



Healthy Working Lives Guest Speaker Series

Earlston High School
2.00 - 3.30pm

Friday 30th January 2015 - Irwin Turbitt

Friday 6th February 2015 - Sir John Jones

Friday 20th February - Professor Christopher Chapman

Friday 27th February 2015 - Dr Suzanne Zeedyk

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Booking Essential:

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Friday 30th January - Irwin Turbitt. Irwin is co-founder and senior researcher for the Kafka Brigade UK, alongside being a senior fellow at Warwick University's Institute of Governance and Public Management. Irwin retired from the Police Service of Northern Ireland as an Assistant Chief Constable in June 2006 on completion of a secondment to the Home Office. The Kafka Brigade is an independent, not-for-profit action research team dedicated to reducing red tape for citizens and businesses. The Kafka Brigade has been active in the UK since 2008 and has now established a dedicated UK team who work to reduce bureaucracy and increase the value delivered by public services.

Friday 6th February 2015 - Sir John Jones. Knighted in 2003 for his services to education, Sir John worked most of his professional life in challenging schools across the North West of England, his last post being the head-teacher of a large secondary school in Merseyside. His achievements and reputation for straight talking, leadership and creativity led him to be invited onto various organizations, panels and think tanks including the National College for School Leadership, the DfES' Leadership Development Unit, the Teacher Development Agency's National Remodelling Unit and visiting posts with both Manchester and Liverpool Universities.

Friday 20th February 2015 - Professor Christopher Chapman. Professor Christopher Chapman was appointed Chair of Education and Public Policy and Practice at the University of Glasgow in January 2013. Prior to this he was Professor of Education at the University of Manchester and previously held academic and research posts at the universities of Nottingham and Warwick. Before moving into academia Chris taught in challenging secondary schools in Birmingham where he undertook a part-time MA before completing his PhD thesis on intervention and improvement in schools in challenging circumstances.

Friday 27th February 2015 - Dr Suzanne Zeedyk. Suzanne is a Senior Lecturer in Developmental Psychology at University of Dundee. Suzanne talks about our human need for emotional and physiological connection. She draws on her own research expertise -- in areas such as parent-infant relationships, family support, communicative disorders, and the politics of science -- as well as the work of many other scientists and practitioners.

Friday 6th March 2015 - Norman Drummond. Following his distinguished Headship at Loretto, Norman was appointed BBC National Governor and Chairman of the Broadcasting Council for Scotland and it was during this time that he founded Columba 1400 the pioneering and highly regarded Community and International Leadership Centre on the Isle of Skye (2009/2010 Bank of Scotland/Sunday Times UK Social Entrepreneur of the Year). The first model of social philanthropy of its kind in the world, Columba 1400, whose Patron is HRH The Princess Royal, now also operates in a second centre on the banks of Loch Lomond as well as in Australia and South Africa. Columba 1400's aim and purpose is to help young people from tough realities to fulfil their leadership potential and so to live lives of purpose and meaning.

Friday 27th March - Patricia Santelices - Principal Officer, Mental Health & Wellbeing, City of Edinburgh Council. Confident Staff/Confident Children Confident Staff, Confident Children (CSCC) is a training programme with a focus on mental health and emotional well-being. It is ideally suited for groups of multi-agency practitioners who have an interest in working with children, young people, families and Communities.

The series will culminate in a joint event with the EIS in May 2015, which will allow participants to explore themes from the series in greater detail, through workshop events.

More information on each of the speakers will be available on CPD Online - www.sbc-cpd.co.uk