



22nd September 2023

Dear Parents / Carers

Mail Drop envelopes:

Please can you ensure to send the coloured pocket envelope back to school on Monday ☺

Parent Council AGM 12th September 2023:

Following the recent Parent Council AGM Meeting, members were appointed to represent the school committee. Appointed members: Shows the parent name and the class their child represents

- Chair – Ami (P5)
- Vice-Chair – TBC – any interested parent willing to join the PC, please contact Ami.
- Secretary – Lauren (P2/P5)
- Treasurer – Rebecca (P1)

Please find the Parent / Carer's Guide leaflet enclosed that will give you more information about the work that the Parent Council do for the school and for your children.

P1-7 Childsmile Toothbrushing Programme:

Following a visit last week from the Dental Health Team, please find a letter enclosed informing you of the toothbrushing that will take place in class. This is a positive programme that has been implemented in school for many years.

School Improvement Plan for 2023 – 2024:

Our Quality Improvement Officer for Brownhall and Caerlaverock is Mrs Jessica Burnett. She met with me yesterday to discuss our plans for learning and teaching priorities this session. Please find the script overleaf for our school focus and the key tasks that staff across both schools will carry out and work together over the course of the school year. One of our key areas is Parental Engagement whereby we ensure that all parents can have their views represented. On that note, we will send a Microsoft Forms to gather your view on...Homework over the course of next week.

Playground Leaders in Primary 6 and Primary 7:

Today's session allowed the pupils to put their skills into practice and they had the opportunity to instruct the P1-5 pupils on how to play their newly created games! There was a lot of good listening and following instructions taking place this morning – with lots of fun had by all!

Well done to P6/7 pupils working alongside Jamie from Active Schools.



Meet Brownrock Bear!



Our School Values –

Friendship / Self-Belief / Teamwork / Independence / Achievement

When we meet for Assembly Time, Brownrock Bear helps us to celebrate achievements with certificates when we demonstrate the school values. We also earn points for our Houses – Nith (Blue) and Criffel (Red).

Regards, Mrs Scriven and Caerlaverock Staff

We are a Bronze Rights Respecting School

UNCRC Article 31 –

Children have the right to relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.

We now have 'FUN 31' every Friday afternoon