



### 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 29 March 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

### Parent Consultations

Unfortunately due to staff absence Parent Consultations for those children in P1-3 have been postponed until Monday 26 and Tuesday 27 April. The time slots allocated previously will now apply on these dates. Emails were sent last week to inform parents of this, apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Miss Ellwood and Mrs Macrae will carry on with their phone calls as planned tonight and tomorrow.

### Novel Study

Our P4/5 and P6/7 children have been working on novel studies; 'The BFG' and 'Wonder.' To round up these novel studies the children will have the opportunity to watch the films of these books on Thursday morning. Both films have a PG certificate. If you would prefer your child did not watch these then please let me know in advance of Thursday.

### School Meals

When we return to school on Monday 19 April we will be on Week One of the existing menu. Here is week one for your information:

Three week menu 2020-21					
Week one	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Blue meal</b>	Spaghetti bolognise with crusty bread and cut green beans	Cheese and tomato pizza/pasta combo with sweetcorn (v)	Turkey meatballs with mashed potatoes, gravy and peas	Sausage in finger roll with wedges and beans	Fish fingers with chips and beans
<b>Red meal</b>	Homemade sausage pastry with mashed potatoes and beans	Macaroni cheese with pitta bread strips and broccoli (v)	Cheese beano with coleslaw (v)	Chicken in a bun with wedges and sweetcorn	Salmon nibbles with sweet chilli noodles and sliced carrots
<b>Green meal*</b>	Freshly made tuna mayo baguette with side salad	Freshly made chicken baguette with side salad	Freshly made ham baguette with side salad	Freshly made ham sandwich with side salad	Tuna mayo pasta pot with side salad
<b>Yellow meal</b>	Homemade sausage pastry with mashed potatoes and beans (v)	Firecracker pizza with sweetcorn (v)	Vegetable curry with boiled rice, naan bread and peas (v)	Quorn dippers with wedges and sweetcorn (v)	Baked potato with beans (v)
<b>Pick and Mix**</b>	Fresh fruit Lentil soup Banana sponge	Fresh fruit Breadsticks and dip Yoghurt	Fresh fruit Tomato soup Flapjack	Fresh fruit Breadsticks and dip Yoghurt	Fresh fruit Cucumber batons with dip Banana sponge

We have been informed that the price of a school meal will increase to £1.95 per meal from Monday 26 April. The new summer menu begins on this day also and can be accessed here:

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### **Rag Bag**

We have a Rag Bag collection arranged for 19 May, anyone with anything to contribute can do so before that date, thank you.

### **Spring Break**

Please note school will close at 2:30pm on Thursday 1 April for Spring Break and will reopen for Breakfast Club from 8:15am on Monday 19 April.

The following statement has been published on SLC website for your information:

*All pupils in primary schools returned on 15 March 2021 and from this date a phased return of secondary schools until the Easter/Spring break. Taking into account the improving national position in relation to the suppression of the virus and with having consulted with our partners, and with all schools now open for pupils the need to provide specific support for key worker children is being scaled down.*

*Schools will close for the Easter/Spring break on Thursday 1 April at 2.30pm and reopen Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2021. During this period there will be no 'hub provision' as schools are closed and this time is also used for preparing for more pupils to return in April.*

### **Breakfast Club**

For those children attending Breakfast Club for the first time they should make their way to the back playground and enter the school building via the back entrance. Parents are welcome to assist children by walking them round to the back door however parents should not enter the school building. There is now a lever handle on the back door to assist the younger pupils with entry to the school. After leaving their child/children in the back playground parents should leave via to 3pm gate rather than going back down the entry path – please keep this operating as a one way system in the mornings. Once in the school building children should make their way to the dining room where staff will be waiting to assist pupils. As was the case last session the back door and gates will remain locked until 8:15am, pupils should not be in the school grounds before this time.

### **Forth Gala Day**

Girls in Primary 1 and Primary 2 are invited to put themselves forward to be selected as a Flower Girl at Forth Gala Day later this year. Pupils who live within Braehead Primary School catchment and have lived here for a minimum of three years are eligible to submit an application. We have issued forms to those children we think may qualify, please check your eligibility.

### **Finally...**

I would like to end this newsletter by wishing everyone a wonderful break, after one of the most challenging terms to date I wish all staff, parents and pupils a well-earned rest and we look forward to greater normality in the summer term ahead.

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

Kind regards,



Elizabeth Steele  
Head Teacher

**Dates for the Diary:**

29.3.21	Parent Consultations 3:15 – 5:00pm
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1.4.21	School closes 2.30pm for Spring Break Dress Down Day – No charge
19.4.21	School reopens 9am
6.5.21	IN-SERVICE DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
3.5.21	BANK HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
21.5.21	Reports to Parents
28.5.21	Dress Down Day – No charge
9.6.21	Sports Afternoon 1:30pm
10.6.21	LANIMER HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
11.6.21	LANIMER HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
21.6.21	Summer Celebration – At this time we are unable to confirm if parents will be invited.
24.6.21	School closes 1pm for Summer Holidays Dress Down Day – No charge