



Lawhead Primary School & Nursery

Friday 8th March 2024



'Aiming High'

Embracing Challenge, Nurturing Creativity, Being Responsible, Showing Respect, Celebrating Achievement

What's Happening Next Week?

Monday 11/03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Big walk and wheel – next 2 weeks – how many days can your child actively travel to school? • AM – St Andrews University mobile planetarium in school – P6 and P7 classes • Mr Greenall's lunchtime board game club P4 and P5
Tuesday 12/03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Munro's After School Football – P6/7 • Active Schools P5-7 After School Netball (outdoors) • Mrs. Simpson's after school craft club – 4 week block – Week 2 of 4
Wednesday 13/03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AM – P4-7 assembly with Mrs. Bain and P1-3 assembly with Mrs Simpson • Miss Johnston & Mrs Nixon's lunchtime singing club P5 • P5, P6 and P7 violin/viola groups with Mr Higgins • 6-8pm – Parent/teacher meetings
Thursday 14/03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • International school meals day • AM Kingdom FM recording radio feature with P1 group • Mrs Johnston's lunchtime P6 and P7 cross country • PM – P4/5 Outdoor learning session - please dress warm with sensible footwear • After school rugby t.b.c
Friday 15/03	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Red Nose Day • Walking bus – sign up using this link: https://forms.office.com/e/zTcSjRPcN0 • 9-10.40am – P5/6 Outdoor learning session - please dress warm with sensible footwear • P4-7 Homework club with Mrs. Bain 12.55-12.25pm • Deadline for P1 applications and placing requests for session 2024-2025 • 2-3pm – Cuppa Chat – in the school hall – all parents/carers welcome – numeracy focus

Class SWAYs:

Nursery: Visit your child's SeeSaw account to keep up-to-date on your child's nursery experiences.

P1: https://sway.office.com/uUpi3A7HpEhIJVpg?ref=Link	P4/5: https://sway.office.com/vELlhJcvtNpBIMOn?ref=Link
P1/2: https://sway.office.com/peubyKDzLKDHFVvw?ref=Link	P5/6: https://sway.office.com/wYUzXLKRKGfBOY2C?ref=Link
P2/3: https://sway.office.com/8uLMDJmJWg2KHiFe?ref=Link	P6: https://sway.office.com/yBT4OhCFaDILryIA?ref=Link
P3/4: https://sway.office.com/7NjZdtRdlSZkyoy9?ref=Link	P7: https://sway.office.com/q8F4FmBlSawJ6Zi6?ref=Link

Red Nose Day – Friday 15th March 2024:

On Friday we are having a PJ day for comic relief. Pupils can come to school dressed in their PJs and bring along a donation to this worthy cause. Donations can also be made online using this link - [Donate | Comic Relief](#)

Pupils in P5/6 who have outdoor learning from 9-10.30am should come to school dressed suitably for their session but can change into their PJs after.

The house captains will also be organising an obstacle course for the pupils to enjoy at lunch time.

Dressing in PJs is completely optional – anyone not wishing to do this should come to school in their uniform as normal.



School Website Updates:

We are currently developing two sections of our school website. Please follow these links to see what is new. Feedback from parents/carers is always appreciated.

Learning At Home:

[Learning At Home | Lawhead Primary School and Nursery \(glowscotland.org.uk\)](https://www.glowscotland.org.uk)

Support For Learning:

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Welcome!

We are pleased to share the news that we have a new clerical assistant in our school office. We are please to welcome Mrs Eilidh Vettraino to our team. Mrs. Vettraino will be working two mornings per week at Lawhead.

BSL Signs of the Week:

We are learning the days of the week - [How to Sign Days of the Week in British Sign](#)



Monday

Fingerspell 'M' taps palm twice.
Mouth shape 'Monday'.



Tuesday

Fingerspell 'T' tap twice.
Mouth shape 'Tuesday'.



Wednesday

Fingerspell 'W' tap twice.
Mouth shape 'Wednesday'.



Thursday

Fingerspell 'T' then fingerspell 'H' in one fluid motion. Mouth shape 'Thursday'.



Friday

Fingerspell 'F' then the fingers on primary hand move in circular motion on top of stationary fingers.



Saturday

Hands flat in front of body, primary hand makes circular motions in front of stationary hand.



Sunday

Both hands open, palms facing. Palm to palm twice in front of body.

Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel – 11th – 22nd March:

Between the 11th and 22nd March we are taking part in the Sustrans 'Big Walk and Wheel' ([Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel 2024](#)). Children are encouraged to make active journeys to/from school to help improve the air quality around our school. Active journeys will be logged as part of a national contest and we might even win some prizes for our school.

Active travel includes walking, park and stride, using the walking bus, cycling and scootering. Anything you can do to encourage active travel would be appreciated.



School Uniform Exchange:

Our school uniform exchange is now very well established and we have received many donations. We are at the stage where we no longer have capacity to accept any further donations until the current stock levels reduce. Please feel free to pop in to reception at any time to browse the stock we have – we have jumpers, cardigans, polo shirts, jackets, trousers, skirts, summer dresses and school bags in various sizes. The uniform exchange will also be available at our upcoming parent teacher meetings.

Dear Parent/Carer,

I am delighted to inform you that registration for the Links Trust SALJA programme is now open!

SALJA allows pupils from across the Madras College Cluster to access over 10 weeks of golfing lessons, 100 balls at the driving range a day and access to courses for just £30 for the full year. Pupils can sign up to SALJA that both have experience in Golf or that have zero experience in Golf. The Links Trust can also support your child in accessing golf clubs to ensure that this is not a barrier to participation. This is a fantastic programme and is delivered on by fantastic PGA golf pros. To register your child and for more information on this offering please follow the link below.

<https://www.golfgenius.com/websites/469034?preview=false>



[St Andrews Links](#)
[Junior Golf](#)
[Association Event ::](#)
[SALJGA Welcome](#)
www.golfgenius.com

Please note that this is not an Active Schools offering, it is a community-based offering only and is led on by the Links Trust

Thank you,
Madison Garland
Active Schools

***Please note this opportunity is only for pupils residing in St Andrews**

School Photographs

Ian Mitchell Photography visited Lawhead this week. Pupils who had their photograph taken should have come home with ordering information in their school bags. The photographer has advised that images should be uploaded to and available in his 'online shop' by the end of today (Friday 8 March), if not before. There is an option for free delivery of prints to Lawhead, as well as the usual option for home address delivery (postage cost applied). The order deadline for free delivery to Lawhead is Sunday 31 March. We expect to receive the bulk school delivery prints during week commencing Monday 15 April, 2024 and will confirm delivery and onward distribution to pupils once we have received them.



Parent Advice Line



Do you live in Fife and have concerns about your child's speech, language or communication skills? We have experienced therapists available to take your calls if you have any questions.



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Please note education staff and health visitors should contact us via the Children's Services Enquiry Line (see your management team or team leader for info)

