

Bridge of Weir Primary

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Dear Parents and Carers,

What an incredibly quick year it has been! They do say that time flies when you are having fun and my first year as Head Teacher has been everything that I hoped it would be. There have been challenges along the way but, fortunately, there have been solutions, too. We have one final challenge in the form of the school being painted during the summer and then we hope we can finally unpack!

I am very fortunate to have dedicated and hard-working staff who aim to provide the best education for your children. I have wonderful support from you, our parents, through parent council and all the activities that you come together for to raise funds and have fun. I also have the best children who have, throughout the year, amazed me with their talents, skills, behaviour and above all their willingness to try to do better when mistakes happen. We have had outstanding House Captains, Pupil Council representatives and ECO school representatives who have all led change in the school and showed that their voice is important and valued. We have recently been awarded Silver in our first application for Sport Scotland, Schools Sport Award and, of course, we are going for Gold next year.

We have had outstanding results in our determination to ensure that every child achieves success. Our attainment in reading, writing and maths is very high. Our focus on maths and mindset has changed how we engage and encourage our children to learn, with really positive feedback from the children. Going forward, we will continue to work hard to improve and next session we have a focus on reading while we continue our work on maths and mindset.

Susan Bell – Head Teacher

Upcoming Events

June 7

Summer Disco - P1-3, 6.15 - 7pm and P4-7, 7.30 - 8.30pm

June 8

Sports Day starts at 1pm

(Reserve Sports Day 21, 22)

June 11 – 15

P7s to Gryffe High School – transition week

June 11

Parent meeting at Gryffe High School for new Secondary 1 in August 2018

June 18

Parent Council meeting at Amaretto, 6.30pm

June 19

Nursery Graduation at 1pm

June 20

Primary 7 Valedictory at 1.15pm

June 25

Summer closing service at St Machar's, 10am

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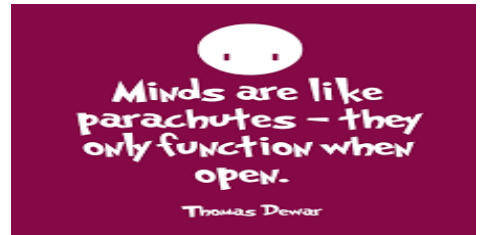
Children meet new teacher

June 26

Primary 7 Dance

June 27

School closes 1.30pm



Active Schools Clubs – Notes for next session

All clubs have a register taken of attendance. If your child is absent from school we will be able to inform the club coach, however, if your child is not attending the club for another reason please let the school know and they will pass this information on to the coach. Please remind your child that they have a club to attend and teachers will also remind children. Finally, please do not enter the building before the club has ended. The coach will ensure that they are at the door to let the children out and ensure all children are picked up. In inclement weather you are welcome to wait in the entrance foyer but please respect the request not to enter and observe the club.

New School Menu

The new menu is now on our website. Please note that from August 2018 there will be an increase in cost. Grab and Go £2.05 and Dine in Day £2.25.

Ending on a High Note!



Primary 3 had a fabulous time at the Opera. More musical opportunities for everyone next session.

The staff of Bridge of Weir Primary would like to wish you all a happy and hopefully sunny summer holiday!

Parent Council Purchases

Thank you all for:

Flags for our Houses – Arran, Bute, Cumbrae and Skye

Nut Allergies

Nut allergies can be extremely dangerous. We do have children who need to be protected. Please do not send in nuts for snacks at interval or in packed lunch boxes.

Dance Class for Adults – Kirsty McKay

Beginners/Improvers Ballet class, 7pm. Jazz/keep fit class, 8pm, It's a fun way to improve fitness, posture and coordination.

Thursdays at the school gym hall

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Congratulations!

Well done to Lucy Daly and Lewis Hewitt P5a, who won the Glasgow Science Centre, Creating Engineers, Knex Regional Finals – Mr Lowit is very proud of you both. Our technology lessons are creating future engineers.

Website for Parents

Parentzone Scotland - A unique website for parents from early years to beyond school.

<https://education.gov.scot/parentzone>