



Lawhead Primary School & Nursery

Friday 7th June 2024



'Aiming High'

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

What's Happening Next Week?

Monday 10/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bike Week – see information below – the school can win prizes if enough people cycle to school this week! Please use the red bike rack for P1-3 and blue bike rack for P4-7.
Tuesday 11/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P7 Transition – Madras all day Mr. Munro's after school football
Wednesday 12/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P7 Transition – Madras all day 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
Thursday 13/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P7 Transition – Madras all day AM – P1 and P1/2 – Morning at Botanic Gardens – see email for further information
Friday 14/06	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Walking bus – sign up using this link: https://forms.office.com/e/zTcSjRPcN0 AM - P1/2 Outdoor learning session - please dress appropriately for the weather House meetings Lunchtime homework club P4-7 End of session reports sent home today

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/uUpi3A7HpEhJIVpg?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/BuLMDImJWg2KhfFe?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

Message From Our Parent Council:

Recently there has been a great deal of media attention and public debate regarding concerns that parents and teachers have about smartphones and children.

This recent study carried out in England has found that an overwhelming majority of parents (83%) feel that smartphones are harmful to their children. 77% of parents of primary school children would support a ban on smartphones for children under the age of 16. The full results are available here:

<https://www.parentkind.org.uk/research-and-policy/parent-research/research-library/school-education-policies/parent-poll-on-smartphones-march-2024#>

Lawhead Parent Council is interested in gathering some opinions from our parent body on the topic of smartphones and children. This short survey is completely anonymous. If you have more than one child at Lawhead, we would be grateful if you could complete a survey for each child. It will be available for two weeks from today and the Parent Council will report on the results after the survey has closed.

<https://forms.office.com/r/iCLDwAGHCK>

Parking Concerns:

Parking around the school grounds at morning drop off and pick up time is an ongoing problem and concern that we ask all parents to take seriously. The turning circle must be kept clear at ALL times. The Cosmos staff are unable to collect children in the minibus as some parents continue to park in an inconsiderate and illegal manner. The car park is for school staff only. We need all parents who drive to drop off/collect their child to park further away from the school entrance to reduce the dangerous level on congestion. We have shared our concerns with the local police and safer community team.



Bike Week:

Join us and get ready for an epic week of cycling! From Monday 10th June to Friday 14th June, we're asking you to ditch the car keys and embrace two wheels. Our school will be taking part in this national campaign to encourage pupils to cycle to school and help stop congestion around the school gate.

The Fife school travel plan team will visit the school one day during the week to count how many bikes we have at school and the winning school will receive a Dr Bike Session!

Books:

Next week will be the final week that reading books and library books will be sent home before the summer holidays. Please can we ask all families to have a good look at home for any books or resources that belong to the school – on shelves, under beds, in bags, etc! If you find anything with the Lawhead stamp please send it in with your child or hand in to the school office. Many of our group reading sets are now incomplete as books have not been returned from home. Thank you in advance for your help.



Levenmouth Treasure Trail:

The Fife school travel team have been working really hard on creating a Levenmouth Treasure Trail to celebrate the opening of the new railway stations at Leven and Windygates.

There are amazing prizes up for grabs including, **10 Free Family Rail Passes and Family days out to Lochore Meadows and Deep Sea World.**

There are 4 treasure trails to be completed, Leven, Methil/Buckhaven, Kennoway and Wemyss Villages. Collect the clues along the way to reveal hidden words and then form the **winning phrase.**

More information and Maps can be downloaded by clicking this link. Paper maps can also be collected from Together Levenmouth Hub, 45 High Street, Leven, KY8 4NE

[Levenmouth Treasure Trails/Fife Council](#)

SeeSaw – Nursery Parents:

Please can we remind parents with children in nursery that you should never use your child's SeeSaw account to report your child as absent. This must always be done by calling or emailing the school office.

Sandcastle Competition



East Sands, St Andrews

To be held on Thursdays
4th, 11th, 18th, 25th July & 1st, 8th and 15th August
Competition starts 10.30am- Judging at 11.45am

Entry: Donations - All money raised goes to the
Cosmos Centre, St Andrews

Open to all ages - Prize vouchers for winners
Sponsors: The Cheesy Toast Shack, Jannettas Gelateria
and Friends of Craigtoun

For more information contact
Forbes Lockhart – 01334 870510 / Gordon Moir 07850 139799

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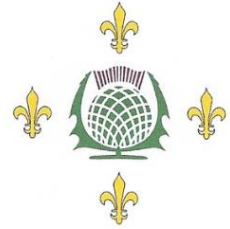


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Sign Up Link: <https://forms.office.com/r/Nv3n7jfTyc>

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D-Day Anniversary Event

Saturday 8th June: 11 am - 3 pm

Café de la Libération

with
St Andrews Loches Alliance

Fresh Crêpes

Croissants & Teacakes

Teas & Coffees

French Games

“Loches en 1944” Exhibition

WWII Memorabilia Tent

with
Cupar Heritage Museum

and

Liz Box's 1940s
Vintage Collection

We'll Meet Again

A medley of timeless classics
performed by
St Andrews Community Choir
at 1200 & 1330 hrs

2 Bn REME

St Andrews Army Cadets

RAFA



Craigtoun Country Park, by St Andrews, Fife KY16 8NX

Ticket Office: 01334 472013 / Café: 01334 478903

Email: enquiries@friendsofcraigtoun.org.uk

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