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Dear Parents/ Carers,

Sponsored Run Success

The total amount raised between the school and nursery is an outstanding £4000. This is a fantastic amount and we are very grateful to everyone who took part and donated money. We hope to have the remaining classrooms and nursery playrooms installed with Educational Blinds and the £4000 will go a long way in ensuring this happens.

Parent Council

Thank you to the Parent Council who organised a very successful Halloween Disco on Wednesday evening. Thank you also to the parent helpers and teachers who helped supervise the event. The Parent Council have very generously offered to donate money to help towards the installation of the blinds. Thank you for this kind donation.

Christmas Fair

We have started collecting items for the Christmas Fair which takes place on **Saturday 3 December**, **10am** -**12noon**. We are collecting bottles (alcohol, juice, shower gel etc), sweets for the sweet stall, teddies (clean and in good condition), gift sets etc. Also, if you or someone you know owns a business and would be able to donate a great raffle prize we would be very grateful. Please send in any donations with your child (except alcohol) or drop them into the school office.

Romeo and Juliet

A huge congratulations to our P3 and P4 pupils who performed two excellent performances of Romeo and Juliet. They showcased their very good acting skills and knowledge of Shakespeare. Both audiences were amazed with how well they remembered their lines and acted out their parts so realistically. A huge thank you to Mrs Niven, Mrs Wengel, Mrs Anderson and our Support Staff for making the productions a success!

Citizenships Groups

Citizenship Groups return on Friday 4 November. These will run for 5 weeks on a Friday afternoon from 1pm - 2pm. We need parent volunteers to support the groups. If you are able to help us out for that hour please contact the school office or put a note in your child's homework diary. Thank you.

Clubs

The Active Schools Clubs started this week and have been very well attended. Let's try to keep up this excellent attendance for the rest of the term. If anyone knows of someone who could come into the school to teach a guitar club please conatct Mr Carlton. We have been trying to source a guitar teacher since the beginning of term but we're not having much luck.

Right of the Fortnight

Article 13

You have the right to find out things and share what you think with others, by talking, drawing, writing or in any other way unless it harms or offends other people.



Rights Reminder

Rights are things every child should have or be able to do. All children have the same rights. These rights are listed in the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child. Almost every country has agreed to these rights. All the rights are connected to each other, and all are equally important. Sometimes, we have to think about rights in terms of what is the best for children in a situation, and what is critical to life and protection from harm. As you grow, you have more responsibility to make choices and exercise your rights. The children at Auchenlodment know about their rights and discuss them every day at school. Please continue to talk about the Right of the Fortnight with your child (see overleaf).

Thank you.

Primary 1 **Lucy Howie**

For excellent participation in Autumn discussion.

Primary 4 **Alex Ivanski**

For super numeracy work.

Pupil of the Week

Primary 2E
Derren
Murphy
For a very
successful
week. Well
Done!

Primary 5
Jayden
McGinn
For being an

For being an enthusiastic learner in all areas of the curriculum.

Primary 2S
Rhys
McInally
For being a

confident individual by taking part in class discussion.

Primary 6
Jay Keegan
For an
excellent
improvement
in
handwriting.

Primary 3 **Lauchlan Sharp**

For giving 100% effort in everything he does.

Primary 7 **Daniel McTavish**

For starting the new term with a positive approach.