



# Lawhead Primary School & Nursery

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2024



## 'Aiming High'

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

### What's Happening Next Week?

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| <b>Monday<br/>28/20</b>    |   |
| <b>Tuesday<br/>29/10</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nursery – Group at the beach</li> <li>PM – P5 Outdoor learning – please ensure pupils have coat, trousers and sensible footwear</li> <li>After school rugby resumes – P6 and P7 – 3.05 – 3.45pm</li> <li>Madras welcome evening for P7 parents 6-7pm – see previous email for details</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Wednesday<br/>30/10</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>AM – P5, P6 and P7 violin and viola groups with Mr. Higgins</li> <li>AM – St Leonards swimming group</li> <li>Miss Ezra's lunchtime knitting and crochet club – P6 and P7</li> <li>Parent Council Halloween discos – sign up using this link <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/5rF8v3vJjF">Lawhead Halloween Disco (office.com)</a></li> </ul> |
| <b>Thursday<br/>31/10</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9.15-10.05am – P4-7 assembly with Mrs. Bain</li> <li>11.10-11.50am – P1-3 assembly with Mrs. Simpson</li> <li>PM – Madras sports ambassadors leading PE with P5</li> <li>PM – P6 Outdoor learning – please ensure pupils have coat, trousers and sensible footwear</li> </ul>  |
| <b>Friday<br/>01/11</b>    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Walking bus – sign up by following this link - <a href="https://forms.office.com/e/5rF8v3vJjF">https://forms.office.com/e/5rF8v3vJjF</a></li> <li>New and existing walking bus participants must complete the form</li> <li>Sports leader training at Madras – P7 group attending with Mr. Munro</li> </ul>                                      |

### Class SWAYs for 2024-2025:

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| Nursery | Please view your child's See Saw account for updates on your child's learning and nursery experiences.                      |
| P1      | <a href="https://sway.cloud.microsoft/W6cxgLLLqH0btgT5?ref=Link">https://sway.cloud.microsoft/W6cxgLLLqH0btgT5?ref=Link</a> |
| P1/2    | <a href="https://sway.cloud.microsoft/44JpolEdnJa311NU?ref=Link">https://sway.cloud.microsoft/44JpolEdnJa311NU?ref=Link</a> |
| P2/3    | <a href="https://sway.cloud.microsoft/PSajnalqE3Mc5lyq?ref=Link">https://sway.cloud.microsoft/PSajnalqE3Mc5lyq?ref=Link</a> |
| P3/4    | <a href="https://sway.cloud.microsoft/tZhXT9lieOZHbf7R?ref=Link">https://sway.cloud.microsoft/tZhXT9lieOZHbf7R?ref=Link</a> |
| P4/5    | <a href="https://sway.cloud.microsoft/u0Pvli7F9CtBAUCY?ref=Link">https://sway.cloud.microsoft/u0Pvli7F9CtBAUCY?ref=Link</a> |
| P5      | <a href="https://sway.cloud.microsoft/raq61yGhslrKuJvp?ref=Link">https://sway.cloud.microsoft/raq61yGhslrKuJvp?ref=Link</a> |
| P6      | <a href="https://sway.cloud.microsoft/0ANk5ox6q5RqMzQO?ref=Link">https://sway.cloud.microsoft/0ANk5ox6q5RqMzQO?ref=Link</a> |
| P7      | <a href="https://sway.cloud.microsoft/Tijl65EJgkpU1zpp?ref=Link">https://sway.cloud.microsoft/Tijl65EJgkpU1zpp?ref=Link</a> |

### Halloween Costumes:

Now that our Halloween discos are so well established and very well attended by almost all pupils in the school and nursery we have taken the decision NOT to have children come to school or nursery dressed up on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October. We have a number of activities scheduled on this date that would be impeded by the wearing of costumes including outdoor learning.

All children in the nursery and the younger classes will have access to dressing up costumes as part of their role play.

We hope parents will support this decision as Halloween and dressing up can be unsettling and upsetting for some of our learners and all pupils will have the chance to dress up for the disco on 30<sup>th</sup>.

### Messages from the School Office:

There are some baking containers still remaining in the School Office following the Bake Sale on the last day of term. These will be available to collect from either outside the School Office or inside.


#### Nursery only

Each term, we advise that if you wish to make a donation towards the daily **Nursery snack** that you can do so by making an online payment to Lawhead Nursery as follows:


Bank of Scotland  
Account Name: Lawhead Nursery Fund  
Sort Code: 80-09-55  
Account Number: 06005135

A suggested amount for Term 2 is £18, based on £2 per week for a child attending full-time, however, there is no obligation to contribute to this and any amount you wish to make is acceptable.

