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2 October 2015

Dates for your diary:

October Week:

Friday 9 October –
Friday 16 October

Halloween Disco:

Wed 28 October

Positive Behaviour Reward:

(in school)
Fri 30 October

Parents' Night:

Thu 26 November

St Andrew's Day:

(School closed)

Mon 30 November

Dear Parents/ Carers,

How has Term 1 been for you?

With only one week left before we go off for the October Week, it is hard to believe that we have nearly completed term one. As a school we are happy with how the term has gone; the children's behaviour on the whole has been very good and there has been a fantastic improvement with uniform. We are interested in how you feel the term has been for your child and for you. Next week, we will be speaking to groups of children from each class to learn about their experience of term 1; asking them what has gone well and what could have gone better. We would like to hear your opinions too so please take some time to complete the short questionnaire on this newsletter and return to the school next week. Your views are important to and will help us to make continued improvements to the school and nursery. Thank you.

NURSERY SECURITY

For the safety of all of our children at Auchenlodment, we ask that nursery parents and carers use the designated nursery entrance. This is the red door with the security entry system in the infant playground. The other red door at the corner of the playground is only open to allow P1 and P2 pupils enter the building to use the toilet. Thank you for your cooperation.

2 year old nursery places

Do you have a two year old? Do you receive benefits or certain credits? You may be entitled to a free two year old place at nursery. Please check the Renfrewshire Council website or come into the school for more information.

Parent Council Meeting - Wednesday 7 October

Our next meeting takes place on Wednesday 7 October at 7pm. Please come along; we are always looking for new members.

Primary 4 Tea Party - Wednesday 7 October

On Wednesday 7th October P4 are hosting a tea party for their parents. This is to showcase the work they have been doing on the novel Alice in Wonderland. Invitations have been handed out and Mrs Niven is looking forward to receiving lots of acceptances.

In-service Day - Friday 9 October

Friday 9 October is an in-service day which means children do not attend school or nursery. This means that the children stop for the October week on Thursday 8 October at 3pm. The school and nursery reopens on Monday 19 October.

P7 Divided City Performances - Wednesday 21 October

Primary 7 have been working very hard for their Divided City performance. A letter will be sent home today with arrangements for ordering tickets and also a costume list.

Johnstone High School Visit - Tuesday 27 October, 3pm - 4pm

The Johnstone High School Senior Management Team and some 5th and 6th year pupils would like to meet with P7 pupils and their parents on Tuesday 27 October, 3pm - 4pm. The visitors will be discussing what JHS can offer in terms of curricular/ academic choice, wider achievement

opportunities and how they will support your child's wellbeing. It is an ideal opportunity for you and your child to ask questions about Johnstone High. We hope to see as many of you there as possible.

Thank you

Gerry Carlton
Head Teacher

Pupil of the Week

Primary 1E

Matthew

For a positive attitude in all areas of learning and for his excellent behaviour at all times.

Primary 2

Camron

For excellent Big Writing recalling our European Languages activities.

Primary 3

Nathan

For trying hard to concentrate in class and get all of his work finished. Well done.

Primary 6

Cacie

For excellent effort during swimming lessons.

Primary 1S

Orhan

For learning all his sounds and tricky words.

Primary 4

Logan

For having a successful week in class and working towards his target.

Primary 5

Grace T

For working hard during all lessons and showing a mature attitude.

Primary 7

Kashia

For excellent effort and sportsmanship in hockey this week

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Parent/ Carers' Term 1 Evaluation – October 2015

What has gone well in Term 1 for your child and/or for you?

What could make the experience better for your child and/or for you?

Additional Comments:

Child's Name: _____ (optional)

Stage: Nursery

Primary

(please tick and specify which year group, for example, P7)