



Lawhead Primary School & Nursery

Friday 30th January 2026



'Aiming High'

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

What's Happening Next Week?

Monday 02/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• P6 Bikeability – Group 2 (final session, next week group 3 will begin)
Tuesday 03/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PM – P7 Outdoor Learning – please ensure your child has warm clothing and sensible footwear for an afternoon outdoors• After-school Netball club with Miss Hippisley and Mrs Simpson, 3.15pm - 4.15pm
Wednesday 04/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• P5, P6 and P7 violin/viola lessons with Mr Higgins• Infant assembly (AM) and upper school assembly (PM)
Thursday 05/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PM – P6 Outdoor Learning – please ensure your child has warm clothing and sensible footwear for an afternoon outdoors• After-school Football Club with Mr Munro 3.05pm - 4.15pm for selected P6 and P7s
Friday 06/02	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Walking bus – sign up using this link - https://forms.office.com/e/5rF8v3vJjF• P6 Internet Safety session with Police Scotland• Lunchtime Scripture Union• Lunchtime cross country club

Parentwise Survey:

This week all parents will have received an email regarding the Parentwise survey. All parents are encouraged to share their views and provide feedback on the educational experience of your child/ren.

<https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/Parentwise2026/>

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/hFpwupdrKTll2DiY?ref=Link
P2	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/a544d8mpXlcfOrdK?ref=Link
P3	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/pqga2z9TXkB5T9GW?ref=Link
P3/4	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/xoLFVRlgtraF3SOM?ref=Link
P4/5	https://sway.cloud.microsoft/Eo9ogICxIbrJwSkU?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](#))

Nursery and School Enrolments for 2026-2027

Early Learning and Childcare (Nursery) applications for 2026- 2027 are now open and will close end of day 31st January 2026 [Nursery Places for 3 and 4-year-olds | Fife Council](#)

Primary 1 Applications for August 2026 are now open and will close on 15th March 2026.
[Enrol in primary school | Fife Council](#)

S1 Placing Requests for August 2026 are now open and will close on 15th March 2026.
[Enrol in secondary school | Fife Council](#)

Open Afternoon – Tuesday 10th February – 1.45-2.45pm:

We are looking forward to welcoming parents/carers into the school for our next open afternoon. You will have the opportunity to enjoy some topic related learning in class with your child and the pupils will also be sharing their Scottish country dancing in the school hall. Closer to this date we will send out further details around timings for the dancing in the hall and where to sign in/out. We hope you can make it.

Reporting absences:

A reminder that you can report absences using **one** of the following methods (in order of preference):

1. parentsportal.scot app*, choose 'absences', '+report absence' and complete the relevant fields, or
2. Text 07860003786
3. Email lawheadps.enquiries@fife.gov.uk
4. Call 01334 659426
5. Advise School Office staff at the front door

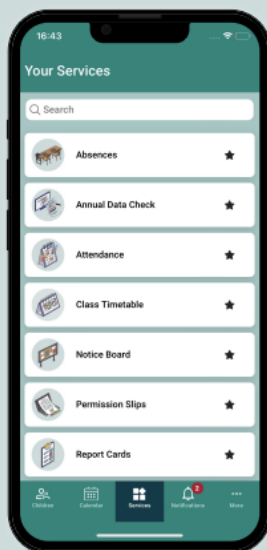
See poster below for details on how to download the Parentsportal App (school pupils only)

parentsportal.scot

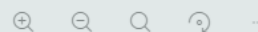
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Annual Data Check

It is now time to complete the 'Annual Data Check' for your child/ren. For parents/carers of school pupils 'Main contacts' only will receive a system notification in parentsportal.scot today to carry out the 'Annual Data Check' within the parentsportal.scot system. Please take a few minutes to access this, update the record(s), if applicable, and **submit** the 'Annual Data Check' (even if there are no changes in the information we hold), by Friday 6 February 2026.

For school pupils where only the 'Secondary Contact' is registered and linked in parentsportal.scot only the 'Main Contact' can carry out the specific 'Annual Data Check' task, however, you can still update your own details within parentsportal.scot.

