

The McLemans' Photo "Circular" - Christmas 2009



Hubbard Glacier, Alaska the largest glacier in the Northern Hemisphere.....

Welcome to our photo update for 2009. and this year we swapped beaches for ice flows when in June we flew to Vancouver to cruise to Alaska, followed by a week in Canada

Other news...

Ewan and Anna also visited Canada...

Neill and Alison bought a flat...



..it's 76 miles long, the calving face is 6 miles wide and 300ft high when it enters Disenchantment Bay. It takes the ice 400 years to travel its full length



Disenchantment Bay, Alaska



Leaving Vancouver



Bald eagle fishing at Sitka, Alaska



Annie and Andrew dine on board



Andrew and Annie on a whale watching trip



Our cruise ship at Sitka, Alaska



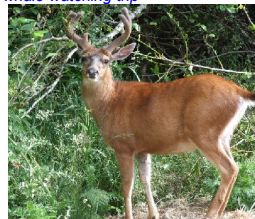
Andrew at Sitka



Mother and baby humpback whales near Juneau, Alaska



We met up with Jim and Pat McLeman and spent five lovely days after the cruise with them on Vancouver Island



A visitor to Jim and Pat's garden



Annie and Andrew met up with Beth (Annie's sister) in Vancouver



Canadian hospitality at its best - Bernie and Cheryl who we met on the cruise, invited us to stay with them for our last night in Vancouver.



Andrew enjoying some of the facilities on board



Annie and Andrew at Victoria the capital of Vancouver Island



Our new Indian "grandson" Aryan with his mum Smita

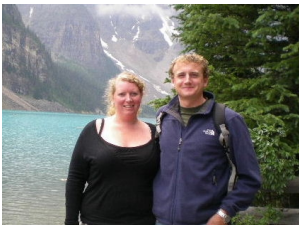


Tia and Cody - Annie's grandchildren in Orkney



Gini is now 14 and is nearly blind and diabetic, but still hanging in there!

Ewan and Anna also visited Vancouver and Canada in 2009, Anna to catch up with her sister Beth and then they then spent a month touring. They are still firmly established in Shetland but always popping back to the mainland at least four times a year to see friends and family



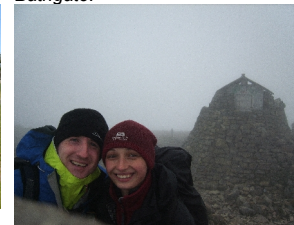
Anna and Ewan in Canada



Ewan reached the 'Big 30' in 2009



Neill and Ewan still play in the play park!



This year Neill and Alison conquered Ben Nevis for the third time.



Anna, Ewan, Alison, Neill, Annie and Andrew at Neill and Alison's new flat

Neill has completed his probationary period and now is a fully fledged police officer. He and Alison they have been busy this year first finding and then furnishing their own lovely new flat in Bathgate.

All the best for 2010, Love Annie and Andrew