

# **Lawhead Primary School & Nursery**



# Friday 14th November 2025

### 'Aiming High'

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

### What's Happening Next Week?

Monday 17/11	<ul> <li>P7 NSAs to be completed this week – follow this link to find out more <u>Parents and Carers</u></li> <li>AM – YMI Music Technology project (upper school)</li> <li>Multi-sport lunchtime club for selected P1-3 pupils 12.55pm - 1.25pm</li> <li>PM – P7 Bikeability – Group 2 – please bring warm clothes and a jacket</li> </ul>	
Tuesday 18/11	<ul> <li>P3/4 Outdoor Learning – PM – please ensure all pupils wear long trousers, have appropriate footwear and jacket</li> <li>After-school Netball club with Miss Hippisley and Mrs Simpson, 3.15pm - 4.15pm</li> </ul>	
Wednesday 19/11	<ul> <li>Mr Higgins – AM – violin/viola lessons</li> <li>AM – P1-3 Assembly with Mrs Simpson</li> <li>PM – P4-7 Assembly with Mrs Bain</li> </ul>	
Thursday 20/11	<ul> <li>Active Schools coach in school this morning to work with some classes</li> <li>NHS Flu immunisation mop-up exercise for selected pupils</li> <li>AM - Swimming at St Leonards am (selected pupils)</li> <li>P3 Outdoor Learning – PM – please ensure all pupils wear long trousers, have appropriate footwear and jacket</li> </ul>	
Friday 21/11	<ul> <li>Children In Need – Dress down day and pennies for Pudsey</li> <li>AM - P5-7 – Pupil Leadership Groups</li> </ul>	

#### **Cinderella**

M & M Theatrical Productions are visiting Lawhead in the afternoon of Friday 28 November to perform 'Cinderella'! All pupils and Nursery children will attend this exciting performance.

A fund has been set-up in iPayimpact entitled 'Cinderella - M & M Theatrical Performance, 28/11/25'. We would be grateful if parents/carers of <u>school</u> pupils can make a donation towards the cost of this professional visiting performance via **iPayimpact**, a guide of £4 per child would provide a partial contribution to the overall cost of this performance.

Can <u>nursery</u> parents/carers please instead make an online bank transfer donation to the **school bank account**, as follows:

Bank of Scotland

Account Name: Lawhead Primary School Fund

Account Number: 00545206

Sort Code: 80-09-55

Reference: Please enter your child's name

This performance costs the school £1500 so parent donations towards the cost are very gratefully received. So far the number of donations is very low and the school will then cover the remining cost. Having the opportunity to experience live theatre is a fun learning opportunity for the pupils that we may not be able to provide moving forward without the support of donations from families.

## **Donation for Nursery**

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

Reference: Please enter your child's name

If you prefer to donate cash for your child's snack/other, a money box is available in Nursery for this purpose, though online payments are preferred due to banking charges. There are 8 full weeks in Term 2 and the suggested amount is £2 per week for a child attending nursery full-time, however, there is no obligation to contribute to this and any amount you wish to make will be gratefully received, thank you

#### Class SWAYs for 2025-2026:

Nursery	Please view your child's See Saw account for updates on your child's learning and nursery experiences.
P1/2	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/hFpwupdrKTII2DiY?ref=Link
P2	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/a544d8mpXlcfOrdk?ref=Link
Р3	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/pqga2z9TXkB5T9GW?ref=Link
P3/4	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/xoLFVRlgtraF3SOM?ref=Link
P4/5	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/Eo9oglCxIbrJwSkU?ref=Link
P5/6	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/oz9rkJaUawopLTvm?ref=Link
P6	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/bS9V5sF2lYtbedWk?ref=Link
P7	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/EEhfKrvZuVPWP16C?ref=Link

#### Follow this link to view our school annual calendar on the school website:

(Information For Parents: | Lawhead Primary School and Nursery)

#### **Children In Need:**

As this year's Children In Need clashed with our inset day we have decided to delay our activities until Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November. We plan to have a no uniform day and our annual pennies for Pudsey collection. Pupils can come dressed in their normal clothes (no PJs, costumes or football/sports team kits) with a suggested donation of £1. Please bring your coppers in to make our giant Pudsey from pennies. House captains will visit classes to collect donations.

## PE Day Reminder and Uniform Expectations:

Please note there have been some changes to PE days due to timetable changes.

