

Portlethen Academy

Learn and Improve. Get Involved. Think of the Consequences. Respect All

BCSO round up of session 2021-2022



Horticultural enthusiasts were invited to network with the Portlethen Academy Gardening Group

Pupils explored the Portlethen Moss and Community Woodland with our local Countryside Ranger

SSPCA visited to discuss how we can help protect wildlife in our community

The Gardening Group tidied the Jubilee Hall planters to support our local community

Pupils celebrated their Level 1 Sprouting Garden Schools Award from One Seed Forward



S5 pupil interviews STV weather presenters as part of their Personal Development Award



Local volunteer and rail expert continued to gift their time and talent to mentor an S6 pupil



One practitioner explored real life examples for their National 5 and Higher courses with a local financial planning organisation



Over 50 S5 pupils receive CV feedback and a virtual group mock interview experience with an industry partner aligned to their career ambitions

All S4 pupils complete a one-to-one in person mock interview and were provided with written feedback



S3 pupils worked to a design brief from the Chapelton 10K committee, resulting in one pupil design being selected for this year's race medal

One practitioner attended a site visit to a local construction company to explore embedding real life context into the classroom

Engineering pupils researched different disciplines and crafted questions for a panel of engineers

S4-S6 pupils designed and manufactured a solution to support the Jubilee Hall committee with a practical solution to hold their hall doors open

S3 pupils designed the front cover for the local Skateraw Community Fair Programme



All S2 pupils explored careers via the Virtual Career Expo

11 senior pupils led four industry panel sessions which were later screened across four Aberdeenshire Council secondary schools



Three professionals answered questions about how their role relates to Physical Education as part of the S3 Careers in Sport unit



+ over 125 organisations who contributed to the Virtual Career Expo