



### 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 19th December 2022**

Dear Parents/Carers,

### **Nativity**

Our Nativity is on the 20<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30 pm, everyone is welcome! To raise funds for our school we will be serving tea, coffee, and shortbread. Thank you to everyone who has returned raffle tickets, if you still have tickets to return we would really appreciate it, if you require additional tickets please contact the office.

Pupils have been guessing the name of a Teddy, guesses are 50p each and pupils can have multiple guesses until all the names are taken, apologies for not attaching the names last week! The winners of the Hamper and the Teddy will be announced after the Nativity.

We will also be selling reindeer dust, hot chocolate and mug cakes!

### **Jingle Bell walk**

On the morning of Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> of December the whole school will be doing a 'Jingle Bell Walk' in the woods to raise funds for our nominated charity which is the Clydesdale Food Bank. Pupils should wear Christmas jumpers and accessories – ideally with bells on! Parents are welcome to join us for the walk, we will be setting off from the school playground at 11.30 am.

### **Christmas Party**

Our Christmas Party is the afternoon of the 22<sup>nd</sup> December, pupils will already be wearing Christmas jumpers for our Jingle Bell walk but can bring clothes to change into for the party if you would like.

### **School App**

Thank you to those who have completed the Google form about the school app, there is still time before the end of term to complete it. One comment has been to limit the number of messages to look at the news feed – that is a fair point, I think while we were getting used to it we wanted families to know if there were photos posted but because you didn't get a notification for the news items we were prompting you. I hope everyone now realises it's worth checking the news section regularly and we can reduce the messages to check it!

<https://forms.gle/zqhAFxzT9xYJtd1y7>

## **P1 Enrolment**

If you or someone you know has a child due to start school in August 2023 please pass this information on to them. The week beginning the 9<sup>th</sup> January information about the enrolment process will be shared widely on social media. Enrolment forms will then be completed online from the 16<sup>th</sup> January, you can find more information by following this link.

[https://www.southlanarkshire.gov.uk/info/200186/primary\\_school\\_information/392/enrolling\\_your\\_child\\_for\\_school](https://www.southlanarkshire.gov.uk/info/200186/primary_school_information/392/enrolling_your_child_for_school)

## **P7-S1 transition**

P7 letters confirming their allocated high School for August will be sent home in January, with information for submitting a placing request if required.

Lastly, I wish everyone a healthy and happy festive period, and look forward to working with you in 2023!

All best wishes,



Lisa Glashan  
Head Teacher

## **Dates for the diary**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
20.12.22	School Nativity
22.12.22	Jingle Bell Walk – 11.30am School Party - pm
23.12.22	School closes 2.30pm for Christmas Holiday
<b>Term 3</b>	
09.01.23	Pupils return to school
10.01.23	Possible Industrial Action
13.01.23	P6 Enterprise event- for pupils going to Biggar High only
16.01.23	P4-7 after school art club 3-4pm
24.01.23	Scots Performance am
03.02.23	Possible Industrial Action
13.02.23	February Weekend – School closed
14.02.23	February Weekend – School closed
15.02.23	Inset day 4 – School closed to pupils
16.03.23	Cross Country – Lanark Racecourse
17.03.23	Euro Quiz – Newton Farm Primary

29.03.23 or 30.03.23	Lanark Grammar Enterprise challenge – P7
31.03.23	School closes for Easter break
<b>Term 4</b>	
17.04.23	Pupils return to school
28.04.23	Lanark Grammar 'Give it a go day' – P6
01.05.23	May day bank holiday
02.05.23	Inset day 5 – school closed to pupils
08.05.23	Holiday - Coronation
09.05.23	Lanark Grammar transition session 3 – 4-5pm
16.05.23	Lanark Grammar transition session 4 – 4-5pm
18.05.23	Footy Festival Carmichael Primary Lanark Grammar Parents' info evening
23.05.23	Lanark Grammar transition session 5 – 4-5pm
30.05.23	Lanark Grammar transition session 6 – 4-5pm
02.06.23	Reports to parents
06.05.23	Sports Day
08.06.23	Lanimer Holiday – School closed
09.06.23	Lanimer Holiday – School closed
14.06.23	P7 whole day visit to Lanark Grammar
15.06.23	P7 whole day visit to Lanark Grammar
22.06.23	Leavers event - evening
27.06.23	School closes for summer break – 1pm