



Grange Academy Weekly Bulletin

24th June 2024


Bronze Duke of Edinburgh



A message for all S4 (old S3) pupils who did their Bronze expeditions this year:

Please attend a meeting today in PE at 1.30pm.

Thank you



Congratulations to the following pupils, who won 3rd prize in the Chinese Calligraphy Competition organized by UKAPCE.

1. Cara Connell
2. Chloe McCulley
3. Ruby Barbour
4. Nina Bednarek
5. Mathew Doig
6. Beth McCallum
7. Lynsey Sands
8. Sam Cooke
9. Charlie Scullion
10. Imogen Lusk
11. Isla Ballie
12. Ellie Thomson
13. Bethan McGarey

Please come to see Mrs Jiang in G158 on Monday Lunch 1:15 to collect your certificate and get a group photo.

Well done everyone!



Outstanding Balance for School Meals

A Message from the School Office:

Please check the balance on your School Meal account on ParentPay and if there is any outstanding balance to pay, please clear this before the end of term.

If there is any issue with this, please contact your guidance teacher to discuss.

Thank you.

Loch Eil Trip



There are still places available on our exciting Outward Bound trip to Loch Eil!

Leaves: Friday 23rd August 9am

Returns: Sunday 25th 6pm

Cost: £225 which includes all meals

Canoeing, Jacob's Ladder, raft-building, totem pole trapeze, gorge walking and loads more!



See Mrs Hill or Miss MacKinnon for more details. Click below or scan the QR code to sign up.

<https://forms.office.com/e/WFgqyjRwk3>

Apprenticeship Opportunity

A new apprenticeship opportunity for engineers:

NATS are pleased to announce they're offering an Air Traffic Control Engineering Apprenticeship starting September 2024.

This apprenticeship creates the opportunity to gain experience across a range of engineering areas at NATS, meaning that the sky is the limit for your career.

Find out more and apply here or scan the QR code: <https://bit.ly/3XekpFU>



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SWAP (Scottish Widening Access Programme) – Access to Childhood Practice

Are you interested in working with children?

It can be daunting to take the plunge into a new career – especially if you're not entirely sure what to expect.

But if you're looking for something that's rewarding, good fun, and has the potential to change lives, then our **SWAP (Scottish Widening Access Programme) – Access to Childhood Practice** could be a great career move for you!

- No formal qualifications required. Only an interest in children's learning and development.
- Bursary, Childcare and Travel Costs are available (subject to eligibility).
- Study in a supportive environment.
- Guaranteed place on HNC Childhood Practice on successful completion of course.

To register your interest or for more information please contact 01465 716169 or email chelsea.glass@south-ayrshire.gov.uk



▶ **START YOUR NEW CAREER HERE**
Find out more about our courses
and apply online at
www.ayrshire.ac.uk
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Attendance/Duration:
Starts August 2024 – June
2025
school term-time only

Monday to Friday -
09:30am to 2.30pm

Venue:
Blended Learning -
Carrick Opportunities Centre
Henrietta Street
Girvan
KA26 9AL

SCQF Level:
Level 6

The logo for First News, with 'First' in red and 'News' in blue, set against a white background.

First News

Stay informed and entertained this summer!



All Grange Academy pupils have free access to the First News app until the end of August. This gives you:

- A weekly 28-page digital newspaper
- Daily news headlines from around the world which you can read and listen to
- Access to award-winning video content, all connected to world news and current affairs
 - Games and puzzles
 - Fun polls and competitions

You can sign up for this by visiting bit.ly/grangesummerfirstnews or scanning the QR code. Speak to Mr. Crosbie in English if you are having any issues accessing the app.

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WE MAKE KILMARNOCK

KILMARNOCK FAIR FESTIVAL

SATURDAY **HOWARD**
JUNE 29 **PARK**
1:00PM - 5:00PM

EVENTS

Hosted by Billy Kirkwood
Local Arts/Performers
Kilmarnock's Got Talent Final
Taylor Swift Tribute Act
(Totally Taylor)
FREE Fairground Rides
Food & Drinks Vendors
Stalls & More

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WE MAKE KILMARNOCK

TALENT show

Calling all Singers, Dancers, Comedians!

Upload your audition to Facebook or Instagram using #WeMakeKilmarnock by 22nd of June

Four Acts will be chosen to compete in the final at Howard Park on 29th June.

One winner will be chosen by our panel of judges.

Grand Prize to be announced!

29.06.24

For more information contact us on Facebook or Instagram #wemakekilmarnock

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KILMARNOCK FAIR FESTIVAL TOWN CENTRE Concert

Hosted by 'Go' Radio's Gina McKiel
Skerryvore Concert Headliners!
Sean C Kennedy opens show!
DJ and other acts to be announced!

29TH JUNE 2024
5.00PM-10.00PM

FREE TO ATTEND | FOOD & DRINK VENDORS | STALLS & MORE

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KILMARNOCK FAIR FESTIVAL

GIVEAWAY

Park Hotel Overnight Stay & Dinner
£100 Buzzworks Voucher
£250 'Shop in Kilmarnock' Voucher
Backstage pass for Kilmarnock Fair Festival
Selection of goody bags

SCAN TO ENTER



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Foodbank Collection

There are now only **5 days** left until the summer holidays!

As always, in the run-up to the holidays Miss Cooper is collecting donations for our local foodbank.

If you are able to donate anything, please drop it off to the library.

A HUGE thank you to everyone who has donated already!



Tinned hot food (mince, burgers, stew, curry, etc)
Instant mashed potatoes
Microwavable plain rice
Tinned fruit
Tinned rice pudding
Tea
Coffee
Jam
Biscuits
UHT milk

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Leisure are available at £25
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Coaching is free
from 5pm-7pm*

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TO 17 YEARS

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Annanhill Golf Club
EST. 1957



Enquiries contact either kirsty.millar@east-ayrshire.gov.uk or
kevinwhiteagc@hotmail.com

End of School

Our last day of school before the summer is **this Friday**
(28th June).

Staff return: Monday 19th August

Pupils return: Wednesday 21st August



BSL Recap

Can you remember the sign from the last bulletin?



Prom

Hold 2 fingers on each hand pointing down
(like legs) and move them from side to side as
if they are dancing.

You can move your head too if you want!

BSL Sign of the Week

Summer Holidays



Brush the fingers of your right hand across your forehead.



Hold up both hands and tap your thumbs against your chest while wiggling your fingers slightly.



Have a great week, Grange...

And a great summer!

Work hard.

Be kind.