



Our Vision

Our vision at Braehead is to provide a positive and engaging learning environment which challenges and supports all children to be the best they can be.

Braehead Primary School Newsletter **Week beginning 17.6.19**

Dear Parents/Carers,

Parent Council AGM

The AGM takes place tonight in the school from 6.30pm. At this meeting we will be electing our office bearers for next session. Thank you to everyone who took the time to submit interest in joining our Parent Council. As things stand right now we have 2 people interested in the role of Chairperson; Mrs Joanne Doherty-Brown (current Chair) and Mrs Charlene Campbell. The following extract from the Parent Council Constitution outlines what will happen in light of this situation occurring.

5.2 Where more than one person volunteers for the same role notification will be given to the Parent Forum and should there be no objections the name of the successful volunteer will be drawn from a hat at the AGM with a number of independent bodies present.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank those Parent Council Members who have decided to step down from the group this session after many years' commitment to the school. I very much appreciate all you have done to support myself as Head Teacher and the school in its continued improvement.

Summer Celebration

Any certificates or medals awarded at netball or cross country should be brought into the school by tomorrow so that they can be presented to the children at our summer celebration on Thursday.

Previously Loved Uniform

As previously intimated we are looking at ways in which we can reduce the cost of the school day. I would like to encourage parents to recycle any previously loved uniforms for others to use. If your child has outgrown any of the uniform and you feel it is in good condition please return it to the school by Wednesday 26 June where we will set up a stall for recycling at an open even from 9-10am on Friday 28 June for parents to come along and help themselves to whatever they feel will be of use. Like the Christmas Jumper swap the success of this venture very much depends on people using the service – it would be great if this was something we could establish to run year on year in the school.

Free School Meals/Clothing Grants

If you are in receipt of housing benefit and/or council tax reduction from SLC there is no need to apply for free school meals online – the information held by the council will be used to automatically award free school meals to pupils in P4-S6 and/or clothing grants to eligible families of P1-S6 children. For further information regarding eligibility please search either free school meals or clothing grants on SLC website. I would encourage anyone who thinks they may be entitled to this support to access the website for more details. Should you need any assistance with this please do not hesitate to contact myself or Mrs Campbell.

Breakfast Clubs

I am now in a position to share the information regarding our breakfast club, due to start on 20 August. Please see the letters attached with the newsletter and return the form attached to allow us to gauge interest and plan accordingly.

End of Term Disco

The Parent Council are organising an end of term disco on Friday 21 June from 6.30-8pm in the school hall. This event is open to all children from P1-7 and there will be no charge for entry. There will be a tuck shop available should children wish to buy any sweets or drinks. School staff and the parent council members available will be supervising this event and those who wish to attend should be dropped off and collected from the main entrance. It looks to be a lovely night, many thanks to all who have contributed to the organisation of this for the children to enjoy.

As always should you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,



Elizabeth Steele
Head Teacher

Dates for the Diary

18.6.19	Rag Bag Collection
20.6.19	Summer Celebration 11am
21.6.19	Bikeability 6
21.6.19	Disco 6.30-8pm P1-7 School Hall
28.6.19	School Closes 1pm
31.8.19	Braehead S.W.I Flower and Industrial Show 2pm

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