



hadn't met before. Parents were also given the opportunity to look around the school with their children at the end.

## **Andrew Macleod Memorial Fund**



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Murdo Macleod can be seen receiving funds from some of the Lewis Youth Council members.

The Lewis and Harris Youth Council raised £400 in aid of the Andrew Macleod Memorial Fund, through sales of their 2019 Calendar.

## **Cearns Development Worker**

We are pleased to report that Dolina Morrison has been appointed as the new Cearns Community Development Worker (15 hours) and started post in May. This post is funded through Aspiring Communities European Fund. We wish Dolina and the rest of the team all the very best over the coming months.

## Battle of The Bands Final



The BATTLE OF THE BANDS FINAL 2019 was held at the Town Hall on March 29th 2019. The chosen charity was "The Playlists for Life" project by The Rotary club. Two young people in BOTB put this charity forward to raise money to help build music playlists and have events for families affected by Dementia. A cafe was provided by the charity and a donation at front door. They raised almost £200 on the night. Judges for the final were: Caroline MacIennan Heb Celt, Alex MacDonald An Lanntair and Micheal Libby Singer/Songwriter. 14 young people performed to a large audience of over 95 people. The Wee Studio provided professional sound and lighting for the event. The entire evening was filmed by the Multimedia Department including interviews with the young people after their performances. This film will be available before the summer. Prizes on the night included £50 cash prize, An Lanntair vouchers and Heb Celt Merchandise Vouchers.

The winners were Best Song- Megije Brice, Best U14 Act - Talia Graham, Best Overall act - Kirsty Ralston.

## Health Education Event in Barra



CLD in partnership with ADP and Police Scotland organised and delivered an Alcohol and Drugs event to S1-S6 pupils in Castlebay school. The pupils were split into small groups and took part in 4 different stations which focused on Alcohol & Body, Alcohol & Drugs & Law, Alcohol & Units and

Recovery position. Once all stations were completed, pupils then took part in Alcohol and risk exercises which were discussion based using real life scenarios. There was excellent engagement through-out this event from young people who all went away with a goodie bag courtesy of ADP.

### **After School Cookery in Uist**

Tha an sgioba ann an Uibhist air a bhith ag obair cuide ri Oifigear Chomunn na Gàidhlig, Màiri Anna Chaimbeul, airson sreath de bhùthan-obrach fuine a dhèanamh le sgoilearan air S1 ann an Sgoil Lionacleit an dèidh na sgoile. A bharrachd air cothrom biadh blasta a dhèanamh, tha seo a' toirt cothruim do na sgoilearan Gàidhlig a chleachdadh taobh a-muigh a' chlas aca, an lùib sgoilearan agus inbhich eile. Tha seo cuideachd a' toirt blasad dhaibh, air a' chiad bliadhna aca san àrd-sgoil, air na cothroman Gàidhlig a tha rim faighinn.

CLD staff in Uist have been working with the local Comunn na Gàidhlig officer, Mary Anne Campbell, to run a series of after-school cookery workshops in Gaelic with S1 pupils from Sgoil Lionacleit. As well as the opportunity to make some tasty recipes, the workshops give participants the opportunity to use

### **Pointers Young Carers**

Are you aged 8-18? Do you care for or help look after someone with a long term illness or disability? If the answer is yes...you are a Young Carer. Pointers Young Carers Groups offer the opportunity for Young Carers to take part in fun activities.

For more information on this contact us:

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### **Young Scot Card**

The Young Scot National Entitlement Card is available free of charge to everyone aged 11-25 living in Scotland. Use it for money off the things you love, exclusive rewards, proof of age and much more. For more information contact CLD on 01851822743

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