

# Lawmuir Primary School Newsletter

Summer 2018

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#### Farewell Mrs. Baggley & Mrs Malcolm

At the end of Term 3 everyone at Lawmuir said a fond farewell to these two lovely ladies! We hope you enjoy your retirement.



#### **Learning Visits**

In the next few weeks Mrs Osborne & Miss Hurst will be visiting all classrooms to monitor Learning & Teaching in Mental Maths. Miss Burke & Miss Law will also be in classes looking at the quality of jotter work.

#### Health Week

Pupils have really enjoyed Health Week so far with Military Fitness workshops taking place. There are lots more activities planned. Watch twitter to see all our fun. Remember your gym kit & a water bottle!



# **School Campus Safety**

Please remember that there should be NO adults in the school playgrounds. Gates are for children only and should not be used as short cuts. All adults should enter via the main gate and report to reception. The only exception to this is at 2.50pm when adults are allowed in the infant playground to collect infant children.

# **Important Dates**

21st-24th May	Health Week	
25 <sup>th</sup> -28 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday Weekend	
31st May	P7 Bring & Buy Sale	
1 <sup>st</sup> June	Non-Uniform Day	
4 <sup>th</sup> June	P6 to Bellshill Academy	
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5 <sup>th</sup> June	R3 Trip –Colzium House	
6 <sup>th</sup> June	P7 Wear Yellow Walk	
	R10 Trip-Amazonia	
	R11 Trip-Amazonia	
7 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> June	Bellshill Academy	
	Transition Days	
11 <sup>th</sup> June	R3 Trip- Strathclyde Park	
12 <sup>th</sup> June	R5 Trip-Strathclyde Park	
13 <sup>th</sup> June	R6 Visit- Strathclyde Park	
14 <sup>th</sup> June	R6 Trip-Science Čentre	
15 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day	
20 <sup>th</sup> June	Amazonia	
21st June	New Intake Visit	
22 <sup>nd</sup> June	P7 Graduation 1.30pm	
25 <sup>th</sup> June	P7 Prom	
26 <sup>th</sup> June	P7 Trip – M&Ds	
	R12 Trip –Conic Hill	
28 <sup>th</sup> June	School Closes 1pm	

## **Bring & Buy Sale**

Primary 7 are holding a Bring & Buy sale to help fund the end of year prom. If anyone has any toys, books, DVDs or other items that are no longer needed but in a good condition please bring them into school by 31st May.

#### Grow & Learn @Lawmuir

If you are interested in coming along to help us develop our community garden, please contact Anne Millmaker CLD (schools) worker on 01698 274666. The first meeting will be held on Thursday 17th May at 3pm

After School Clubs – Term 4		
Family Sports	Monday (with	3pm – 4pm
	parent)	
Multisports	Tuesday	3pm – 4pm
Boxing	Wednesday	3pm – 4pm
Martial Arts	Thursday	3pm – 4pm
Grow & Learn	Thursday	3pm – 4pm
	(with parent)	_

#### **P6 Arts Transition**

Primary 6 pupils are enjoying working with staff from Bellshill Academy on their joint Arts project. These workshops will continue throughout the term. Look out for a celebration of the work soon.

#### **Attendance Challenge**

We aim for our children to be in school every day. Support our attendance challenge and your child's class could be champions for Term 4 and win the special treat we have in store.

## **SNSA Testing**

As part of our work this term, pupils in P1, P4 & P7 will be tested using Scottish National Standardised Assessments. This is a nationwide programme where all children across the country are given the same test.

# **Staffing Update**

There have been a number of changes this term. We would like to welcome back Mrs. da Rocha following illness and Miss Hurst following her broken ankle. Both teachers are getting back into the busy life of Lawmuir.

At the end of Term 3 Mrs. Kirk was successful in securing a job with South Lanarkshire Council. We wish her all the best in the future.

Following Mrs. Baggley & Mrs. Malcolm retiring we are glad to be able to welcome Mrs. Phillips back to school (again!) She has taken up the post of Classroom Assistant and will be working with all classes to provide support and to run our very successful Rainbow Reading programme.

Mrs. Roberts has also joined us providing support mainly to the classes in the infant department. There are also a number of new faces around Lawmuir Miss Prentice is working in Room 5 on a part time basis and Mr Malone is in school providing Non-Class Contact and working in Room 7. Miss Burke and Miss Law are now taking on additional responsibility as our PEF Principal Teachers.

### P1 Reading Cafe

Room 1 & Room 2 have recently held very successful Reading Cafes allowing parents and carers to join in some fun reading activities with their children. These have been a huge success and very enjoyable for the children. Thank you to everyone who came along.

## **Family Sports Club**

Come along and join in the fun at our Family Sports Club on Mondays from 3pm. Contact Lucy Roy CLD (schools) on 01698 274666

## **Parental Workshop Opportunity**

A weekly workshop run by Martin Bell CLD (schools) is beginning after the long weekend. These workshops are particularly for anyone who feels their child is struggling to communicate or would benefit from how best to support their child in school life. If you are interested please return the slip from the letter issued or contact the school office.

# **Trips**

As you can see from our very busy calendar there are lots of trips and outings out of school. Please ensure you fill out permission slips and return it to school as soon as possible.

#### **Hot Weather**

We are all enjoying this lovely sunny weather. Please make sure pupils have on sun cream and bring a hat if you feel it is necessary for working outdoors and at playtimes. It is especially important pupils stay hydrated. Remember your water bottle!