



Progress Report 9 Week 18

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Hope you all had a good break. The building is beginning to come together. We anticipate being able to open to schools for day programmes after the Easter Holidays. Glachbeg will provide an exciting context to deliver all areas of the curriculum. It will not be a “bolt on” to the curriculum. Programmes are designed with you to suit your needs. More information to follow soon. There will be programmed viewing opportunities, to give you an idea about what we can do to help you. If you want to talk to us in the meantime please do so. Bob is an experienced and GTC registered teacher who ran a similar centre for an Education Authority.



A few days spent sawing up logs with a mobile saw mill. This wood will be for all the outside walls, and inside finishes (Skirting boards etc)



We started putting the “sarking” boards on the roof. The Douglas fir was used on the overhanging areas (that you can see), and cheaper pine used where it would be hidden.

Roofing felt was fixed to the top of the boards, and as we wait for windows polythene nailed over the windows to waterproof it. We can now start work on the inside.

Later the roof will have another layer of material on it and then finally grass turves



Questions: On the theme “Sustainability”

1. Why do you think we are not using plywood? (think chemicals!)
2. What reasons can you think of for putting a grass roof on the building ?

**ANTICIPATED OPENING
APRIL 11th**

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