



Lawhead Primary School & Nursery

Friday 25th September 2026



'Aiming High'

Our School Values: CARE – Compassion, Ambition, Respect and Equity

What's Happening Next Week?

Monday 28/09	After-school Netball Club 3.10pm - 4.15pm
Tuesday 29/09	- Nursery – beach visit – group 1 - P5-7 girls lunch-time football with Active Schools (Week 2 of 6-week block)
Wednesday 30/09	- P1-4 assembly with Mrs Simpson and P5-7 Assembly with Mrs Bain - P6 and P7 Violin/Viola lessons with Mr Higgins - After-school golf club 'All My Own Work' box available outside the school office from today
Thursday 01/10	- PM – P7 Bikeability – Group 1 – please note change of day - P6 and P7 After-school Football club with Mr Munro
Friday 02/10	- Walking Bus - Lawhead Walking Bus 2026 - 2027 – Fill out form – sign up using this link and please see information leaflet attached with this week's newsletter - Lunchtime cross country – P5-7 - General permissions deadline – outstanding for 60% of school population - Open Afternoon – 1.45-2.45pm – see information sent in email from Mrs Bain

Class Learning Journey's for Session 2026-2027:

Each class now has an online book where staff will share a range of information across the session – follow this link to visit the Lawhead library and access the book for your child's class:

[Lawhead 2026-2027](#)

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

[Lawhead-Calendar-Session-2026-2027.pdf](#)

General Permissions - action outstanding for many - URGENT

Thank you to those who completed this action; we still have 60% outstanding so please action this by Friday 2 October. Please note there are changes to permission wordings that require your attention!

Please take time to review the MS form link regarding general permissions for your child.

[Lawhead PS - General Permission Form 2026 - 27 – Fill out form](#)

P2/3 and P3/4 Harvest Collection and Assembly:

P2/3 and P3/4 have been learning about the Christian Harvest Festival and how people share the harvested food with others at this special time of year.

They have also been gaining an understanding of the importance of local organisations in providing for the needs of the community and have carried out some research on the local foodbank, the Storehouse.

The classes would like to ask the school community for donations for the Storehouse and the items most needed are listed below. Pupils can hand items into their class teachers and they will be collected from the school at the end of October. Please ensure food items are not perishable. Many thanks for your support!

Most needed items:

- tinned meals (stewed steak, chicken in white sauce, curries, chili, etc)
- Tinned pasta
- Washing up liquid
- Laundry detergent
- Toilet roll
- Biscuits
- Long-life milk (whole and semi-skimmed)
- Cereal
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Dry tinned meat (corned beef, ham, luncheon meat, etc)
- Hot dogs

Parents and Carers of our P2/3 and P3/4 pupils are invited to join us for our Harvest Assembly on Friday 9th October. If you are attending, you must complete the MS Form for our Fire Register. Please note that we will not be able to accommodate late requests and the MS Form closes at 9am on Friday 9th October.

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/MtERyYNK5c>

Milk Fund for Term 2 - 2026-27

The milk fund is now open for the provision of school pupil milk during Term 2, 2026-27; the cost for Term 2 is £11.48. The fund will remain open over the October break and will close at midnight on **Wednesday 28 October**. Please ensure that you make a payment within this timescale if you would like your child to have milk in Term 2. Pupils will start their milk provision on Monday 26 October for payments made by midnight on Sunday 25 October.

Due to supplier order deadlines, for any payment made between Monday 26 and Wednesday 28 October, your pupil will start their milk within two working days.

Volunteering at Lawhead:

We are looking to enhance our current pool of parent volunteers at Lawhead, specifically to help with delivery of outdoor learning on a Friday, but also for any parent/carer who is interested in supporting the work of the school in any way or if you have a particular skill or area of expertise to share.

The commitment can be as big or as small as you want and the process of becoming a registered volunteer is straight forward.

- **Step 1:** Email Mrs Bain to register your interest using lawheadps.headteacher@fife.gov.uk
- **Step 2:** Mrs Bain will ask you to fill in a volunteering application form and ask you to provide the required forms of identification to progress with a PVG application.
- **Step 3:** Once we have confirmation of the PVG Mrs Bain will meet with you to discuss your volunteering role and complete a volunteering agreement.

If you are interested, please get in touch – the more volunteers we have the more we can offer in school to enhance opportunities for the learners.

Head Lice:

We are aware of some cases of head lice in school at the moment. Please can parents/carers take some time over the weekend to check your child's hair. Pupils do not need to miss school because of head lice, but it is important that they are treated promptly and thoroughly to avoid spread.

NHS advice - [Head lice and nits - NHS](#)

Halloween Disco and Costume Exchange:

Our Parent Council have been busy planning the upcoming Halloween disco scheduled for Tuesday 27th October. Further details are on the poster below. It is very important that parents/carers ensure their child has been signed up to attend otherwise we can't admit them on the night. Without completion of the MS Form the Parent Council will not have essential information on allergies and collection arrangements. Follow this link to sign your child up to attend the Halloween disco:

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/VgCX50ZEzw>

The Pupil Council will once again be arranging a Halloween costume exchange during the first week of term. If your child has any costumes that no longer fit, then please hand in to the school office before the end of term. Thank you in advance.

Learning French and BSL at Lawhead:

At the start of the school year, we always like to revise our colours and have started revising how to count in BSL. This helps the children when they select their lunch options on iPayImpact. If you want to practice at home here are some useful links:

- Colours In French: [LEARN FRENCH COLOURS / COLORS](#)
- Colours in BSL: [How to Sign Colours in British Sign Language \(BSL\)](#)
- Our BSL Assembly Song for Term 1: [Riptide- Vance Joy \(BSL\)](#)
- Counting in BSL: [LEARN BSL: Numbers. Learn how to sign numbers 1 to 20 and more in British Sign Language!](#)

September Number Challenges:

Each month we will share a range of maths challenges and game ideas to support pupil learning within number, money and measure. These are just for fun for you and your child to try out at home. Have a look at the suggestions below:

- Find and record 20 numbers around your home or community.
- Estimate then count the number of steps from one room to another.
- Spot the largest and smallest number you can find on food packaging – encourage your child to read it out loud
- Salute: This three-player game needs one deck of cards. Two players each hold a card to their forehead without looking at it. The third player announces the sum or product of both cards, and each player must figure out their own card using the total and the card they can see. This game builds addition, subtraction and multiplication fluency while teaching logical reasoning.
- 101 and Out: Players take turns rolling two dice and deciding whether to use the digits as a two-digit number or add them separately – rolling 3 and 5 could become 35, 53, or 8. Keep a running total, but if you exceed 101, you're out. This game strengthens strategic addition and place value understanding.

Walking Bus Every Friday:

Does your child use the walking bus on a Friday? If so, then please ensure you have signed them up. Even if you are an existing member please ensure you have completed this form so that we have up to date information. Many thanks.

[Lawhead Walking Bus 2026 - 2027 – Fill out form](#)



HALLOWEEN DISCO

TUES
27 OCT



5.30-6.45PM
NURSERY - P3

SUGGESTED
ENTRY
DONATION £1

7.00-8.15PM
P4-7

JUICE AND ICE POLES PROVIDED | TATTOOS 50 P
PRIZE FOR BEST COSTUME AND BEST PUMPKIN

CHILDREN MUST BE REGISTERED
IN ADVANCE BY PARENT/CARER



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TO REGISTER
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