

## Langbank Primary School

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### October News

Dear Parent/ Carer,

#### Flu Vaccine

The Flu vaccine will be administered to children on the 17<sup>th</sup> November. Please contact the school office if you require any further information regarding this.

#### Allergies

We have some children in the school with allergies including a nut allergy.

**Could I please ask that no foods containing nuts are brought into school.** This would include bars and spreads with nuts. Thank you for your support in this matter.

#### Communication

School App- Please continue to check the school app for news and updates.

We are using the dates section of the app to put on holidays and events.

Please remember to have a look at this section to see what is coming up.

Twitter- The teachers post pictures and news of what is going on in their classes on twitter. Please follow our twitter feed @LangbankPrimary to see what our classes have been doing.

Seesaw- The school continue to use Seesaw. Teachers and children will share their latest work and homework over seesaw. A reminder that if you wish to get in touch with the class teacher, we kindly ask that you contact the school office to arrange an appointment.

#### October Holiday

School will close for the October holiday on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October at 3pm.

School re- opens for pupils on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October.

#### Maths Week Scotland

The children have been involved in lots of maths activities this week. It was lovely to have Mrs Johnson back in school to support some STEM activities. We kindly ask the children to complete a short survey which will be shared on Seesaw, to allow us to gather views about maths week and use this to inform future planning for maths activities and events. Thank you, Mrs Davis, for planning this week. Please have a look at twitter to see some of the activities which took place this week.

**Director of Children's Services: Steven Quinn**

### Active Schools

Multisports will begin on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October from 3-4pm. This will be a six week block for children in primaries 4- 7. There will be no cost to this club. The link to sign up will go live on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> October. <https://rl-langbank.class4kids.co.uk/>

Active schools have asked if the children could complete a short survey to gather their views. This information will be used to arrange Active School Clubs throughout the year.

<https://www.cognitofirms.com/RenfrewshireLeisure3/pupilsurveyphysicalactivityandschoolclubs>

### School Photographs

Tempest photography are booked for Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> November. Class, family, and individual photographs will be taken on this day. We ask that the children come to school in their formal uniform on this day.

### Glasgow City Mission

There will be a collection for Glasgow City Mission on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> of October. Our citizenship group and Miss Birch will support the organising of this event. As usual we will collect the donations of food and toiletries at the school gate. We thank Mrs Gilmour for her help in organising and supporting the school in this.

### Sponsored Clubbercise

We hope to have a sponsored clubbercise which will take place on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> November. Funds raised from this event will go towards Christmas parties. Donations for this event can be made through Parent Pay which will go live on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> October. Thank you for supporting this event.

### Morrisons It's Good to Grow Vouchers

We are collecting Good to Grow vouchers from Morrison's supermarket to supplement our gardening supplies. . We kindly ask that any vouchers you receive in your shopping are handed in to the school. Thank you for your support in this.

### Parents' Evening Arrangements

As we are unable to permit parents/ carers into school at this time, our parents' evening this year will again be in the format of a telephone call. We have arranged a slot for your child's teacher to call. The calls will take place across the week.

Your child's teacher will call at the arranged day and time. If you miss your allocated call, the teacher will try to call you back later.

We will telephone the main contact held in our system. If you have not received your slip, could we please ask that you have a look in your child's bag. Please call the school office if you require a new slip.

### Message from Langbank LPP

A thank you to everyone who supported the Family Barbecue. Despite the weather, it was a very successful night. We thank everyone who helped to make this night a success and we look forward to restrictions easing to allow us to arrange more events in the future.

### Halloween

The children will celebrate Halloween in school on Friday 29th October. The celebration will include a small drink and snack. The children are welcome to come to school dressed up this day. We kindly ask that **no props** eg broomsticks, swords are brought to school. Children will be in their costume all day including playtimes and we ask that their comfort is considered when choosing their outfits.

### Awards

Class	Well Done Award	Star Award
P1	Charlie R	Owen
P2/3	Eleanor	Georgia
P4/5	Tom	Isla
P6/7	Jamie	Ethan P

Reach Award Winners: Isaac P3, Rowan P4, Isla P4, Abigail P6, Lila P6, Jude P7, Ethan P P6

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