





Our Vision

Our vision at <u>Braehead</u> 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 7 March 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Sky Academy

The children in P4-7 are heading to Sky Academy tomorrow. All children will need a packed lunch so should either bring a packed lunch to school or order a packed lunch from the canteen on the morning of the outing. Our workshop 'The Future of Tech' begins at 12noon and finishes at 2pm. All children will be back in school for 3pm collection/transport as normal. Please ensure pupils are in school uniform for this visit.

Lockerbie

All deposits for Lockerbie have now been paid and the formal booking has been made. I am sure the children are looking forward to this wonderful experience. In the coming days we will discuss the activities we will be participating in with Lockerbie and the children, which in turn will help you pack for the trip. I would emphasise at this stage that **no new clothes** should be purchased for this, only take old clothes as they will come back incredibly dirty and not always in one piece.

As well as the P6/7 children from Braehead, the P6/7 children from Carmichael will also be attending. This is a great opportunity to meet new friends before meeting up at secondary school. Mrs Wallace and Mrs Macrae will be attending as staff representatives from Braehead and Miss Holt and Mrs Telfer will be there with pupils from Carmichael Primary.

In previous years we have held an information session for parents in school to discuss what to pack, what to expect from the residential and in general to answer any questions parents and pupils may have. Given the current restrictions around parents being in schools we are not able to plan for this just yet but hope to be able to have this after Spring Break. If it is not possible then we can plan for an online meeting or a recorded information session. In the meantime if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Photographs

We now have John Wilson Photography booked for Wednesday 16 March. Full school uniforms should be worn for this. We have asked that he take the following:

- Whole School Group
- P1 Group
- P7 Group
- Individuals
- Family Groups (Braehead pupils only)

As previously intimated there is no obligation to purchase photos.

Fun 5z Netball

Primary 6/7 will once again be heading to Carluke Leisure Centre for the Fun 5z Netball tournament on Friday. Sports kits will be distributed and children will be back in time for lunches. A snack and drink should be taken to the netball. Permission forms will be sent home in due course.

Fund 'Raisin'

Many thanks to all who contributed to the Parent Council Fund 'Raisin' appeal. A total of £137.81 was raised which will go far in providing additional opportunities for the children. As intimated there was a prize draw of a Family Voucher for New Lanark Visitor Centre up for grabs and I can now report the winners of the prize are the Phillips Family – Well done Andrew, Callum and Emily – have a wonderful time!

Should you have any other questions please do not hesitate to contact the school.



Elizabeth Steele Head Teacher

Dates for the Diary:

24.3.22	Swimming Session 1
25.3.22	Dress Down Day
31.3.22	Swimming Session 2
1.4.22	School closes 2.30pm for Spring Break
19.4.22	School reopens 9am
21.4.22	Swimming Session 3
27.4.22	Fischy Music Performance
28.4.22	Swimming Session 4
29.4.22	Dress Down Day
2.5.22	BANK HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
5.5.22	IN-SERVICE DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
11.5.22	P6/7 Go to Lockerbie Manor
13.5.22	P6/7 Home from Lockerbie Manor
19.5.22	Swimming Session 5
26.5.22	Swimming Session 6
27.5.22	Dress Down Day
2.6.22	Swimming Session 7
9.6.22	LANIMER HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
10.6.22	LANIMER HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED TO PUPILS
16.6.22	Swimming Session 8
23.6.22	Swimming Session 9
24.6.22	School closes 1pm for Summer Holidays
	Dress Down Day