through an enhanced check. If you have any questions on the move please contact Frank McKeever.

Science Clubs

A number of Science Clubs will be starting soon and if you would like to get involved please let us know.

Climate Change Project

Eight schools are involved in this project and if anyone would like to offer help and support please get in contact.

School are:- Leith Academy, Peebles High, Balwearie, Kirkcaldy, Whitburn Academy, St Mungo's ,Falkirk, Deanburn , Bo,ness, Wallace High Stirling, (Alloa Academy TBC)

Lab in a Lorry – IOP

Help required to deliver experiments within the Lab

10th March – Bo,ness Academy – Bo’ness

11- 12 March Falkirk High - Falkirk

17th March St Modans High or Dollar Academy

18th McLaren High Callendar

6th 18th April at Edinburgh International Festival

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