

June 2023 RDO Update: Fife and Central

Junior Friendly Match

On Sunday 11 June an excited group of Wing Juniors headed up to Perth for a friendly match against Glenearn Juniors. In all 24 youngsters took part in the match, and were supported by coaches Kirsty Flockhart from Wing & Ross Paterson from Glenearn.

It was a thoroughly enjoyable experience for all taking part and Wing will host a return match next season. It was closely contested with Wing just managing to win both sections.

Result: Glenearn A 8 – Wing A 10 // Glenearn B 7 – Wing B 11

Big thanks to Joanna Flockhart (Wing) for all her organising & all at Glenearn for hosting.

Working with Dundee & Angus Active Schools

In partnership with Active Schools in Dundee & Angus, Badminton Scotland delivered a Badminton Basics course for senior pupils as part of their Sports Leadership Academy program.

Next season these young people will work with the Active Schools Co-ordinator from their school to deliver sessions in local primary schools. At least two of the candidates are already volunteering at Dundee Nomads BC and looking to do the Level 1 course in Dundee in September.

The Forfar ASC is looking to work with Forfar BC to give at least one of the pupils a chance of volunteering with the junior club.

Teacher CPD

Since Covid it is clear teachers are looking for ways to get children more active. In partnership with Active Schools in Fife, Perth & Angus CPD sessions have been organised for primary teachers. It is hoped a secondary school refresher CPD will be offered in Fife in the Autumn.

Wing BC

The Wing BC held their end of season BBQ to bring everyone together before they take a break over the summer. It gave them the opportunity to thank Joanna Flockhart who organises all the games at the Monday night adult club. She makes sure everyone mixes in and gets a good workout. Joanna was presented with golf vouchers, which is her other great passion.

Glenearn BC

There is an exciting women's event to look forward to at the start of next season. Kirsten from Glenearn BC has organised a Women's Ladder event which is taking place at Perth College on Saturday 27th August from 12 to 3pm. More details to follow in next newsletter.