



Craigroyston High School pupils win £3000 for FYP.

Kirsty, Jessica, Rhiannon and Demi-Leigh were the winning team at the school's Youth and Philanthropy Initiative final.

The girls are all members at DIME and did us proud as they presented a clear description of all that FYP does week by week. In front of two full year groups and senior staff the girls were not ashamed to explain that they learned about God and how faith can help in hard times, as well as what DIME means to each of them on a personal level. They all explained that DIME offered them 'a sense of belonging' where they can chat to leaders they trust about all sorts of issues. The girls were brilliant!

Other things to be thankful for.

This term has felt incredibly busy with some of our young people finding home life and school particularly hard. It can be easy to become discouraged. But there is much to be thankful for.

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WEEKEND AWAY

We had a great weekend away in Glenshee.

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PROPERTY

We have a very positive option for securing property in the local area.

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VOLUNTEERS

We continue to be blessed with committed volunteers

36 young people came with us for our DIME weekend away. We enjoyed all the usual drama whilst spending time getting to know our young people better.



We ran a bag packing fundraiser with some of our young people in a local supermarket and raised about £200!



We took a coach full of primary kids ten pin bowling for our primary trip, along with some of our older DIME kids helping as young leaders.



Primary Update

We had two great trips with our primary children. Eight children from P6 and eighteen from P7 from both Pirniehall and Craigroyston Primary Schools. Both groups went 10 pin bowling to the Corn Exchange and had a great time bowling and eating pizza. Well done to Logan from Pirniehall who had the highest score!

SU in Craigroyston Primary

We have exciting news. As of this month we have two separate SU groups at the same time! One for P6 and one for P7. This will allow both year groups to come along and enjoy the groups, hearing more about who Jesus is and what He has done! We are thankful that we have extra volunteers and one staff member helping make this happen.

Romance Academy

This is a 10 week course discussing topics surrounding relationships and sex. Given the success of running this course last year with some of our young people, we have started a new group with 7 of our S5 and S6 young people. It's great that they are so willing to engage with these important subjects and think through how they can make good choices.

Weekend Away

We had a brilliant weekend away in November 2018 when we took 34 young people to Glenshee in Aviemore. The weekend was full of great activities, good banter, late nights and learning about the life of Jonah. Feedback from our young people was really positive. The young people had really loved the different activities and when asked what they'd learned about God one stated "I learned that He is always there when I need Him." Another stated, "Everyone deserves a second chance". Not bad to take that home.



THINGS TO LOOK FORWARD TO.

January-March 2019- Tuesday evenings 7.30-9.15pm Romance Academy

February

11-15th - Half term trips

20th - Young leaders meeting

22nd - PowerPoint Edinburgh

23rd - PowerPoint Glasgow

27th - Management group meeting

March

9th - DIME fundraising Quiz

13th - FYP board meeting

22nd - Primary trip for p6/7 – Time Capsule (tbc)

27th - Young leaders meeting