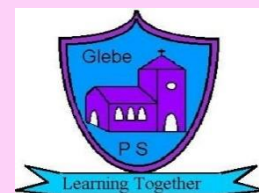


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GLEBE PRIMARY

May 2023 Newsletter



Apple Blossom by P4/5M



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Dear Parent/Carer,

We were delighted to share our successful HMIE report with you and to read the positive comments received from parents and carers. Thank you for the lovely messages of support. We were especially pleased to receive an excellent grading for 3.1 Improving wellbeing, equality and inclusion, and to have the excellent work the school does in this area recognised.

Some other super news this month was finding out we had gained our Sports Scotland Gold award! This is a great award in recognition of the many opportunities Glebe offers our pupils in Sports and being active. A huge thanks goes to Mrs Nisbet, Mr Main, Lauren Fletcher (Active Schools) and our Sports Committee members for all the hard work getting ready for award submission.

We look forward to seeing you all at our Learning Conversation (Parents' Evening) on Wednesday 31st May. We hope most of you are able to bring your child along to be part of the conversation. We have a marketplace style event in our school hall that afternoon/evening, where you can meet some school partners including Irvine library, Active Schools and Family Learning. We would also appreciate you taking a few minutes to look at our draft School Improvement and PEF plan for next session, with a view to capturing some of your thoughts on school improvement.

It's less than 6 weeks until we stop for the Summer but we are not slowing down! There's lots of exciting activities and events planned, please see a list of dates/events at the end of the newsletter.

Best wishes
 Elaine Sanderson
 Head Teacher



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LOST PROPERTY

***We have a MOUNTAIN of lost property!
All un-named.
Items are situated at the Janitor's office.***

If your child has lost items of clothing, water bottles, jewellery etc. please feel free to have a rummage the next time you are in.



TRAVEL SMART WEEK

After the success of last year's Active Travel week in school, we are once again going to participate in North Ayrshire Council's official Travel Smart week, which will take place in school during 5th-9th June.

Travel Smart week looks to promote and encourage pupils and their families to travel actively or sustainably on their journey to and from school. We hope that as many families as possible will join in and support this campaign by parking and striding, walking, scootering or cycling to school.

Whole School Activities

In class, your child will engage with a variety of activities to promote safe and active travel, as well as to raise awareness of road safety. In addition, each class will take part in a poster competition, highlighting this year's theme of '**Stop, Look, Listen, Think,**' which we are adopting from the Green Cross Code. The JRSO's have also prepared an individual competition for each class to engage with, which focuses on a variety of aspects linked to road safety.

Thank you to all families in advance for your support and engagement with our Travel Smart week. We hope that everyone has a great week participating in all of the activities we have in store for all children.

Mrs Mackie and the JRSO emailed letters detailing the week's activities. Please contact us if you need us to re-issue the letter.

We hope to see lots of our families for a cuppa and a cake on Friday 9th June.
Thanks to our super PTA/PC for organising!

Families and friends of Glebe, you are invited to a
Summer Coffee Afternoon.
in aid of Glebe Primary School.
Friday 9th June 2-4pm
Glebe Primary School hall




Come along and enjoy coffee or tea and strawberry tarts/home baking. There will be a kid's tuck shop, lucky dip and a 'win a hamper' raffle. We hope you can come along.
(If attending during school hours, your children can come out of class to join you.)

DONATIONS of home baking would be most welcome on the morning of the 9th June.
A Glebe Primary PTA/PC Fundraiser

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P7 RESIDENTIAL REMINDER


This year's P6s, next year's P7s will have the opportunity to attend a 4 day, 3 night residential at the Arran Outdoor Centre.

In consultation with the P6 children and their families the dates have been confirmed and booked for next session.



Letters with consent slips were sent home and the iPayimpact account was activated. Please let us know if you wish your child to participate. Contact us if you want to discuss any aspect of the trip including payment.

We still have lots of space for P5 and P6 families to join us for STEM activities with your child! Please come along for one or more sessions! No need to sign up!




