

May/June 2025 Newsletter



Session time August 2025

There is a slight change to session times for children attending 2.5 days starting on the 20^{th} August 2025. Please see times below:

2.5 Days Monday & Tuesday, Wed AM	2.5 days Wed Pm Thursday & Friday
Monday 8am -5.45pm	Wednesday 1.15pm -5.30pm
Tuesday 8am - 5.45pm	Thursday 8am -5.30pm
Wednesday 8am -12.45pm	Friday 8am - 5.30pm



On Saturday 24th May we are having a community beach clean from 10.30am - 11.30am. We did this last year to help share some of our Eco Schools messages within the community and it was a great success. If any families would like to join us please meet us at <u>Magnus the Viking</u>. Gordon from "Cycling without age" has organised for a free Ice cream from Beachcombers.

Electrical recycling

The campus is participating in a **recycling initiative** of old electrical devices. From **Monday 12th** - **Friday 16th May** we will be collecting any old phones, laptops, cameras and small electrical items such as kettles or hairdryers. Please note there are boxes within our parent's room to put these in. Friday will be the last day and all items will be collected by Optimum Eco group.



On Monday 19th May we are holding Numeracy Workshops for parents/carers. This is an opportunity to see some simple ideas and learn about how you can support or extend your child's learning at home. The times are 9.15am or 1.30pm.

Beat the street challenge 13th May - 24th June

This year we are taking part in 'Beat the Street' which is an initiative to encourage families to get out and exercise. On Tuesday all children will receive a card which will be registered to team Largs Early Years Centre, along with a map showing you where the 'Beat the Street' scanning points are. The object of 'Beat the Street' is to collect points (prizes can be won for the winning teams). Every time you complete a walk from one scanning point to another, you will receive points and these will be added to team LargsEYC. We will be competing against other groups within the community.

You can go online and create a 'Beat the Street' account using the card details you are given. Please complete the short survey when doing so as this will earn us 100 points!! When you go online you can view leader boards and how many points you have accumulated.



We are holding an information workshop for parents/carers to share what we do to implement the children rights within the centre, our annual plan and share our UNCRC home learning bears. This will also be an opportunity to gather your ideas and feedback for moving onto Gold. This will be held in our parent's room on Thursday 29th May 9.30am & 1.30pm.



Friday 23rd May - Staff In-Service day Monday 26th May - Local Holiday



End of term Celebration of Learning/Graduation

Our end of term celebration of learning/graduation will be on Wednesday 25th June. This will be held within the performance space in the school campus. The times for the morning children & children who attend the start of the week is 10.45am and the afternoon will be at 3.15pm.

Parents/carers are invited along to see the children sharing some of their favourite songs and receiving a small gift.

Parents/carers should arrive at the entrance of the <u>Secondary School</u> no earlier than 10.30am and 3pm. A staff member will meet you and accompany you to the performance area.



Keeping In Touch (over the Summer holidays)

Just a reminder if your child is going to be absent from the centre for any reason, can we kindly ask that you contact the centre on that day as early as you can. We know over the holiday periods children will have an adhoc day off however if you can let us know. The campus telephone number is 01475 687 687 option or send a us a message on seesaw.

Session times

A gentle reminder of session times, the morning session is 8am-12.45pm and the afternoon session is 1.15pm-6pm. We ask that parents arrive for 12.40pm and 5.55pm at the latest to allow time for collection etc. For children who attend a full day the session finishes at 5.30pm. We understand there are times people are stuck in traffic or plans change however all our staff have their lunch break at 12.45pm-1.15pm and this is often impacted

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