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Newsletter



As Term 1 comes to an end, we are very proud of the progress that the children have made and are looking forward to continuing to build on this success. Term 2 is always very busy with Halloween Parties, Parent's Evening, Christmas Fair, Nativity performances and Christmas Parties. Please check the 'Dates for the Diary' section of this newsletter for more details.

As many of you know, I will be going on maternity leave for the next few terms. I would like to offer a warm welcome to Miss Davidson who will be taking on the role of Acting HT in my absence. I know that Miss Davidson is looking forward to becoming a member of the Camstradden Team and getting to know all of our pupils and families. -Miss Grace

Homework / Digital Approaches



You will have received a copy of your child's log in details to the three platforms above. Teachers will use these to share information with parents about their children's learning and to set some homework activities in reading and numeracy. Please save these websites or download from your app store on electronic devices at home to further support your child's learning.

Please contact the school if you require any assistance to access these. Mrs Gilles will also be available on the Parents Evening to troubleshoot any access issues with these.

Parent Council



Please come along to our P.C. meeting in school on **Wednesday 12th Oct at 3:15pm.**

Children welcome to stay!

Parent Pay & Parent Portal



parentsportal.scot



Your child has been issued with log in details for both platforms. Please ask Ms Heuston at the school office for another copy if you do not have these!



ParentPay is the online payment solution used in all mainstream primary and secondary schools in Glasgow. ParentPay is used to pay for all school trips, meals, concert tickets, uniforms, etc and will enable us to remove all cash and cheques from schools. In addition, you can now pre-order your child's lunches.

Parents Portal will provide access to information about school, allow you to complete the annual data check, update your child's details, view the school calendar and complete electronic permission slips and forms. This will reduce the need printing of letters and use of the costly texting system. We will be phasing out the use of texts and letters, so please sign up to this as soon as possible.

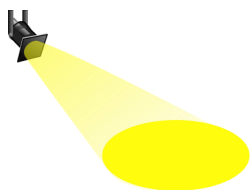
The school has a partnership with Glasgow's Pre-Loved Uniforms.

We have a rail of free uniforms available to anyone who needs to stock up!



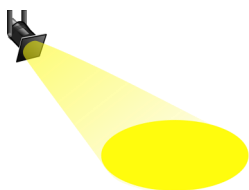
Spotlight!

A huge congratulations to Mrs Copeland who gave birth to a beautiful baby boy. Welcome to the Camstradden family baby Casey!



Spotlight!

We loved celebrating with Mr Carson this term as he retired from 25 years of service at both Pinewood and Camstradden P.S. We wish him a long, healthy and happy retirement.



Contact Details:

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Child Protection Co-ordinator- Miss Grace (HT).

Please ask to speak to Miss Grace if you have any concerns about our pupils.

Road Safety



With the darker nights fast approaching it is important to relay to children the importance of road safety. Please ensure you can be seen when crossing the road and if possible use pedestrian crossings. Be aware of moving vehicles and other road users. Remember be safe, be seen!

Dates for the Diary



October

- **In-Service Day– Pupil Holiday**
Friday 14th October 2022
- **October Week Holiday**
Monday 17th to Friday 21st October 2022
- **Halloween Parties**
Friday 28th October 2022

November

- **Parents Evening**
Tuesday 15th November & Thursday 24th November 2022

December

- **Christmas Fair**
Friday 9th December 2022
- **Nativity/ Christmas Performance (for Parents)**
Tuesday 20th December 2022
- **Christmas Parties**
Wednesday 21st December 2022
- **Christmas and New Year**
Schools close at 2.30 pm on Thursday 22nd December 2022
School re-opens at 9am Wednesday 4th January 2023