Seriously Science STEM




at Glebe Primary School



FOR PRIMARY 5-6



Block 1 - Afternoons of:
11th May, 18th May, 25th May and 1st June

Block 2 - Mornings of:
1st June, 8th June, 15th June, 22nd June

GLEBE'S FAMILY LEARNING WORKER, ORLAIGH WILL BE RUNNING 2 BLOCKS OF FUN-FILLED, ENGAGING STEM SESSIONS AT GLEBE PRIMARY SCHOOL. MORNING SESSIONS WILL BE 9-10AM, AFTERNOONS WILL BE 2-3PM. FAMILIES WILL WORK TOGETHER ON DIFFERENT SCIENCE EXPERIMENTS AND FUN ACTIVITIES AND ENJOY PROBLEM SOLVING TOGETHER. SPACES ARE LIMITED, WE WILL BE IN TOUCH.

REGISTER INTEREST AT <https://bit.ly/glebescience>

Celebrating Success

We celebrate success at Glebe Primary every Friday at Assembly. Our Captains and Vice Captains lead the celebration and capture the photos and the pupil comments in our big book.

We love hearing all about the success and achievements of our Glebies! Please keep sharing!



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Dates

Please find dates attached from now until the end of term, we will update you with any changes or new dates in the next newsletter, in the meantime get in touch if there is anything you wish to discuss.

Thank you for your continued support.

In partnership

Mrs E Sanderson
Head Teacher
Glebe Primary School

DIARY DATES

MAY 2023	
Tuesday 23 rd May	P7N at Whitelee Windfarm
Wednesday 24 th May	NEW P1 Transition Activities 10am-11am OR NEW P1 Transition Activities 1.30-2.30pm
Thursday 25 th May	School Football team at NAC Football Final
Friday 26 th May	Generation Science Workshop P2 & P3 (Rescheduled from 3/5/23)
Monday 29 th May	School Holiday
Tuesday 30 th May	Staff In-service Day (Pupil Holiday)
Wednesday 31 st May	Learning Conversation with the Teacher, Parent/Carer and Child where possible 3.30-9.00pm
JUNE 2023	
Thursday 1 st June	School Girls Football World Cup Event
Mon 5 th – Fri 9 th June	Glebe Active travel Week
Tuesday 6 th June	Wheelie to School Day
Wednesday 7 th June	Greenwood Transition Day 1

Wednesday 7 th June	NEW P1 Transition Teddy Bear Picnic 1.30-2.30pm
Thursday 8 th June	Greenwood Transition Day 2
Friday 9 th June	PTA/PC Summer Coffee Afternoon 2.00-4.00pm
Monday 12 th – Fri 16 th June	Glebe's Got talent Rehearsals (Class Rehearsals)
Tuesday 13 th June (Was changed from Mon 12 th)	P1 Transition morning Children to classes 9.30am-11.45am Parent/Carer information meeting in the hall 9.30-10am Parent/Carer taster lunch 11.45-12.15pm
Wednesday 14 th June	Potted Sports Day-Wear House colours- information to follow
Monday 19 th June	Glebe House Winners Reward afternoon- 1.30-2.45pm
Tuesday 20 th June	P7 Parents/Carers Leavers' Celebration (PM) Info to follow
Wednesday 21 st June	Whole School Summer Trip to Culzean Castle
Thursday 22 nd June	P2-P6 Transition/Bump Up New Class/New Teacher (PM)
Friday 23 rd June	Whole School Summer Fun Day
Monday 26 th June	P7 Leavers' ColourSplash Day
Tuesday 27 th June	Glebe's Got Talent (PM)
Tuesday 27 th June	P7 Leavers' Disco – Watersports Club 6.30-8.30pm
Wednesday 28 th June	P7 Leavers' Service 9.30am Irvine Old Parish Church
Wednesday 28 th June	Children and Staff Early Finish 1pm *P7s leave via the office

Happy Holidays!!! Pupils Return Monday 21st August