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May News

Dear Parent/Carer,

It has been lovely to see a positive change in the weather in May and the easing of the restrictions have been welcomed by us all. Langbank continue to have measures in place to keep everyone safe and we kindly ask you to continue to follow guidance such as wearing a face coverings at drop off and pick up and keeping a 2m distance from others at these times.

Important Dates

As our term continues there are a few dates to note. School will be closed on Monday May 31st for the May holiday, with all pupils returning on Tuesday 1st June. School closes for the summer break at 1pm on Friday 25th June.

Glasgow City Mission Collection

A collection for Glasgow City Mission will take place on Friday 28th May. As before, your store cupboard items and toiletries will be collected at the school gate in the morning. Thank you for supporting this and a special thanks to Mrs Gilmour who continues to facilitate this by collecting and delivering our donations to the mission.

Health Week

Health Week will take place from Tuesday 1st June to Friday 4th June this year. The children will participate in various activities throughout this week and the focus of learning will be on Health. Children should come dressed for sporting activities on each day this week. The House and Vice Captains have helped to arrange some special events such as a silent disco and bouncy castle. These activities are dependent on the easing of restrictions and appropriate measures are in place to keep the children safe. Unfortunately, due to restrictions in place, we will not be able to celebrate Sport's Day in the usual way, we will however have a Sport House Challenge during health week with all children taking part.

Sponsored Skip

We hope to have a sponsored skip which will take place on Thursday 27th May. Funds raised from this event will go towards Health week events. Donations for this event can be made through Parent Pay which will go Live on Friday 19th May. Donations can be made until Friday 28th May. Thank you for supporting this event.

Director of Children's Services: Steven Quinn

Village Clean Up Day

The Community council have organised The Village Clean Up. This is taking place on Sunday 23rd May at 2pm at the Playing Fields. Measures are in place to keep the volunteers safe. We hope that the weather is kind and we look forward to hearing all about the event.

Safe Parking

Dennistoun Road continues to be very busy during drop off and pick up. We ask that you park your car responsibly avoiding the bus stand and the yellow zig zag lines. **In order to keep everyone safe, we ask that parents come to collect the children from their teachers at the school gate as visibility is greatly reduced by the buses and therefore the children are unable to see if the road is clear before crossing.** We thank you for your support in this matter.

Reporting to Parents

Thank you for your support in the changes made to the way the school report to parents this year.

Written school reports will be issued to parents on Friday 11th June.

School Transport

A reminder to all families who use school transport. Could we kindly ask you to contact the school office to inform of any changes regarding school transport such as your child being collected by an adult or walking home with a friend. This allows us to ensure that everyone is safe. Thank you for your support in this matter.

As always if you have any questions regarding this newsletter or indeed any aspect of your child's education please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Your faithfully,
Michelle Ferguson

Head Teacher