

Parent Interviews

These will take place on Wednesday 22nd March from 3.15pm—9pm and Wednesday 29th March from 1.30pm—7pm for P6 Room 19. We will continue to do what we can to provide a suitable appointment time but cannot always meet the requests of all parents. We appreciate your understanding in this matter.

Appointment slips for Parent Interviews will be issued on Friday 10th March, giving parents almost two weeks notice of their appointment.

East Dunbartonshire Bulb Competition

Representatives from East Dunbartonshire Council recently visited to judge the bulb growing competition for Primary 4 pupils. Bearsden Primary's winner was Jack McGeehan. Runners up were Jess O'Toole and Kerr Cockburn. Bearsden Primary was also the overall winner for the Bearsden area. The children each received a gift voucher from East Dunbartonshire Council. Congratulations to all who took part in the bulb growing competition.



Road Safety and Traffic Issues

As you know, Bearsden Cross can be very busy at 9am and at 3pm. Please leave enough time when coming to school to park safely and make sure that your child crosses any main roads with the crossing patroller or at the pedestrian lights. Parents should only allow children to leave the car on the pavement side of the road. Please do not park on double yellow lines or block residents' drive-ways. There has been a complaint from residents in Roman Court of illegal parking outside property in the private resident's bays, on an almost daily basis. Thank you for your cooperation.

A separate Sports letter will be issued giving results of the recent Cross Country races at Maryhill Park and Woodhead Park



Gastric Upsets

If your child is suffering from sickness or diarrhoea your child should remain absent until he / she has been free from symptoms for 48 hours. This will help to prevent the spread of infection. Information can be found on NHS 24.



Church Service

Our Easter Church service will be held on Friday 31st March in Bearsden Cross Parish Church at 9.30am. Please put this date in your diary and come along to celebrate with us!

Comic Relief

We will be celebrating Comic Relief on **Friday 24th March** with a non uniform day. Children can wear red that day We will also be selling Red noses and wristbands costing £1.

Visits and Visitors

- Tuesday 7th March-
- Wednesday 8th March-
- Wednesday 8th March-
- Thursday 9th March-
- Wednesday 15th March-
- Thursday 16th March-
- Friday 17th March-
- Friday 17th March-
- Friday 17th March-
- Tuesday 21st March-
- Wednesday 22nd March-

- P6 Room 13 Cycle Trip
- P4 Room 7 Cycle Trip
- P5's visiting Bannockburn
- P4 Room 6 Cycle Trip
- P5's visit from Tapsalteerie Theatre Co
- P1's visit to Sea Life Centre
- P6 Room 20 Cycle Trip
- P3 Viking Workshop
- P6 Room 19 visiting Glasgow City Chambers
- P5 Room 12 Cycle Trip
- P7 Room 14 Cycle Trip

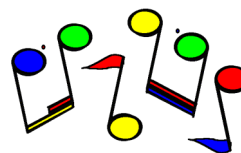


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Musical News - *Orchestral News*

Congratulations to everyone who was successful in the recent auditions for the East Dunbartonshire Primary Orchestra and Training Orchestra. Pupils have been informed and further details and forms will be sent home.



Fundraising Group News

The next meeting will be held on **Tuesday 7th March at 7.00pm** in the staffroom. All parents are welcome to attend.

Sports Day

Dates have now been finalised for our Sports Day. This will take place at Thorn Park on Friday 2nd June from 9.30–12 noon. An alternative date of Friday 9th June has been arranged in case of poor weather.



Dates for your Diary

- Thursday 2nd March- World Book Day Non Uniform
- Saturday 4th March- Fundraising Group Family Disco
- Tuesday 7th March- Bearsden Academy Project P7's
- Wednesday 8th March-Euroquiz @ Bishopbriggs Academy
- Tuesday 14th March- Bearsden Academy Project P7's
- Wednesday 22nd March-Parents' Evening
- Friday 24th March- Red Nose Day- Non Uniform
- Friday 24th March- P7 Dance festival @ Bearsden Academy
- Monday 27th March- Netball Festival
- Wednesday 29th March-Parents' evening P6 Room 19 only
- Thursday 30th March- Open Afternoon
- Friday 31st March- Easter Church Service
- Friday 31st March- School closes @ 2.30pm

Valentine's Discos

Thanks to the House Captains, Vice Captains and Mrs Stewart who organised the recent discos for pupils. Finally, thank you to staff who attended the discos, without whom these events would not be possible.

Pre-entrant programme

Dates have now been finalised for our pre-entrant programme. This is for children due to start Primary 1 in August 2017. There will be an information evening for parents on Wednesday 10th May at 7pm. Arrangements are currently being made for Bearsden PS Blazer fittings and details will be sent home as soon as they are confirmed. Pupils will also have the opportunity to visit the school on the afternoon of Thursday 18th May and Thursday 1st June. Further details will be sent directly to those pupils and parents involved.

Classes for next session

Please inform me in writing if your child will not be returning to Bearsden Primary in August 2017. This will help me to finalise numbers for next session and begin to organise classes. Information by the end of March would be appreciated.



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