

# What's on at Lawmuir?

## Week Beginning 26th February 2024

Lunch Menu  
Week 2

### Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February

- Breakfast Club 8.30am
- Mrs Sharkie out of School
- Mr Lumsden Out of School

### Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February

- Breakfast Club 8.30am
- Orbiston Hub Art Competition - Judging

### Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February

- Breakfast Club 8.30am

### Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February

- Breakfast Club 8.30am
- R17 Assembly Performance

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March

- Breakfast Club 8.30am
- Whole School Assembly

## Dates for Your Diary

### February

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February**– R7 Art Workshop – Heritage Centre

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February**– R10 Storytelling Workshop – In School

### March

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>** - Orbiston Hub Art Competition Judging

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2.30pm** – R11 Assembly Performance

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March** – Parents Night Appointments

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March** – School Closes for Spring Break at 2.30pm

**Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March** – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April – Spring Break (School Closed)

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April** – Return from Spring Break



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# HT Award Winners 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024



Class of the Week
10
House of the Week
Schiehallion
Line of the Week
9

House Points Update	
Lomand	Nevis
401	441
Schiehallion	Vorlich
594	395

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## Assembly Performances

We have been enjoying assemblies from some of our classes and hearing all about their learning in class so far. These are a great way to celebrate the classes success.

We would like to invite you to come along and see for your self.

Assembly performances coming up:

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February at 11am – R17 performance

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 2.30pm – R11 performance

These performances will last approximately 30 mins.

## Toys in School

Pupils should not bring toys to school. They can cause distractions and can also cause arguments and disagreements. Pupils are not permitted to take them into the playground and will be asked to put them in their bag while in school. Please do not send your child to school with any toys. Thank you for your co-operation.

## Health & Safety : Jewellery, Earrings & False Nails

In line with health & safety guidance, we must ask that children do not come to school with excessive jewellery on or false nails. Earrings should be removed on PE days and studded earrings that cannot be removed should be covered with plasters for PE days.

False nails are not permitted in school at any time as they pose a health & safety risk both in practical lessons and in the playground.

Teachers are not permitted to remove earrings for children.

Thanks for your co-operation with this.

## World Book Day/ Comic Relief

March is a busy month with fundraising opportunities. At Lawmuir PS we are aware of the pressures put on parents with non-uniform events etc.

As such we have put out a parent survey to gather your views. Once the survey closes we will go with the majority decision.

Survey closes Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March!

Have your say here!

<https://forms.office.com/e/w29U8UHxp7>

World Book Day/ Comic Relief



# Friends of Lawmuir Ladies Night Fundraiser

Come along, have a great time with excellent entertainment and help raise money for Friends of Lawmuir PTA at the same time.  
Tickets available on a first come, first served basis from the school office.



## FRIENDS OF LAWMUIR PARENT COUNCIL

### LADIES NIGHT

Time to let your hair down, join in the fun and help us raise funds for our children. We will have raffle prizes, Karaoke, music from DJ Peter 'Spider' Clark and live vocals from Lisa McKechnie. Don't miss out, it's going to be a night to remember!

**FRIDAY**  
15TH MARCH 2024



**STARTS**  
7.00PM



**LOCATION**  
ORBISTON BOWLING CLUB



**TICKETS COST £5 AND ARE ON SALE NOW  
FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE(OVER 18S ONLY)**



Lawmuir Primary School

# EASTER FUN !



**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March**

- End of term Non-Uniform Day. £1 donation
- Easter Competition - Decorate a Easter Bonnet/Hat. Prize per class.
- Easter Raffle. £1 a ticket. P7 will visit classes  
1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Easter Hampers  
Prizes drawn – 28<sup>th</sup> March





# Head Lice "Once a week, take a peek!"

Within most schools at any one time, there will be a small number of children infected with head lice. Infection levels remain fairly constant so we need your help to combat the bugs!

As a school it is our job to ensure parents/carers are provided with the advice and support to effectively detect and treat cases of head lice affecting their own children. We understand your frustrations and concerns regarding head lice.

Here are some answers to your questions:-

## Who is responsible for the prevention of head lice?

It remains parental responsibility to detect and administer treatment for head lice to their own children.

## What is the school doing to help control infection?

We will provide advice and support to parents by promoting our new campaign '**Once a week, take a peek**'.

The school has no rights to:

- Carry out physical checks on pupils for head lice.
- Exclude a child from school because of head lice.

## What can I do as a parent to help control infection?

As previously mentioned, it is **parental responsibility** to detect and administer treatment for head lice to their own children. We would like you to check your child for head lice once a week using a nit comb which are available from the local chemist.

From time to time you will receive '**Once a week, take a peek**' messages to remind you of our campaign to 'take a peek!' in your child's hair. This is a reminder to check your child's hair as head lice don't always cause an itchy scalp (head), so many people will be unaware that they are infected.

We understand girls like to wear their hair down, but we do request that long hair is tied up to minimise head to head contact in school.

For further information on how to check your child's head effectively please visit our [website](#) or visit your local pharmacy.



## Parking

As you will be aware, we have decided to close the gates to the staff carpark prior to the end of the school day. This decision was taken for pupil safety.

There are, however, a number of cars stopping on the Zigzags in front of the school gates to pick up pupils. This is dangerous and causes obstructions for other traffic trying to get past. There are clear signs in place which are enforceable by NLC and the police. Do Not Park on the Zigzags (even for a minute).



## Walking through Car Park

There are a number of adults walking through the car park to arrive at the main entrance. Please, for everyone's safety, use the pedestrian path when arriving at the main entrance!

Thank you for your co-operation!

## Mobile Phones

Mobile Phones should not be brought to school. They are not permitted to be used at any time in school or on the premises including the playground.

### Safeguarding & Child Protection

We recognise the rights of pupils and staff to learn in an environment free from disruption; to work somewhere that does not allow unauthorised pictures, audio and/or video recordings to be made of them.

Lawmuir Primary School & North Lanarkshire Council accepts no liability for the loss or damage to mobile phones which are brought into the school or school grounds. It is the responsibility of parents and pupils to ensure mobile phones are properly insured.

Should your child need one for walking home alone then this should be turned off (not on silent) and stay in their bag at all times.

Our full policy can be found on our website.