# GRANGE ACADEMY WEEKLY BULLETIN

31st January 2022

#### <u>SAD NEWS</u>

#### A message from Mr Johnston:

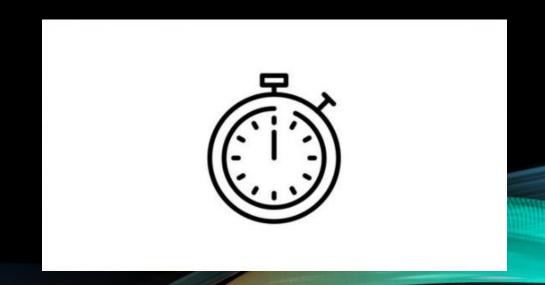
It is with great sadness that I write to inform you that Mr Andy Stevenson, one of our janitors, passed away on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> January. Before Grange Campus, Mr Stevenson worked for many years in Annanhill Primary where he fulfilled the multi-purpose role that was a Janitor's job. He has been an invaluable part of the Mitie team of janitors in our new Campus.

He will be greatly missed in our school community and we extend our sincerest sympathies to his wife and family from the entire Grange community.

#### WEEKLY PUZZLE

Let's get our brains warmed up with a quick riddle. Can you solve it?

What can you find once in a minute, twice in a moment, but never in a thousand years?



## AFTER-SCHOOL SPORTS

Girls' after-school football and rugby are now running again!



#### Girls' Football

Mondays: 3.40 – 4.40pm

#### Girls' Rugby

Tuesdays: 3.40 – 4.40pm



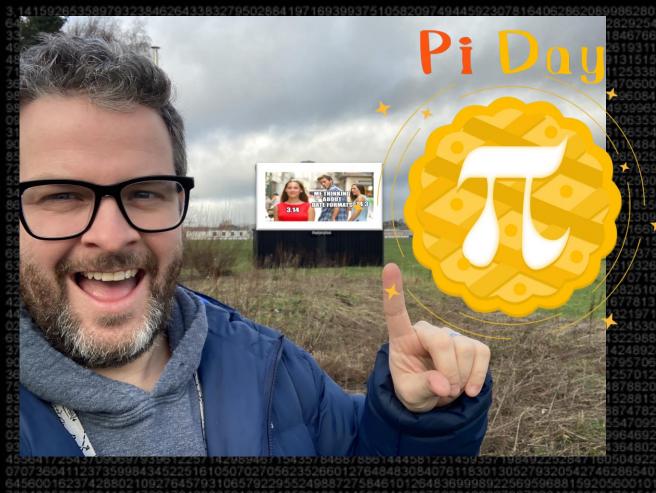
Please register with Miss Shankland before taking part

#### S1 & S2 NETBALL

After-school netball club for \$1 and \$2 pupils starts this **Wednesday** (2<sup>nd</sup> February).

The club takes place from <u>3.40pm to 4.40pm</u> with Miss Shankland – come along and give it a go!





Remember: you have until the end of February to come up with an advert for this year's PiDay!

Mr Smith's favourite entries (pictures, videos, animations) will appear on this digital billboard throughout PiDay... there will be prizes too!

Your advert might announce PiDay in a fun way or highlight anything special about the digits or the properties of pi!

The technical spec you'll need to stick to:

- 1. The screen has dimensions 1152 pixels by 576 pixels.
- 2. Images must be JPEG and high quality.
- 3. Videos must be 10 second long MP4s, H.264 codec 25 frames per second, with a maximum filesize of 25MB.

To enter, email your advert idea to Mr Smith by the end of February.

# <u>COMPETITION!</u> DESIGN A BADGE FOR LGBT+ HISTORY MONTH 2023

Schools OUT UK is the LGBT+ education charity that created LGBT+ History Month.

This is a celebration that takes place every February. This year, Schools OUT are running a competition to help get everyone involved:

They are asking pupils to design the badge that will be used for LGBT+ History Month 2023



Charitable Incorporated Organisation Number1156352

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The theme for LGBT+ History Month 2023 is "Art – Behind the Lens"

and will celebrate the forgotten or "invisible" LGBT+ people behind the scenes of cinema and TV – the directors, writers, designers, technicians, costume and make-up artists – NOT the actors.



This year's badge

Your badge design MUST include the following words:

Lesbian – Gay – Bisexual – Trans+

History Month – 2023 – LGBT+

You can design your badge digitally or using paper and pens, pencils, paints etc.

For more information, or to register for the competition – speak to PC McPike

## FOOTBALL STARS!



Congratulations to our \$1 team who played against Stewarton Academy in the U13's Ayrshire Cup.

The final score was 0-9 to Grange!!

Goals were scored by: Jack L (2), Harry (2), Aiden, McKenzie, Miller, and Struan (2)

Player of the Match was Jack Lavery

#### FOOTBALL STARS!

And congratulations also go to our players who took part in the U14's Scottish Cup game against Holyrood Secondary School.

They won 5 – 1 in their 3<sup>rd</sup> round game, to put them in the last 16!

Goal scorers were: Calvin Keenan (4) and Oliver Halliday (1)

Man of the match was Calvin Keenan.



#### DUKE OF EDINBURGH

Can all \$6 pupils taking part in the Gold Duke of Edinburgh award please attend a meeting at lunch time today (Monday 31st) in the library.



#### DUKE OF EDINBURGH

All S3 pupils who are interested in taking part in the Bronze Duke of Edinburgh award:

Please attend a meeting the library tomorrow (Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> February) at lunch time.

If you can't make it to the meeting, but are still interested in doing the award, please speak to Mr Livingstone in PE.



#### PSYCHOLOGY HELPERS NEEDED!



Miss Barrie's Higher Psychology classes are looking for some help with their experiment and assignment write up.

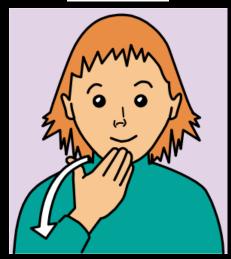
They will be contacting individual pupils and staff over the age of 16 to take part in their experiment.

Please keep an eye on your glow email and help out in any way you can!

# BSL SIGN OF THE WEEK

## "PLEASE" AND "THANK YOU"

#### <u>Please</u>



Make your hand flat and put your fingertips on your chin. Then move your hand downwards towards your own chest.

#### **Thank You**



Make your hand flat and put your fingertips on your chin. Then move your hand out towards the person you are thanking.

#### WEEKLY PUZZLE

Did you get it right?

What can you find once in a minute, twice in a moment, but never in a thousand years?

**Answer: The letter M** 

A minute = 1
A moment = 2
A thousand years = 0

# HAVE A GREAT WEEK, GRANGE.

WORK HARD.

BE KIND.