



CRAIGIE PRIMARY NEWS 31 March 2015



Dear Parent/Carer

It hardly seems any time ago that I was wishing you a Merry Christmas and now we are at the end of March and I am wishing you a Happy Easter!
I hope the weather remains fair for the Easter break and that it is restful and relaxing.
Many thanks to our staff for their hard work and support which enhances learning and teaching.

Head Teacher Awards

- P1 - Anna Colquhoun, Alex Ramsay, Devyn Ward and James Whyte.
 - P2 - Mylo Howie, Leonie Ferguson, Cameron McCartney and Archie Watt.
 - P3 - Madison Gaynor, Luis Antonio, Kyle Davidson and Niamh Lindsay.
 - P4 - Joseph Riley, Jamie Lee, Sophie Martin and Holly Martin.
 - P5 - Imogen Moore, Chloe-Ann Stewart, Eilidh Watson, Logan Cunningham and Benjamin Jordan.
 - P6 - Callum McGarvey, Rachel Crockatt, Georgie Morrison, Adam Brough and Callum Watson.
 - P7 - Rory McLellan, Amber Kerr, Lee Walker and Adam Chapman.
- Well done everyone!

Parent Council

The Parent Council are still looking for a representative from Nursery and P6. If you can help please contact Colin McPherson, Chair.
The next meeting (AGM) is on 10 June from 7pm-8pm.
In addition the post of Clerk is currently vacant. This is a paid position and anyone interested should contact the school office in the first instance.

Comic Relief



Pupils and Staff raised the sum of £270.50.
A huge thank you to everyone.

P7 Class Visit

Smallpetitklein decided to visit our school to create a drama workshop, the drama workshop was based around smoking and the effects it could have on yourself and others around you. They explained to us that cigarette smoke contains over 4,000 chemicals and 599 ingredients in just ONE cigarette. With the information learned, they (P7s) made a drama show for the children of P5. The children thought that this was good and reminded their friends/families to stop smoking by warning them of the dangers.
-Thomas and Jack P7

Dates for you Diary:

- Thursday 2 April** - End of Term 3 at 3.15pm
- Monday 20 April** - In Service Day
- Tuesday 21 April** - Start of term 4
- Thursday 23 April** - Take your child to work day
- Friday 24 April** -
Dental checks for P1 & P7
P6 Visit from St Andrew's University Planetarium
- Tuesday 28 April** - P7
Orienteering at Strathallan School

Full details of holidays for the next few years are available on www.pkc.gov.uk

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STAFF NEWS

Roxanne Riley, Modern Apprentice, now has a permanent post here at Craigie as a Primary Support Assistant.

Adam Fortune, Pupil Support Assistant has successfully gained a place on the Primary Teaching course at Dundee University.

Katie Worner, Pupil Support Assistant (Supply) has successfully been appointed on a fixed term at Fairview School.

Alan Leitch, Pupil Support Assistant (Supply) will be working with P1.

Primary 2 trip to Rosemount Farm Blairgowrie

We learned a lot more about life on the farm and the crops that they grow. During our visit got the chance to see a real, working farm. We were able to walk around Rosemount Farm and see the fields of crops, some machinery and thousands of strawberry plants beginning to flower. We also all loved making pizzas to take home with lots of fresh, healthy ingredients.

Primary 2 visit from Daisy Cow

We were lucky enough to receive a visit from Daisy cow. Each of us had great fun learning how to milk a cow and what happens to the milk before it gets to the shop. We then went back into class and managed to make some butter with some enthusiastic shaking.



SCHOOL LUNCHES - A new school lunch menu has been issued along with a price increase for the new term starting on **Tuesday 21 April 2015**, a lunch will now cost **£2.00**. As before it would be helpful to the office staff, if you paid for school lunches on a Monday, marking the amount, days taking a lunch, your child/ren's name and class in a sealed envelope.