

Dear Parents / Carers

Brownrock Rocks!



Learning and playing together proved a valuable experience for ALL children across the partnership! The visit to the Crichton Farm, led by the Royal Highland Educational Team was well worth the visit as the children learnt about the cattle and calves on the farm – right on our doorstep! All staff would like to commend your child/ren on their behaviour and for asking interesting questions.

RSHP and ‘Aiming for High’

Team work was also evident during their RSHP lessons when all children were learning age and stage appropriate information regarding the ‘sensitive lessons’.

The Oasis Youth Centre Young Leader, Cairn Langan, delivered a transition based programme to the P6/7 classes and they had a great time working, discussing and learning together about sharing their secondary school worries and concerns and getting ‘rid’ of them by throwing paper planes, as seen in the photo!



Brownrock Partnership Day – Thursday 23rd May 2024 – in the Crichton Estate

We are working in partnership with Rachel Cowper, Chief Operating Officer for the Crichton Estate. We are liaising with companies that are part of the Estate to produce a programme for the World Outdoor Classroom Day.

Feis Rois who have been working with both schools for the past 12 weeks will produce a 'Tour of Scotland' showcase for parents / carers to come along to enjoy the partnership performance. Please complete the arrangements slip below.



Welcome ☺

A new P2 pupil has joined us this week. Welcome to Adam and his family to Caerlaverock Primary School. This week is Deaf Awareness Week and we have been learning British Sign Language (BSL) so that we are able to help Adam settle into our school because he is deaf and wears a cochlear implant. We would also like to extend a warm welcome to Mrs Tremble and Mrs Thompson who will be working as Learning Assistants across each week.

Deaf Awareness Week – 6th – 10th May

Mrs Scriven and Mrs Tremble are on a 10 week BSL course in order to support our new pupil and to teach the whole school a new language which is already proving a success.

National Nurses' Day – Sunday 12th May 2024

Staff Nurse, Vicky Keir who is also the Employee Director for NHS Dumfries and Galloway, joined our school today for a visit during assembly to share with us her role as a nurse working for the NHS. She brought a fellow Nurse Assistant, Evan Keir with her to share his role as the Health and Safety Rep. Their visit is in conjunction with National Nurses Day this Sunday and a D&G Competition that is held every year for the children to produce a picture poster of a nurse. Good luck! A 'Nurses' Day' badge was gifted to all the children.

Upcoming events –

- Wed 15th May - Sprint Relay for certain pupils at David Keswick Centre
- Wed 22nd May – P5-7 trip to the Garden of Cosmic Speculation STEM Day
- Thurs 23rd May – Brownrock Outdoor Classroom Day at the Crichton Estate

Kind regards,

Mrs Scriven and Caerlaverock Staff

Caerlaverock News



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I will be attending the Feis Rois Showcase at the Crichton Church at 2pm YES ____ NO ____

Number of people attending the performance: _____

I am able to collect my child/ren from Crichton Church at end of showcase YES ____ NO ____

My child needs to catch the BUS from Brownhall YES ____ NO ____

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