



Applegarth & Hutton Newsletter



Welcome

A warm welcome to the new session for 2013/2014. We hope you all had a wonderful and relaxing holiday and look forward to working with you this session. We welcome six new Primary 1 pupils to Applegarth.



Pupil Update Form

Please find enclosed various forms for your child/ children which we would ask you to complete/amend as necessary. If you change your mobile/home phone at any stage during the session, please ensure you communicate this to the school. Thank you.



Transport To and From School

It would be greatly appreciated if you would complete the attached pro-forma detailing how your child / children will be transported to and from school. This will allow us to complete our transport lists and ensure your child's safety.



We appreciate that arrangements may change. On these occasions, please contact the school by telephone or letter and state who will collect your child / children on the specified day. Thank you.

School Meals

Primary School Meals will remain at £1.75 (excluding Primary 1 as these are free until March 2014). It would be helpful if you could arrange to



send in dinner money, in an

envelope with your child's name and the amount, on a Monday morning for the coming week.

School Milk Order

Milk money is 80p per week for ordinary semi skimmed milk.

If your child would like to order school milk starting from Monday, 3rd September 2013, please complete the slip below and return on Monday, 27th August 2013. Thank you.

About Me Leaflet

Please help your child complete the enclosed form for their Learning Plan and return it to school as soon as possible.



Newsletter Bags - New Parents

The Newsletter Bags are sent home every Friday and should be returned every Monday. This means there are no 'loose' letters during the week unless an urgent response is required.

Morrison's Let's Grow Vouchers

We are collecting Morrison's vouchers again. We managed to get enough tokens to obtain all our seeds for this year. Remember to ask at the checkout! A repeat performance would be wonderful!

Change of Name

Congratulations to Mrs Alison Ferla (née Gold) who was married during the Summer holidays. We wish the new Mr & Mrs Ferla a long and happy life together!





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French

P6 & P7 pupils from Hutton Primary will join Applegarth every Monday afternoon unless previously notified.

P5-7 Reward Time (Applegarth)

You will see from the Home Link Book that we have made some changes to what used to be referred to as "Golden Time" in the upper class.

Pupils will now have a 15 minute Reward Time on a Friday. Each pupil has a set of traffic light cards on their table - one green, two orange warning cards and one red card. They earn their Reward Time by maintaining a positive, hard-working, helpful attitude in class and through good behaviour. However, should they receive a Red Card at any time during the week they will forfeit their Reward Time and be asked to carry on with unfinished class tasks.

Pupils will elect a "Star of the Week" each Friday who will then choose an activity for the Reward Time. This will then be supervised by Mrs McWhirter.

Katharine Suslak & Michelle McWhirter

Home/School Link Book

The home/school book is enclosed this week and should be returned on Monday morning.

After School Science Club

P4-7 Open to pupils from both schools

Mrs McWhirter will be running a Science Club this term for 5 weeks for P5-7 pupils at Applegarth. The dates are on Thursdays: 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th September and 3rd October 2013 from 3.30 - 4.15pm (straight after school).

- After School PE Club - Team Games

P1-7 Open to all pupils from both schools

Mr Bain, PE Specialist, will be holding an after school club for Team Games on Tuesday, 27th August, 3rd, 10th & 17th September from 3.30pm - 4.15pm at Hutton Primary (straight after school).

- After School PE Club - Running

P1-7 Open to all pupils from both schools

Mr Bain will also be holding an after school club for running: sprint/ relay/ long distance on Tuesday, 24th September, 1st & 8th October 2013 from 3.30pm - 4.15pm at Applegarth Primary (straight after school).



If your child would like to take part in any of the above clubs, please complete the slips below and return them to school on Monday, 26th August 2013.

Volunteers Required

- After School Club

During the year we offer a variety of After School Clubs, if you are interested in delivering a club please complete the attached slip.

- Golden Time

P1-4 Applegarth / P1-7 Hutton

We would like to extend pupil choice in their Golden Time and are looking for volunteers - parents, friends or if anyone knows of someone in our community that would be willing to give up 30 minutes of their time on a Friday afternoon between 2.30 - 3.00pm. We are open to suggestions



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- cookery, music, craft, gardening, sport, etc. Please complete the attached slip and return to school. Thank you.

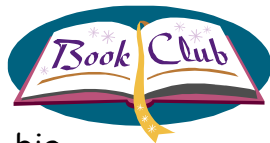
- Lunchtime Club

If any parent would like to share their expertise and run a Lunchtime Club this year, it would be greatly appreciated. Please let us know!

Dryfe Valley Show Success

Well done to all the prize winners and everyone who took part. The Winners have their prizes enclosed as well as a small packet of sweets for each entrant as a thank you from the Committee. Please see attached Results list.

Scholastic Book Club



The Scholastic Book Club are offering a big choice of books, which start from as little as £1.99 - there is no minimum order value - FREE P&P on all orders delivered to school! The school will receive 20% of your order value back in FREE BOOKS. If you wish to make a purchase from the book club, please return your order and remittance by Monday, 2nd September 2013.

Labelling Clothes

Remember to put your child's name on every garment. Thank you!



Enclosures:

- ❖ Pupil Update Form
- ❖ Transport Leaflet
- ❖ Blanket Consent Form
- ❖ Medical Form
- ❖ Scholastic Book Club leaflets

- ❖ Active Schools A&E Super 4's leaflet: P5-7
- ❖ About Me leaflet
- ❖ GIRFEC leaflet P1 pupils
- ❖ Dryfe Valley Show Results/prizes/sweets
- ❖ Eco Newsletter (Applegarth)
- ❖ Childrens Peacemaker Club leaflet (Applegarth)

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School Milk

I would like to order semi skimmed milk for:

Name of child(ren).....

First payment is due on:
Monday, 2nd September 2013
80p per week.

Signed..... Date.....

Please return on Monday, 26th August 2013





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Volunteers Golden Time / After School Club

I am interested in delivering an activity in school.

- Golden Time activity
- Lunchtime Club
- After School Club

Subject: _____

Signed..... Date.....

Please print name.....

Please return by 26th August 2013



After School PE Club Team Games P1-7 Pupils At Hutton Primary

My child(ren) _____ would like to attend Mr Bain's Team Club at Hutton Primary for the 4 week block.

I understand I am responsible for collecting my child at 4.15pm.

Signed Date.....

Please print name.....

Return by Monday, 26th August 2013



After School Science Club: P4-7 Pupils At Applegarth Primary

My child(ren) _____ would like to attend the Science Club at Applegarth Primary for the 5 week block.

I understand I am responsible for collecting my child at 4.15pm.

Signed Date.....

Please print name.....

Return by Monday, 26th August 2013



After School Club Running: sprint/ relay/long distance P1-7 Pupils At Applegarth Primary

My child(ren) _____ would like to attend Mr Bain's Running Club at Applegarth Primary for the 4 week block.

I understand I am responsible for collecting my child at 4.15pm.

Signed Date.....

Please print name.....

Return by Monday, 26th August 2013

