

**Braehead Primary School Vision**  
In Braehead Primary we encourage a happy, safe, caring environment where everyone is motivated and challenged to meet their full potential for lifelong learning.



**Braehead Primary School Newsletter**  
**19.12.18 - Update**

Dear Parents/Carers,

**Step into Christmas!**

Thanks to everyone who attended our Step into Christmas performance last night in the school. The children, as always, were excellent – really giving it their all! There was a lovely festive atmosphere in the school and I am delighted to say the event raised £409.83 – amazing!

Congratulations to Marvin MacMillan who is now the proud owner of the snowman who once stood at the entrance to the school and to the Banfield family who will be able to enjoy the real Christmas tree for a while longer after we close for the holidays.

**Dress Down Friday**

Friday will be a dress down day – there is no charge for this. Children can dress down or wear something festive – whatever they wish!

**Staffing Update**

We are delighted to welcome Mrs Straiton back to school in January following her maternity leave – what a quick year it has been! Special thanks to Mrs Cardwell who, along with Mrs Wallace has been covering Mrs Straiton's teaching commitment. Mrs Cardwell has thoroughly enjoyed her time at Braehead and will be missed by all. Mrs Straiton will now work with Mrs Wallace, having full responsibility on a Monday and Tuesday, and Mrs Wallace responsible Wednesday, Thursday, Friday.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Claire Macrae for her hard work and commitment over the past year. She has been Acting Principal Teacher in Mrs Straiton's absence but acting only in title; she has been outstanding in this role. I am glad to say Mrs Macrae is going nowhere but will return to her previous work pattern of Monday-Thursday with Miss Kennedy continuing in P5-7 on Fridays.

Should you have any concerns or questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

Elizabeth Steele  
Head Teacher

### Dates for the Dairy

21.12.18	Dress Down Day – no charge P1-7 School Closes 2.30pm
14.1.19	Enrolment Week for P1 pupils August 2019
17.1.18	Rev MacLean Reflective Spaces am
24.1.19	Tempest Photography – Class/School Groups
25.1.19	Scottish Celebration – Wear tartan/something representing Scotland if possible – no charge.
28.1.19	Parent Council Meeting
22.2.19	Dress Down Day £1 – P1-7
29.3.19	Dress Down Day £1 – P1-7
26.4.19	Dress Down Day £1 – P1-7
31.5.19	Dress Down Day £1 – P1-7
20.6.19	Summer Celebration 11am