

Weekly Update - 14th June

# **Practical Cookery & Practical Cake Craft**

Our students worked hard to cater for the Portobello Learning Festival last Saturday, which was met with much praise on their teamwork, baking and decorating skills. Thanks to N5 Hospitality Practical Cookery and N5 Hospitality Practical Cake Craft for all their hard work and determination in making 400 biscuits!

**FTT Department** 

...and the biscuits! I love not only their openly declared sentiments, but t fact that it is young people who designed, baked &printed them! #Hope #Love Thank you @PortobelloHigh for all your excellent hospitality. #PortyLF19 @ruthsmckay @realdcameron @musicmind @HYWEL\_ROBERTS



# **Puppet Workshop**

During activity week, a group of pupils participated in a puppet making workshop and learnt what working in the creative industries might be like. It was a unique session that gave pupils the opportunity to get hands on experience. Pupils were joined by puppeteer Jenny Johnston on a whimsical journey of discovery as they brought to life their very own puppet. They had fun creating original characters, experimenting with the dynamics of performance and investigating the ancient art of object theatre.







M&Ds The rain couldn't spoil our activity week as you'll see below!







## **Portobello High School Opportunities Bulletin**

## **Apprenticeships**

- Business Administration Modern Apprenticeship City of Edinburgh Council
- DAF Heavy Vehicle Assistant Modern Apprenticeship
- Maintenance Technician (Mechanical) Modern Apprenticeship Veolia Water
- Hospitality Modern Apprenticeship at Sheraton Grand Hotel & Spa
- Business/admin apprenticeships with the Scottish parliament Applications for their 2019
   Apprenticeship programme are now open. Find out more and how to apply here: bit.ly/SP-apprentice
- Apprentice Lightning Protection Engineer with Earth Tech Lps Ltd Dalkeith: https://www.indeed.co.uk/Apprenticeships-jobs-in-Dalkeith?vjk=ebf618271ef72d19
- University of Edinburgh recruiting for numerous apprenticeships in wide variety of fields, includes admin, finance, creative and digital marketing and also science -including a technician in a sports science lab and a laboratory technician:
  - https://www.ed.ac.uk/human-resources/jobs/current-modern-apprentice-job-opportunities
- Business/admin apprenticeships at RBS: https://jobs.rbs.com/jobs/3816691-business-admin-apprenticeship

All of the above can be found on apprenticeships. Scot unless stated otherwise

# Websites to find apprenticeships:

https://www.apprenticeships.scot/

https://www.theguarantee.org/young-people/find-a-job/

## Other Opportunities:

Impact Arts free summer creative programme, for young people aged 12-19, runs from July the 2<sup>nd</sup> to July the 26<sup>th</sup>, held at national museum of Scotland, to be eligible young people must be one of the following: At risk of disengaging from school At risk of engaging in anti-social behaviour
 Living with a disability or mental health condition Over 16 and not in education, employment or training

#### Work experience opportunities:

 Lothian Autistic society- helping at play schemes and youth groups for children with additional support needs

Jobs:

• Next sales -temp staff:

https://careers.next.co.uk/sales-

jobs/?fbclid=lwAR1aeueeTBAvw1o1qFgQJ6ikifnIv TN08rvZL7 619xnNrRYv3zo90Sxk

- Trainee floor layer:
  - https://www.indeed.co.uk/jobs?q=trainee%20&l=Edinburgh&vjk=f9cfa15f223fe0f4
- Hampton By Hilton Edinburgh Airport: We're looking for fun, positive Team Members to join our Guest Services and Kitchen teams, and in return you can enjoy incredible travel benefits and create meaningful experiences every day. Full time, part time, or just casual hours over the summer you tell us what you'd like to work! Drop us your CV at EDIHX reservations@hilton.com
- Trainee warehouse person at Zhu Limited in Portobello -they are specifically looking to recruit a recent school leaver, email Cara for more info on this ASAP

- Recruitment and skills centre Fort Kinnaird advertises many part and full-time jobs here, follow them on Facebook or go on their website
- Contact us: This bulletin contains basic information- If you would like to discuss anything within this bulletin or make a careers appointment to find out more info on them, please contact Martin, Cara or Megan -careers advisers at Portobello high school

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