### DALRY PRIMARY SCHOOL





### DECEMBER 2024 NEWSLETTER



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to the last newsletter of 2024. December has been a busy month for us with Nativities, Christmas Fayre, Pantomime and all of our Christmas parties. Our Christmas Fayre, which was organised by our Primary 6 and 7 pupils, was very successful. The pupils managed to raise an amazing £1925.93 which is the highest amount we have raised so far. I have agreed with the primary 6 and 7 pupils that they can decide how the money is allocated, however they have to research what they want and have a clear rationale as to why it would benefit the pupils in the school. They will also have to research various companies and suppliers for the best deals and then work out costs. They will then have to plan how the resources will be used and allocated within the school and present their pitch to me. This will be part of their financial education topic in term 3. I will keep you updated with what they decide to choose.

As always, if anyone would like to provide us with any feedback about how we could improve or about anything you feel is working well for your child then please use the QR code or link below to let us know. I am always keen to hear your views on how we are doing, it really supports us in moving forwards.

I would like to wish you all a lovely Christmas and Happy New Year. I hope you all have a fantastic break and I look forward to welcoming all the children back in the New Year for term 3.

Kind Regards,

Louise Syme

Head Teacher



https://forms.office.com/e/Panz7yuEHy

#### Musical Fun!

Some of our pupils have been entertaining the school! It was lovely to hear the pupils playing a festive tune in the different areas of the school.





The Choir has also been out entertaining the local community at various events this month!



#### Athletics Success!

Congratulations to our amazing Athletics team, they won the North Ayrshire Sportshall Athletics competition. They competed against more than 30 schools from across North Ayrshire and were delighted to bring the shield back to Dalry Primary for the first time!



#### Santa Visit

The whole school gathered together to welcome a special visitor this afternoon. Santa took time out of his busy schedule to pop into the school for a singalong and to leave a gift for all of the pupils.











## Diary Dates 2024/25

#### Term 3

Date to be confirmed for Term 3

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2025

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Tuesday 11th February 2025

Monday 17th February 2025

Tuesday 18th February 2025

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> February 2025

w/b Monday 10th March 2025

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2025

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2025

Tempest Photography for Individual and Family photographs

Schools open

Parent Council meeting. 6pm in school

P1-3 Burns Poetry Competition at 1pm

P4-7 Burns Poetry Competition at 1pm P4-7 Burns Singing Competition at 1pm

Schools closed

Staff only in service

Schools open

Learning Conversations

STEAM Week

IDL Showcase

P4-P7 Panto, afternoon

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Parent Council Spring Disco

Schools close for Easter holiday, 2.30pm

# Diary Dates 2024/25

#### Term 4

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2025 Schools open

Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2025 Learning Conversations

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May 2025 Schools closed

Developing the Young Workforce Week

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2025 Schools open

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025 Staff only in service

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2025 Schools closed

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2025 Schools open

w/b 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2025 Summer Trips

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2025 P7 Prom, Dalry Bowling Club

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2025 Schools close for Summer