

Condorrat Primary

Bun-Sgoil Chondobhrait

April/May Newsletter 2024/ Cuairt-litir A' Ghiblean/A' Chèitean 2024



Dear Parent/Carer,

The final term is underway, and we are looking forward to a busy and exciting few months!

Fiosrachadh Mu Luchd-obrach/Staffing News.

We are delighted to announce the return of Mrs Nicolson from her maternity leave on the 1st of May. Mrs Nicolson will work in P5G along with Mrs MacDonald in Miss Dolan's absence.

We are also delighted to have Miss Deans back in school on a part-time basis. She will share the P6G class with Miss McAskill until the end of term.

Aodach Sgoile/Uniforms.

We will be sending further information about uniforms out in the near future to confirm how our families will be able to order them ready for the start of the new school year.

Planaichean airson Clas 7/P7 Plans.

Staff from Greenfaulds English and Maths departments will be visiting classes over the coming weeks to introduce themselves to pupils and to work with them.

On the evening of 14th May, P7 pupils will take part in the Science Fair at Greenfaulds – pupils already know about this.

A group of pupils will vist the GHS Technical Departmenmt to take part in a challenge on the 15th of May. All P7 pupils will attend a Sports Day at Greenfaulds on the 28th of May.

Pupils in P7 who are moving on to Greenfaulds will visit the school for two days on the 29th & 30th of May.

Uighean Iongantach/Eggciting News!

On Tuesday we had eggs delivered to the school in their special incubator and so far we have six extremely cute chicks chirping away and causing huge excitement in the infant area. We will look after them for another wee while before they are delivered to their new homes.

Tachartasan Spòrs/Sporting Events.

One of our netball teams made it to the netball finals on the 18^{th} of April, and came 4^{th} out of 16 teams – well done!

Many of our pupils took part in a football festival at Broadwood stadium on the 24th of April, and had a fabulous time - for once the weather was fantastic! Many thanks to all the parents who helped with this event. Miss Dalbeck has also organised a taekwondo taster session for all pupils on 1st of May.

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Duais Iain Muir/John Muir Award.

P6E, P6G, P7E & P7G will all be taking part in their 10km hike on the 26th of April, starting at the Stables near Bishopbriggs then walking along the canal back to Auchinstarry near Croy. Good luck – I am expecting lots of sore feet and tired legs afterwards!

Deilbh-chluich a tadhal/Visiting Theatre Group.

As a special treat we have organised a visit from M & M Productions to perform The Little Princess for all pupils on the 31st of May. There will also be a Gaelic play for the Gaelic nursery and P1/2G on the morning of 16th May.

Cuairtean/Trips.

Each class will be going on a school trip in June, further details to follow soon. P5G had their CNAG trip to Edinburgh on Monday the 22nd of April. As ever we will fund part of the trips, and the parent council may make a contribution to keep costs for parents to an absolute minimum.

Latha Spòrs/School Sports.

Our school sports will take place on the afternoon of the 22nd of May. Details will follow nearer the time but you may wish to note the change of dates.

Eadar-ghluasad Clas 1/P1 Transitions.

Our new P1 pupils have started to visit the school this month, with each child coming to visit three times in total. They met their teacher and their 'buddy', and will even stay for a school dinner! We can't wait to see them all again!

Am Bòrd Òir/Golden Table.

We have had a busy time at the Golden Table! Last month P3/4E were invited to sit at the Golden Table and P3G will be sitting there in April. Well done for showing great improvement with your reading and good behaviour in the playground! There will be another Golden Table on the 30th of May, I wonder who will be next!

Lathaichean Gun Aodach-sgoile/Non Uniform Days.

These will be on 26th April, and the 31st of May. Pupils may take part if they wish and monetory donations are welcomed. For 31st of May we would appreciate donations for our adult and child tombola at the summer fair instead, which is on 15th June.

Mòidean/Mòds

We have nearly 20 pupils taking part in the Mòds this year. Mrs MacLean and the children are busy learning their songs and preparing for the East Kilbride and Glasgow Mòds next month. We wish everyone the best of luck! Gur math thèid leibh uile!

Farpais Burns Lannraig/Lanarkshire Burns Competition

Eight of our pupils travelled to Larkhall on Thursday 21st March to take part in the Lanarkshire Burns competition. All of pupils performed well and we are so proud of you all. Some of our pupils were placed - Freya 1E - 3rd, Mara 5G - 3rd, Fraser 5G - 1st, Brooke 7E - 3rd

Fraser goes forward to represent Lanarkshire in the National Burns Competition in Gourock on 1st June 2024. We wish him the very best of luck from everyone in the school!

Comhairle Nam Pàrant/Parent Council

The next meeting of the Parent Council will be on Monday the 13th of May at 7:30pm in Tim Hortons. All welcome to join us if you would like to take part.

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Làithean-saora/May Holidays.

We have several holiday weekends in May, as well as an in-service day when the school is closed to pupils.Thursday 2nd MayIn-service Day school closed to pupilsMonday 6th MayBank HolidayFriday 24th & Monday 27th MayBank Holiday

Deitichean Cudtromach/Dates to Note.

Looking ahead to June there are some dates you might wish to note. Details will follow nearer the time.

6th June Open Afternoon

15th June Summer Fair (11am-2pm)

19th June P7 Leavers' Assembly (9:30am)

20th June Shorts 'n' Shades Disco

24th June P7 Dance/Party (Evening Event)

26th June School Closes at 1pm

Please get in touch if you need to discuss the contents of this newsletter, or indeed any other school matter. Yours sincerely,

Julie-Ann Price, Head Teacher.