

## Fun in Athletics Programme Continues to Develop

The year ahead will see the strongest Fun in Athletics (Primary Sportshall) programme across Tayside & Fife yet. Angus is to add an additional Festival in Brechin to their successful programme for the first time, while Fife is to take on the programme fully for the first time. Last year Fife utilised a Dunfermline & West Fife Sports Council event to host one festival and then a team from Fife AC, led by Steve Doig worked alongside Sports Development and Active Schools to initiate an event in Kinghorne. This year stand alone events will take place in Dunfermline, Glenrothes and Kirkcaldy and a Fife Final will also come into the programme. If these events are successful Fife will investigate rolling the programme out further in the future.

Clubs are encouraged to attend these events if they can, either to help out the Active Schools and Sports Development teams or to watch and provide the participants with a natural link into the club. If clubs are intending to attend and would like a chance to speak to the athletes please get in touch with your Local Development Officer in advance so that this can be arranged (see contact details below)

All events are supported by local College, University and S5 & S5 pupils to aid the professional officers with running the festivals, while also gaining vital real life experience of organising events.

This year's event dates are:

### **Angus**

05/11/09 Carnoustie 10am - 12pm  
06/11/09 Monifieth 10am – 12pm  
09/11/09 Montrose 10am – 12pm  
12/11/09 Forfar 10am – 12pm  
17/11/09 Brechin 10am - 12pm  
19/11/09 Arbroath 10am – 12pm  
**02/12/09 Angus FiA Final, Forfar 10am – 12pm**

### **Dundee**

24/11/09 Harris 4pm - 6pm  
26/11/09 Menzieshill 10am – 12pm  
01/12/09 Grove 4pm – 6pm  
03/12/09 Baldragon 4pm - 6pm  
08/12/09 Morgan 4pm – 6pm  
10/12/09 Braeview 4pm – 6pm  
**21/01/10 Dundee FiA Final, DISC 4pm – 6pm**

### **Fife**

12/11/09 Dunfermline 10am - 12pm  
17/11/09 Glenrothes 10am – 12pm  
19/11/09 Kirkcaldy 10am – 12pm  
**Jan 10 tbc Fife FiA Final, Glenrothes tbc 10am – 12pm**

### **Perth & Kinross**

09/11/09 Perth Academy, Bells 10am – 12:30pm  
10/11/09 Perth Grammar, Bells 10am – 12:30pm  
11/11/09 Perth High/St Columba's, Bells, 10am – 12:30pm  
17/11/12 Pitlochry 10am – 12:30pm  
25/11/09 Auchterarder 10am – 12:30pm  
26/11/09 Perth High, Bells, 10am – 12:30pm

**11/02/10 Perth & Kinross FiA Final, Bells 3:30pm – 6pm**

**23/02/10 SportTayside & Fife FiA Final, David Lloyd Leisure Centre, Monifieth**

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