

Cleeves Courier Term 2 Week Beginning Monday 31 October 2016





As we embark on another busy term at Cleeves and are fast approaching winter, PLEASE ensure that your child comes to school every day with a warm jacket. Also, with the darker mornings and evenings, it's good to make sure that they can be seen walking to and from school.

Sharing Learning

It's always great to see so many of you in school, visiting classes and seeing our children 'showcase' their learning!
Parents Evenings this term are scheduled for Tuesday, 15 Nov. 3.15-6.15 and Tuesday 22 Nov. 4–7pm. You should already have been contacted about your preference of appointment day.

Again, this year, we would also like to invite you in BEFORE the meetings, so that the children can show off their learning so far this session. This will include learning in maths and language as well as how they set and achieve learning targets in their personal learning plans (PLPs).

The date for this is Thursday, 10 Nov between 2 & 3pm.

Registration and Transition

P1 registration week for all children due to start school in August 2017 is week beginning 7 November:

Mon 7 ^{and} Tues 8 1.30 -2.30 Weds 9 and Thurs 10 9.30-10.30

11.00-12noon 1.30-2.30

During this week as well, parents of children in P7, due to transfer to high school in August 2017 will receive information, after which I will hold a meeting if required to answer any queries.

Outdoors

We are continuing to work in close partnership with the 3 Hills Community Garden. A BIG THANK YOU to Jane and the others who helped out during the school October week holiday. Our wooden shutes now look great and are safe to use again and the willow has all been woven in and tidied up.

Thanks a million!!

Healthy Heads!

PLEASE make sure that you check your child's hair on a regular basis.

Head lice can be a real problem if we don't keep on top of it.

Please inform the school if you have a problem and make sure that all heads in the family are treated.

Attendance

As you know, good school attendance impacts directly on what our children are able to achieve.

Some children, however, are still missing school due to term time holidays. The Authority does **NOT** recognise this as an acceptable reason for not coming to school and, therefore, it will be recorded as an unauthorised absence.

Please continue to support your child's achievements by ensuring that they come to school every day on time!



Hallowe'en

The children all had a ball on Monday. Thanks to you all for the fabulous efforts made with costumes!

Thanks also to the Parent Council for organising the after school Hallowe'en movie – enjoyed by all who came!!

Remember, Remember...

The 5th of November will soon be here. Please make sure that our children are safe, if possible taking them to an organised freeworks display.

Parent Council

The PC AGM was held on Thursday 15 September. I can now confirm the office bearers continue as::

Nicola McIldoon – Chair Maggie Cox-Dacre – Vice Chair Geraldine Grubb – Secretary Irene McKean - Treasurer

Staff members again for this year are: Miss Pattison and Mrs MacLean.

The council is always on the look out for new members and volunteers who simply lend a hand when required. Please make contact through the school office – 0141 880 5305 / my email:

<u>Headteacher@cleeves-</u> pri.glasgow.sch.uk

or cleevesparentcouncil@yahoo.com
Next meeting: Weds 30 Nov @ 6.15pm

Breakfast Club

Continues to run at 8am every day. The children go out into the playground at 8.45am. It's a great way to ensure that children are on time for learning!!

Parent Group

It's great to see that our parent group continues to flourish and grow. This session they're meeting on Thursday mornings between 9.15am and 11.45am. At the moment, they are busy making for our Christmas Fair

Interested in joining in – crafts, pampering sessions? 0141 880 5305

In addition, our SNAG (food group) continues to grow, led by Miss Knox – their latest venture was apple & pear pressing to make juice for the children. Another great success!!

After School Care

YPeople (After School Care Service) is now set up and running successfully in Cleeves. If this is a service you feel would be useful, please contact:

> 07876028651 I.tierney@ypeople.org.uk

Christmas Is Coming....

And the first thing to be planned is our Christmas Fair which is taking place in school on Friday, 2 December at 1.30pm.

If you would like to help out on the day, please contact the school office. Thank you!! Tel – 0141 880 5305







Diary Dates!

Wednesday 2nd November Cross Country Finals AM P6 & P7 finalists

Wednesday 2nd November 3 Hills Garden Meeting 5pm Garden Committee

Friday 4th November STEM Day at Hillpark All day P7s

Week beginning 7th November P1 Registration Week Children starting school in August 2017

Monday 7th November Football at Nethercraigs 3pm – 5pm Nominated footballers

Thursday 10th November Parents' Open Afternoon 2pm – 3pm All parents / carers

Friday 11th November P2 & P3 Parents' Reading Meeting 1.15pm P2 & P3 parents / carers

Monday 14th November Flu Immunisation PM All children

Tuesday 15th November P7s Library Visit PM

Tuesday 15th November Parents' Evening 3.15 – 6.15pm Appointments

Friday 18th November Children in Need More info to follow

Monday 21st – Friday 25th November Road Safety Week More info to follow

Tuesday 22nd November P4s Library Visit PM

Tuesday 22nd November Parents' Evening 4pm – 7pm Appointments

Wednesday 23rd November P4s & P5s Mitchell Library PM

Monday 28th November Fluoride Varnishing All day P1s – P4s

Tuesday 29th November P5s Library Visit

Wednesday 30th November Rag Bag Pick Up Day

Wednesday 30th November Parent Council Meeting 6.15pm

Friday 2nd December Christmas Fair PM All welcome

Thursday 15th December Christmas panto – 'Aladdin' PM All children

MORE FESTIVE DATES TO FOLLOW!

School closes at 2.30pm on Wednesday 21st December 2016 School re-opens at 9am (8am for breakfast club) on Thursday 5th January 2017



PLEASE NOTE: Any children whose behaviour and effort in school is not as expected will be in danger on missing out on Christmas treats!!

