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June Newsletter

Dear Parent/Carer,
Some updates for the last month of this school session.

Langbank Clean Up Day

Langbank Community Council would like to thank all the families who participated in this event. Despite the wet weather, everyone who attended had a good day.

Glasgow City Mission

Thank you for your generous donations to Glasgow City Mission. We thank you for your support in this. Thank you to Mrs Gilmour, for arranging the delivery of the donations.

Jump- Off

Thank you so much for your very generous donations for our sponsored Jump Off. So far we have raised £535. Some of this money will be used towards costs for health week and some used to purchase play equipment for each class to use at break and lunch. Many of the pictures from this event can be viewed on our Twitter page @LangbankPrimary. Thank you to all our school staff who supported this event. A special thank you to Mrs Coleman and Mrs Rodger for organising and running this event and our office staff who set up parent pay for donations.

Health Week

Health week begins on Tuesday 1st June. We have lots of fun activities planned across the week, including a house challenge, silent disco, table tennis and many more. Children can come to school dressed in sport's clothing, the relaxed uniform of dark joggers/ leggings and a polo shirt would be ideal. We kindly ask that no football colours are worn and ask that crop tops are covered by a t-shirt. **Relationship, Sexual Health and Parenthood lessons begin next week. A letter detailing the themes of the lessons and some information about the type of language used was sent out in the envelope with May News. A copy of this letter can be found on the school website.**

School Photographer

A school photographer has been booked for **Monday 8th June**. You may wish your child to wear a shirt and tie on this day. In line with Scottish Government Guidelines for schools, the photographer will take individual and

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class photographs. We hope that as restrictions continue to ease, we can book the school photographer again in the new term.

School Uniform

In Langbank we take great pride in our school and our school uniform. In August next session, we will return to the normal more formal school uniform. The relaxed uniform of polo shirt and dark coloured leggings/ joggers can be worn on PE days so that children do not need to change clothing when at school.

Transition Events

P1 Transition is underway. We have had some visits with our new P1 children and are using Seesaw to share information and have virtual tours of the school. We look forward to having our new children join us in August. As restrictions ease, we hope to arrange an outdoor event in June to allow the new P1 class to meet as a whole group.

P7 Transition arrangements are also underway. Park Mains High School continue to work with measures in place and we hope the children will soon have the opportunity for a visit to the school. Park Mains staff, Mrs Nugent and Ms Fry have been preparing our P7 children for their transition to High School. We continue to work with Park Mains to facilitate these preparations in compliance with current guidelines.

Arrangements for August.

We continue to work within the guidelines for school and we currently have staggered breaks and lunches in place to allow each class bubble to remain separate. We currently do not have staggered entry and exit from school. I anticipate that this will remain in place in August. As restrictions and guidance changes, I will share this information with you and make the necessary changes.

Reporting to Parents

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.

Important Dates

School will be closed for the May Bank Holiday on Monday 31st May. School re -opens for staff and pupils on Tuesday 1st June at 9 am.

Please note the last day of this school session is **Friday 25th June. School closes for the summer break at 1pm on this day.**

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I wish you a restful bank holiday and look forward to having the children back for our last month in this school session. Arrangements for classes next session and any further updates will be shared in an update in June.

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 to arrange an appointment.

Your faithfully,
Michelle Ferguson

Head Teacher