

Auchenlodment Primary School and Nursery Class

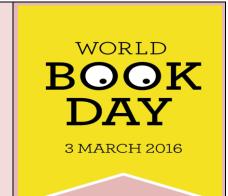
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Right of the Fortnight

All children have the right to give their opinion, and for adults to listen and take it seriously.

Dear Parents/ Carers.

World Book Day

The school and nursery had a major focus on literacy and reading for World Book Day. Our nursery children thoroughly enjoyed dressing up as their favourite character from a book and they also enjoyed stories being read to them by our P6 pupils. All of the classes spent a part of the day reading for enjoyment, doing some paired reading and also just talking about books and the importance of them. Every child was given a book token which can be used to purchase specific books or to get money off books. A variety of retailers will accept the token.

Tempest Photographs - Tuesday 8 March

The Tempest photographer will be taking individual and family photographs on Tuesday 8 March. These include nursery and school children. School pupils should wear smart uniforms. All children will have their photograph taken then it will be up to the family whether or not they want to purchase a photograph.

Parking and Road Safety

It is with regret that this there is a need to put this item in the newsletter once again. Pupils, parents, grandparents and now local residents continue to complain about the road situation on Aspen Place and the surrounding area. Cars are now parking between the cones that are put out on the street to stop drivers from parking there; they are also parking in front of people's driveways meaning that local residents cannot gain access to their own property. There is a car park at the bottom of Spruce Avenue for drivers to park their car and walk their child a couple of minutes up to the school. This is a safer and healthier option.

Fairtrade Fortnight: 29 February - 11 March

Auchenlodment Pupil Council will be hosting a Fairtrade Stall on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week. The stall will sell a range of Fairtrade products, including toys, stationery and Fairtrade treats. Parents are invited to our Fairtrade Coffee Morning on Friday 11 March at 10.30am. Our Breakfast Club will also have a Fairtrade theme next week, where children will have the choice of a Fairtrade option as well as our normal selection of cereals and toast etc.

Nursery Literacy Play Days

Family members of nursery children are invited into the nursery next week to play alongside their child and to see how their literacy skills can be developed through play. It is also a great opportunity to chat to the nursery staff about your child's progress. Please see overleaf for the timetable.

Nursery Clothes

Playing is a lot of fun and it can be messy, we therefore encourage parents to send their children to nursery in clothes that can get messy. Please don't send your child to nursery wearing brand new clothes as there is a very good chance they won't stay nice and new for long.

Achievement Assembly

We will be having our Term 3 Red Carpet Assembly very soon. Our Pre- School children will be invited to this assembly and we want to celebrate as many achievements as possible. Please complete the achievement slip and return to the school or nursery next week.

Thank you

Gerry Carlton Head Teacher

Pupil of the Week

Primary 1E **Ella Altunboga**

For being helpful, kind and ready to learn.

Primary 1S

Holly Mitchell

For showing

confidence during

class discussions.

Primary 2 All of P2

For cleverly creative castles!

Primary 3 **Holly Hynd**

For excellent retention of times tables facts. She now knows her 2x, 3x, 11x, 10x and 9x table!

Primary 4 Mikaela Hughes

For always completing tasks in class and being a responsible role model to her classmates.

Primary 5 **All of Primary 5**

For all your hard work learning lines, songs and dance moves and for putting on a fantastic show all about Titanic.

Primary 6 **Craig Giles**

For using his initiative, being helpful and setting a great example for Nursery children.

Primary 7 **Kai Glackin**

For always being a positive role model in class and throughout the school.

NURSERY LITERACY PLAY DAYS AM Time PM Time Group Date Blue Tuesday 8 March 10.15am 2pm Wednesday 9 March 2pm Red 10.15am Thursday 10 March Yellow 10.15am 2pm

Auchenlodment Primary School and Nursery Class Celebrating Success			
Child's Name:	Class:	or Nursery Group:	
Achievement:			
Parent/ Carer's Signature:	Date:		