P1/2 – Miss Morrow and Miss Hippisley	Tuesday (inside) and Friday (outside)
P2 – Mrs Allan	Monday (outside), Tuesday (currently working with football coach
	so can be outdoors) and Wednesday (indoors)
P3 – Mr Greenall	Monday (indoors) and Thursday (outside)
P3/4 – Mrs Simpson and Miss Johnston	Thursday (inside) and Friday (outside)
P4/5 – Mrs Currie	Tuesday (indoors) and Friday (outside)
P5/6 – Mr Munro	Monday (indoors) and Thursday (outside)
P6 – Miss Garty	Tuesday (outside) and Friday (inside)
P7 – Miss Forsyth	Monday (outside) and Friday (inside)

It is very important that pupils have appropriate clothing and footwear in order to safely take part in their PE lessons. Parents may wish to send kit in to school on a Monday and leave it in school all week. Pupils can then take it home on a Friday to be washed if required.

Crocs and sliders are not appropriate footwear for any PE lessons. Wearing footwear of this type for PE can lead to injury. Pupils will be asked to do indoor PE in bare feet if they don't have suitable footwear to avoid slips and falls or alternative footwear will be provided from available stock in school.

All jewellery and watches must be removed before the start of a lesson. This is the responsibility of the learner so please make sure they can remove their earrings or provide micro pore tape to cover earrings if they can't be removed.

The school uniform guidance can be viewed by following this link - <u>School Uniform | Lawhead Primary School and Nursery</u>. We appreciate parental support in ensuring that this guidance is followed.

PE kit, indoor shoes and uniform spot checks are carried out and pupils can earn bonus points for their house during these checks.

#### Message From Fife Xmas Trees – sales@fifexmastrees.co.uk

We work with Adventure Golf Island in Fife Leisure Park and we provide families in the Fife, Edinburgh, Dundee and Lothians areas with real Christmas trees every year! We are running our popular referral scheme whereby everyone who buys a tree from us just has to mention the school their children (or grandchildren/relative) attend and for each tree purchased the school receives a free game voucher for Adventure Golf Island! Last year we were able to give 100 tickets to Sciennes Primary School in Edinburgh that were used to raise valuable funds for their school library! Their Parent Council were delighted!

This is our 18th year doing this and the trees will be available from the 21<sup>rd</sup> November and are available to preorder now and what's better if you use code <u>VIP</u> by typing it into the text code on <u>www.fifexmastrees.co.uk</u> and you will receive a heavily discounted Christmas tree when you pre-order! We are also able to provide some discounted large trees for School and Community Displays! (We only sell beautiful Scottish trees!)

Hello from the School Christmas Fair Committee,

Plans are underway for the Lawhead Christmas Fair on Saturday 29th November from 1pm – 3pm. We hope you will all come and support us to raise lots of funds for the new school equipment and the school fund. You will see from the poster we have lots going on!

# We need your help!

To help us with the fair, we would be extremely grateful if parents could get behind us and donate for the following stalls:

#### **Christmas decorations**

Grateful for any extra/spare Christmas decorations you may have that we could dress the hall and Santa's Grotto with.

#### Main Stall supplies

- Home Baking- all donations welcome
- Adult Bottle Stall- all donations welcome
- The Elves Emporium 2 hand toys to form a 'white elephant' stall for kids to buy from
- Books any unwanted children's books would be hugely appreciated to make into bundles to sell on behalf of the Nursery.
- Christmas Jumper swap stall free on the day and in time for the school Christmas Jumper Day on Thursday 11th Dec.

#### Kids Santa-rific Fun Area

This year the out-of-school club room will be turned into a games and kids friendly zone to raise funds for LoveOliver and Young Lives vs Cancer, fantastic Children's Cancer charities that are currently supporting one of

We would be grateful for any donations to support the stalls in this area:

- Kids raffle donations (new toys, books, games, stationary, gifts sweeties etc)
- Chocolate Tombola- chocolate donations

## Raffle tickets

We have an incredible raffle this year and will be sending home some raffle tickets with each child soon for parents, family and friends to buy/sell. Tickets are £1 each and it would be great if you could share with family and friends – extra tickets are available if needed from the School Office.

#### Parent helpers

We are also on the lookout for some parent helps to help us run the stalls on the day. If you are available please let a member of the parent council know asap.

**Donation drop off** – please kindly drop off at school office

w/c 17th November – Friday, 28th November All donations expect home baking Friday 28th November

**Home Baking** 

Spread the word and we look forward to seeing you!





# £1 PER ENTRY FOR LEGO CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

**DECORATIONS SHOULD FIT ON AN 8x8 LEGO PLATE** 





FAIR (29TH NOV) UNTIL 1:45PM WITH JUDGING OP-ENING FROM 1:45-2:30PM. THE WINNER WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT THE END OF THE FAIR



Contact the children's services phone line if you are a parent, carer or professional looking for advice and support.

We have members of the following teams available to take your call:

- Speech and Language Therapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy
- Neurodevelopmental Team
- > Child Development Centre

Call 01592 226699



Tuesdays 10am-12 noon and Wednesdays 2pm-4pm