



Cardenden Primary School

May Newsletter



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Dates for your Diary ...



Monday 5th May	May Day Holiday – School Closed
Friday 22nd May 2025	P5-P7 Cross Country
Monday 2nd June	Holiday – School Closed
Tuesday 3rd June	Inservice – School Closed to pupils
Friday 6th June	Report Cards
Saturday 14th June (10am – 12.30pm)	Parent Council Summer Fayre
Wednesday 18th June	Sports Day
Thursday 19th June	Pre-School – P6 Moving Up Afternoon
Thursday 19th and Friday 20th June 2025	P7 Transition – Lochgelly High School
Wednesday 2nd July 2025	Leavers' Assembly and Disco
Thursday 3rd July 2025	End of Term

A message from Mrs Stewart ...

Welcome back! It's lovely to see everyone back to school after the Easter Holidays. I am looking forward to a busy **Term 4** with everything from Masterclasses to new topics, and Report Cards to Sports Days!

I am delighted to share with you that we have an updated school website which you can check out here [Cardenden Primary School | RESPECT, KINDNESS, AMBITION](https://www.cardendenprimaryschool.co.uk)

Please take some time to look around this and keep checking back as we update this. You will find our school calendar which will give you an overview of upcoming dates.

Also have a look at the Galleries where you can see some of the things we have been up to recently. If you think we could add anything to our website, please let us know on our enquiries email address.



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Assembly

This term we will be learning about **Decider Skills** at Assembly. These are a set of skills which teach children, young people, and adults how to recognise and manage their thoughts, feelings and behaviours. Please ask you child about these at home. We will be looking to offer parent sessions to share these with you as they can be used at home too. We will share this information with you at a later date but please get in touch if you have any questions.

Over the next few weeks, we will be participating in House Challenges during Assembly time too. We had our first one last week and we all had lots of fun. This term we will be starting House Huddles too which we are calling **Cardenden Chit Chats**. The purpose of these will be to discuss topics which involve all of us. This will be an important way of gathering pupil voice.

Here we are doing our **House Challenge** last week!



Parent Council – Summer Fayre

Exciting plans are underway for our **Parent Council Summer Fayre**. This will be held on **Saturday 14th June** from **10am until 12.30pm**.

Our Parent Council have been working hard to plan different stalls and performances to make this a great day for the whole family. Please keep an eye on our Parent Council Facebook page for updates.

All money raised will be used to plan either trips or visits next year e.g. buses to places of interest or a school visit to the panto at Christmas. We appreciate all your support and welcome you along to help us raise as much as possible.



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Glee



We are so proud of our Glee Choir for giving their all during their performance at the Alhambra Theatre. Well done to each and every one of you and a huge thank you to Mrs Fleming and Mrs Gillespie for your time and hard work to allow this to happen.

Kitchen Refurb ...

We are hoping to get a new kitchen installed before the end of term. This might mean we can only offer cold lunches for a few days as cooking facilities will be out of action. We will inform you by Group Call if and when this is going to happen.

House Huddles



Our first House Huddle – Cardenden Chit Chat – will focus on discussing positive behaviour, rewards, and consequences. This will help us create a whole school behaviour blueprint – a one page document which helps everyone remember what is expected of us as we continue to show Respect, Kindness, and Ambition.

Denny says ...



"I will be visiting Class of the Week and spending time with the winning class for the week. Look at some of the things I got up to when I went to P1/2!"

[Denny's Adventures | Cardenden Primary School](#)

Hot Chocolate Monday – Ice Lolly Friday!

This term, instead of Hot Chocolate with the Headteacher, anyone who earns a Positive Postcard will have an Ice Lolly after assembly to celebrate and share good news together. All we need now is the sunshine!

Do you have any old teddies you can donate for our teddy tombola for the Summer Fayre? Please bring to Mrs Stewart if you do!



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We need your views!

Please click the link below to answer a short survey.

<https://forms.office.com/e/7TPViAiehe>

Remits

From now until the end of term, Mrs Stewart and Mrs Fleming will have specific remits and classes who they support. This is your main contact if you have a query or question which requires attention of the Senior Leadership Team.

Nursery – P3/4 – Mrs Stewart

P4/5 – P6/7 – Mrs Fleming

Infant After School Club

We will be looking to invite any pupils in P1/2 and P2/3 who do not attend after school activities to join a 3-week multisport club ran by our Pupil Support Assistants. We will be in touch with parents with more information as this is arranged. If you would like your child to be considered, please speak to your child's class teacher.