*Calling all local dancers! Starting this **Thursday 31st, Halloween Day**, from **16:00 - 17:00**, we're offering a **FREE** 4-week dance class for kids! They'll explore a variety of dance styles including **Lyrical, Highland, Ballet, and Hip-Hop!***

 **Every Thursday (October 31<sup>st</sup> – November 28<sup>th</sup>) | 15:45 - 16:45**

 Hosted by the **University Dance Club at Saints Sports**

 **Open to all skill levels!**

Bookings can be made via telephone on 01334 462190 or emailing the reception team at [Sportsreception@st-andrews.ac.uk](mailto:Sportsreception@st-andrews.ac.uk)

*The University Dance Club can't wait to see them shine on the dance floor!*

*Limited spaces available – Sign up now!*

### Funding For Our New Visual Display System:

We would like to say a huge thank you to our Parent Council and to Eva Groeneveld in particular. The school has been awarded a £6000 grant from the St Andrews Community Trust. This will cover the majority of the cost for our new AV system and the Parent Council fundraising efforts will cover the rest. Installation is scheduled for early November. We are looking forward to using our new system for our upcoming Christmas concerts and our 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations later this year. We are incredibly grateful.

### Christmas Tree Donation:

As we look forward to the upcoming festive season we are reaching out to our parent body to see if anyone can donate a real Christmas tree for our school hall in December. Last year Mrs Simpson kindly donated a tree from her garden. If anyone is in a position to help us out please contact the school office. Thanks in advance.



JOIN US FOR A

# Halloween Disco

Wednesday  
**30**  
October

Nursery-P3: 5.30pm- 6.45pm  
P4 - P7: 7pm- 8.15pm  
Suggested donation at the door: £1  
Tattoos for sale: 50p  
Drink and snack provided  
Prizes for best costume & pumpkin

*Greetings ISLAND*



**SUNDAY 27 October**

**11AM - 3PM**

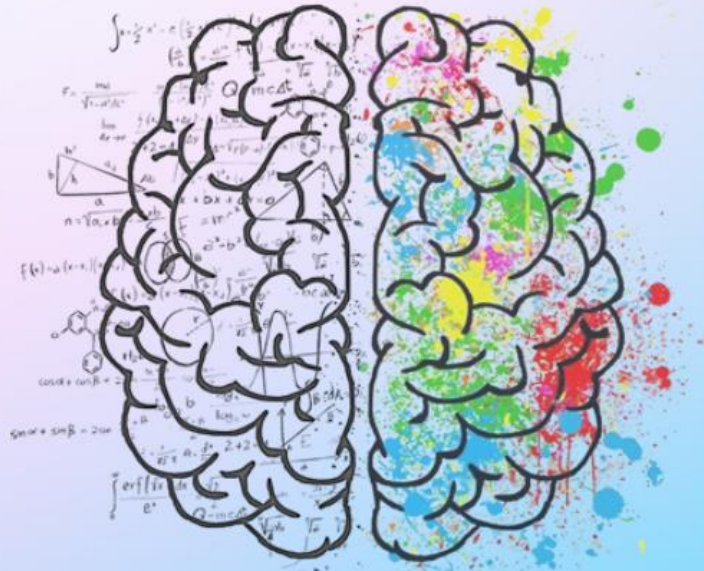
**MIND AND  
MATTER 2024**

**JOIN US FOR A DAY OF FUN AND  
EXPLORATION!**

**MORE INFORMATION**



<https://impact.wp.st-andrews.ac.uk/mind-and-matter-2024/>



# CLUBS AT MADRAS

COLLEGE COMMUNITY USE



**MON**

**NETBALL: 17.45** \*P4-7

**TUE**

**ACRO: 17.45** \*P1-7

**WED**

**DJ SCHOOL: 17.45**  
\*P4-7

**SAT** AM

**GAMES CLUB: 10.30**

\*P1-7

**FOR PRIMARY AGED  
CHILDREN**

WE ALSO HAVE BALLET, JAZZ,  
HIGHLAND, HIP HOP AND CHEERLEADING

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT  
[COMMUNITYUSE.MADRAS@FIFE.GOV.UK](mailto:COMMUNITYUSE.MADRAS@FIFE.GOV.UK)







# Forgan's Winter Market

TUESDAY 12TH NOVEMBER  
3:30PM TILL 6:30PM

*Featuring local suppliers and our very own light switch on!*

*Arts, crafts, food and drink stands!*

*Mulled wine and Christmas Canapés!*

**FOR THE KIDS!**

*Facepainting & Santa's Elves*

*Kids eat free with every paying adult!*

*Walk ins welcome*

*[forransstandrews.co.uk](http://forransstandrews.co.uk)*

