

# Noble Primary School

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# Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents,

I can't quite believe that we are now in the month of June! Where has the time gone? We have still got a lot of work to do at Noble before the end of term. Our new P1s will visit for the final time on Monday 5th June, before they start full time in August. Staff and buddies are looking forward to welcoming them again.

I am hoping to be in a position to inform you of classes for next session very soon. I am awaiting confirmation of staffing for next session and I hope to organise for the children to visit their new class by the end of June.

You may be aware that from August 2017, primary schools in North Lanarkshire will have an allocation of one classroom assistant.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Daniel Murray **Head Teacher** 



## Primary 7 Photograph – Tuesday 6th June

John Wilson will be in school on **Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June** to take the souvenir photographs of our Primary 7 pupils. **Full school uniform must be worn.** 

## Primary 7 Transition Days at Bellshill Academy

A reminder that pupils should make their own way to Bellshill Academy for the induction days on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday morning of this week (8<sup>th,</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> June). This event helps to familiarise the pupils with the school and gives them the opportunity to meet their new peers.



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#### Primary 5 visit to Summerlee – 7th June

The pupils in primary 5, Mrs Gault's class, are visiting Summerlee to take part in a Coal Workshop and visit the mines.

# <u>Primary 3-4 Showcase – Wednesday 7th June</u>

Miss Mitchell's Primary 3-4 class will be showcasing the topic work on Birds from 1.30pm to 2.30pm.



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## Inservice Day - Thursday 8th June

The school will be used on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June as a polling station for the General Election and will be closed to pupils.

#### Fluoride Varnish

The NHS Dental staff will be in school on the morning of Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June to carry out the fluoride varnish programme on our primary 1 & 2 pupils.





#### Sports' Day

Our annual Sports Day is planned for Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June, weather dependent, and more details will follow in a letter.

#### Primary 2 visit to Colzium House – Wednesday 14th June

The pupils in primary 2, Mrs Chadwick & Mrs Craigan's class, will be visiting Colzium House on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June to take part in a Garden of Delights workshop and enjoy a nature trail.



### NL Challenge Showcase – Wednesday 14th June

The pupils who have been taking part in the NL Challenge will be showcasing their work on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June from 1.30pm to 2.30pm.

#### **Assault Course**

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the parent/carers for their support in our annual sponsored event and we are delighted to announce that we have made over £1700, the pupils had a super day and really enjoyed the challenge.



#### Noble's Got Talent – 16th June

We are all looking forward to our Noble's Got Talent show on the afternoon of Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June and tickets request are pouring in. Please remember tickets are limited.

#### **Health and Wellbeing Fortnight**

The pupils have had the opportunity to take part in many events during our Health and Wellbeing Fortnight. We were fortunate enough to have visits from a great many agencies, Tae Kwon Do, Internet Safety, Dance, Boxing, Laughter Yoga, Police Service and the SSPCA to name a few. The pupils will have their Health and Wellbeing logs home week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> June to share with you.

The pupils had a great time and a special thank you to all the parents who came along and joined in with the Laughter Yoga, DHL Road Safety and Internet Safety sessions.

#### Primary 7 Leavers' Assembly – Tuesday 27th June

There will be a special assembly led by the Primary 7 pupils on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June at 9.15am, due to fire regulations tickets are only available to family of the Primary 7 pupils and are limited to three per family.





#### Celebrating Achievement – Wednesday 28th June

A Celebrating Achievement Assembly will take place on Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June at 9.15. During the celebration we will be presenting certificates for NL Challenge, 100% attendance, Sports Day, House Quiz and many other rewards. For health

and safety reasons, admission has to be by ticket only (Children over the age of three require their own seat). A maximum of two per family. School closes at 1pm that day.

#### **Primary 7**

Can I wish all the Primary 7 pupils the very best of luck in the next part of their school career. Almost all pupils are heading to Bellshill Academy, where we can keep a very close watch on their developments. All pupils remain close to our hearts at Noble regardless of where they are. During their time here, the children have grown and developed so much and I would like to thank parents and carers for allowing us the opportunity to be positive influences in their lives.



#### **Staffing Update**

At the end of June, Mrs McDonald will be taking early retirement from her post as class teacher. Mrs McDonald has worked at Noble Primary School for over 27 years. We wish her a very long and happy retirement and wish to thank her for the positive contribution she has made to our school community.

It is also with mixed emotions that I inform you that Mrs Gault and Miss Graham, have now secured permanent posts within the authority, and will move on to their new schools in August.

Again, I would like to take this opportunity to thank them both for their hard work and contribution to our school.

#### **GLOW Website**

All our letters that we send home and email are now being posted on our GLOW website <a href="https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/nl/nobleprimary/">https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/nl/nobleprimary/</a> under the General Letters heading.

# **Dates for Your Diary**

Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> June	P7 John Wilson Photograph	
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> June (6.45pm Bellshill Academy)	Bellshill Academy Roadshow (evening)	
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> June (all day)	P5 Summerlee visit	
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> June (1.30pm — 2.30pm)	P3/4 Showcase	
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> , Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> & Friday (am only)	Bellshill Academy Induction	
9 <sup>th</sup> June		
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	In-Service Day	
Friday 9th June (morning)	P1 & P2 Fluoride Varnish	
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June (9.30.am till noon)	Sports Day	
Wednesday 14th June (1.30pm – 2.30pm)	NL Challenge Showcase	
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> June (all day)	P2 Colzium House visit	
Friday 16th June (1.20pm - 3.00pm)	Noble's Got Talent	
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> June (9.15am)	P7 Leavers' Assembly	
Wednesday 28th June (9.15am)	Celebrating Achievement Assembly	
Wednesday 28th June	School Closes 1pm	



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