

Parent Council & PTA Meeting Highlights



➤ A PLACE FOR ALL PARENTS AND CARERS TO KEEP IN TOUCH AND GET INVOLVED

✓ WELCOME

The PC, school and nursery are working together to share information about resources, provisions and SNIP actions with the parent body – first up a tour of The Lighthouse!

The Lighthouse

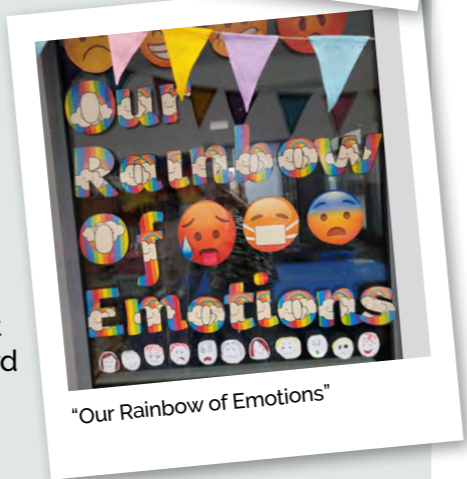
Five years ago the school recognised the need for a specialist nurture provision for children with a range of needs including:- nurture/ attachment support, ASD, ADD, ADHD, anxiety, friendship skills, and the journey to today's Lighthouse started! The previous Learning Centre was relocated freeing up space which was subsequently renovated and renamed by the children to The Lighthouse.

PC members had a tour of the warm and inviting room, noting the impact this valuable resource and team provide – with evidence all round the room of the type of nurturing activities and support provided, even opening straight out to the courtyard garden. Support is timetabled for those who have been holistically identified as requiring a shorter or longer intervention of support, with the intention of supporting them back into their main class.

The theme of 'Nurture' remains on the SNIP with plans to roll out elements to the whole school and nursery. A great visit for the PC and for us to share more about activities of the school, that may not be so well known – thank you!



The Lighthouse



"Our Rainbow of Emotions"

✓ MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Pupil Parliament received positive feedback from children, focusing on Debating Skills, Eco and Sustainability, and Diversity throughout the year

Parking and Road Safety remain on the agenda, with actions to follow up with ERC

Mobile Phone Policy – community point raised through Parent Body as a suggestion for discussion – deferred to next PC Meeting for further info.

Minutes will be published and agreed digitally from this meeting onwards

Currently have 12 PC members – open and encourage increased membership

✓ PTA UPDATE

Autumn Pumpkin Event

The Autumn Pumpkin PTA Event was very well attended and enjoyed! Thanks to all for getting involved, having plenty of fun and raising funds, that will be carefully spent on a new school Shed, Science Workshops and silent discos for our children to enjoy.

Winter Fayre

The School and Nursery Winter Fayre is up next on Thursday 7th December, and is the main fundraising event for the school and nursery, with the PTA helping to run it – this means that funds raised will go into the School and Nursery Fund to be allocated for things like subsidising trips and resources.



✓ SPORTS AND SCHOOL CLUBS

The provision of free sports clubs provides so many opportunities for our children and key to working towards the school achieving the new Sports Scotland award.

15 clubs are ready to kick off in January, as part of the 24 clubs managed by school including sports, constructions, art, reading, and dance.

CALL OUT

Call Out for any football coaches who would be able to volunteer to lead a football club!



PVG is needed, but school may be able to assist, so please do consider volunteering if you can; QR code at front door of school with more info.

Come along to our meetings or if you have any ideas or suggestions for the Parent Council or PTA just email us at netherleeparentcouncil@gmail.com or netherleapta@gmail.com.

Many Thanks, Harriet, Gillian, Emma (Co-Chairs, PC), Julie, Handri (PTA).