

Lawmuir Primary School



Newsletter

Term 4

Contact Us

Please contact the school if you have a query or concern. Someone will call you back as soon as we can. (Please be aware this might not be the same working day)

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Please remember we are a nut free school. This is all nuts and includes chocolate spread.

Term 4, the final term of the school year has come around so quick. It has been such a strange year in so many ways but I have been proud at how well our pupils have coped with all the changes. Some restrictions continue to be in place and we continue to follow Scottish Government and North Lanarkshire Council guidelines as we approach the end of term. This does mean, that some of our traditional end of term events are unable to go ahead as they would usually do.

Rest assured we are still planning to celebrate our P7 pupils moving on and welcoming our new P1 pupils who start in August. Read on for more details.

Thank you for your continued support,

Miss Tracy Hurst

Orbiston Community Hub

We are at the start of the consultation process for the New Orbiston Community Hub. This brand new building will include Lawmuir Primary School, Sacred Heart Primary, a Family Learning Centre as well as community & partnership zones. Architects are currently gathering information about the site and consulting with pupils, staff, Parent Council, community groups and the wider community to understand what is required of the new building.

A consultation event for the community will take place on 23rd June at 6.30pm. Further details to follow. In the meantime, why not visit our school blog & take part in the consultation survey.

[Orbiston Community Hub Consultation | Lawmuir Blog](#)
(glowscotland.org.uk)





Please park responsibly around the school gates. Where you can please park & stride. DO NOT Park on the yellow zig-zags or in the designated bus stop.

We would respectfully ask you to avoid smoking at drop off/pick up times when waiting at the school gate. Please avoid this to allow all pupils & parents to be comfortable & safe.



We continue to ask Parents & Carers to remain out with the school building & grounds unless asked to attend by a member of staff. All visitors are required to complete Test & Protect paperwork as well as wearing a mask if asked to attend the school. We thank you for your co-operation with this matter.

Toys & Personal Items in School

Please do not allow your child to bring personal belongings that they do not need to school. This includes fidget toys & poppers and other personal belongings. Having these in schools often cause disputes & disagreement over ownership, which affects learning time. Teachers will ask pupils to keep these in their bags even at playtime.

Mobile Phones

Again, these are not to be used on school property including the playground. If you need to get in touch with your child, you should contact the school office.

If your child requires a phone for after school, you should discuss with them that, the phone should be turned off and in their school bag, until they leave the premises at 3pm. School is not liable for any personal belongings that may be lost or stolen while on school premises.

School Uniform

Pupils should wear uniform at all times. On days where PE is outside then plain black joggers, sweatshirt and a white t-shirt should be worn. Pupils should avoid wearing highly patterned clothing or branded sportswear. Cropped tops are not appropriate for in school.

Pupils should also not come to school with nail extensions or jewellery such as dangly earrings or necklaces. These provide a Health & safety risk to pupils themselves and/or classmates.

Reporting on Pupil's Progress

Teachers are working on written report cards for pupils, which will be issued before the end of term.

Snack for Playtime

We would ask your child brings one small snack with them to eat at playtime along with a drink. Some children have large family sized snack/crisps or two or three things to eat. They are often missing running around and playing as well as being unable to finish eating within the allocated time.



Please do not send pupils to school with a lolly for snack or as part of their lunch. These can be dangerous in the playground in the event of a fall or bump and may cause injury.

Thanks.

Dates for Your Diary

22nd June @ 1.30pm - R9 Graduation

23rd June @ 1.30pm - R11 Graduation

Due to continuing COVID restrictions, a link will be sent to view this online.

Leavers Celebration

17th June @ 1.30pm - R9

18th June @ 1.30pm - R11

Pupils should bring an outfit to change into or go home for lunch to get changed.

Reminder

Please remember children shouldn't bring toys/items from home. Essential Items only. Thanks

Mobile Phones

Mobile Phones are not permitted to be used within the school campus. If your child needs a mobile phone for after the school day it must be switched off and remain within their school bag until after 3pm. You allow this at your own risk.

The school accepts no liability should your child's phone be lost or stolen while on school premises.

Sun Safety

We hope that the warm, sunny weather will continue. Please keep your child safe in the sun as we continue with outdoor learning:

- Apply Sun Cream before coming to school.
- Encourage your child to wear a suitable hat with good coverage.
- Long Sleeves provide good sun protection.
- Provide your child with plenty of water in a sports cap bottle.

Transition to Lawmuir PS

We have already started to share information with the parents of our New PIs. We are also working closely with our partnership nursery colleagues to plan a short visit to school. These will commence week beginning 7th June.

To keep up to date follow our new Twitter page

@LPSTransition1

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Transition to: Bellshill Academy

Date of next virtual drop in session on TEAMS

Wednesday 9th June 3pm - 4pm

Visit to Bellshill Academy

Monday 7th June from 1pm - 3.30pm.

Pupils should bring a packed lunch. They will walk to Bellshill Academy with school staff. Pupils will be dismissed directly from Bellshill Academy. You should arrange with your child how they will get home.

Cardinal Newman

Virtual meeting for Pupils (while at school)

Friday 4th June at 11.30am



Robbie Our School Mascot

This is Robbie. He is Our Rights Respecting School Mascot. He helps us in and around school to follow the school vision & values. He also helps us uphold the UNCRC Articles.

In the playground, we should all be following our playground charter.

In Play we promise to:

- Be Respectful
- Be Co-operative
- Be Caring
- Be Gentle



School Improvement

We are in the process of evaluating our improvement priorities for 2020-21.

To identify our priorities for next year, we consult with parents, pupils & staff.

A link to our parent survey can be found below. We would appreciate your feedback.

Scan the QR Code or follow the link.



<https://forms.office.com/r/uXmVd54Hzv>

P7 Wear Yellow Walk

This annual event is to raise sponsorship monies for St. Andrew's Hospice. A sponsor form as been attached to this letter. Every primary seven participating will receive a yellow hat to don during the walk and keep, as well as a Tunnock's Caramel Wafer kindly donated by Tunnock's.

Due to current guidelines the walk will take place at school. On the day, children are asked to bring along an extra bottle of water. Children should wear their outdoor PE kit with their school polo shirt, appropriate footwear and a waterproof jacket.

Book Banter Podcast



P6 R10 have been working very hard since we returned to school to release the second episode of their fantastic podcast. Follow them on Twitter to keep up to date and listen or follow the link to our blog.

[Book Banter Podcast -Episode 2 | Lawmuir Blog \(glowscotland.org.uk\)](https://glowscotland.org.uk)