Please access this SWAY <https://sway.office.com/X3BaoZl8IAu4uE2M?ref=Link> for information on how to complete this on the parentsportal.scot **app**. Using the app is so much easier to access, navigate and interact with so please do download and utilise the app at your earliest convenience.

If neither parent has registered/linked a child in school **or** you are a parent/carer of a nursery child, you will receive a paper copy to carry out this task.

This is an important task to ensure that we have the most up-to-date and accurate information about you and your child, thank you for your support.

Poetry Competition:

A huge well done to all of the pupils who worked hard to learn their Scottish poems this year. The standard was very high and we are very proud of the effort everyone put in. On Monday members of the Burns Society of St Andrews visited the school to listen to our finalists from P1-7. They were amazed by the high standard. A special assembly has been arranged for Monday 16th February at 2pm where representatives from the Burns Society will return to present certificates to all finalists and prizes will also be presented to the pupils who came 1st and 2nd in each stage. Parents/carers of our prize winners will be invited to attend – an email will follow next week with additional information.



THE NEW ERA

New Team. New Kits. New Attitude.



**ONLY 2 SPACES
LEFT for 2017s
& 2020s!**

**Recruiting Players Born In:
2020, 2018 & 2017**

GUARANTEED GAME TIME.

Our squads are capped so everyone plays every match.

- Qualified Coaches
- 🏠 Specialist Fitness Training
- 🐦 Player Development Focus

crailunitedfootball@gmail.com



Letter from Crail United –

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Is your child ready to fall in love with football? **Crail United Football Club** is officially recruiting, and we are looking for players who want to develop their skills in a positive, high-energy environment.

We aren't just another club; we are a **New Team** with **New Kits** and a brand-**New Attitude** toward youth football. Our focus is entirely on player development and ensuring every child enjoys the game.

Why join Crail United?

- **Qualified & Enthusiastic Coaches:** Our staff is dedicated to building confidence and skill.
- **Specialist Training:** We've already integrated Fife Football Fitness sessions and are bringing in specialist coaches to further develop our squads throughout the year.
- **Maximum Game Time:** We cap our team sizes so that **every child** is invited to play in **every match**. No one gets left behind.

Current Availability:

We are currently welcoming players born in the following years:

- **2018's Spaces available!**
- **2017's ONLY 2 SPACES REMAINING**
- **2020's ONLY 2 SPACES REMAINING**

Interested in joining the United family? Spaces are limited and once they are filled then a waiting list will begin. Please email us today to secure a spot or ask any questions:

✉ crailunitedfootball@gmail.com

You can also find us on Facebook.

We currently train on a Sunday morning at Waid Astro but will be training Monday evenings with games on Saturdays from March.

We look forward to seeing you on the pitch!

Best regards,

The Crail United FC Team



Early Years in Fife

Important information
for parents and carers

Applying for a nursery place for 3 & 4 years old children in 2026/27

Was your child born between
1st March 2023 and 29th February 2024?

Do you want your child to attend a
Fife Council Nursery between
August 2026 and July 2027?

- If your child does not currently attend nursery (academic year 2025-26) or
- if your child has a 2-year-old placement or
- if you are looking to change your child's current placement type you must complete an application form online at www.fife.gov.uk/elcplaces between 15th December 2025 and 31st January 2026.

You will be able to apply for a funded early learning and childcare place at your preferred private nursery, playgroup or childminder, if they are in partnership with Fife Council. Applications should be made directly to these individual establishments and services. .



Additional Information is available from any Fife Council Early Learning and Childcare facility (nursery/school) or online at:

www.fife.gov.uk/elcplaces

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PRIMARY ONE APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Our online enrolment system for pupils due to start primary one in August 2026 is now open for applications.

All parents/carers of any child eligible to start primary one in August 2026 should submit an enrolment application online at www.fife.gov.uk/applyforaschoolplace.

This straightforward system allows parents/carers to use the step-by-step form from a smart phone, personal computer or tablet. The system is available 24 hours a day.

You will also be able to upload verification documents via the system too.

These documents include:

- birth certificate of child
- council tax notification letter
- evidence of current address e.g. gas or electric bill, driving licence or benefits letter.

Applications close at midnight on 15th March 2026.



Children's services phone line

Fife Health
& Social Care
Partnership



Do you have
questions
about how a child or young
person is developing?

**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

