

TRIPS / OUTINGS / EVENTS

20 th Sept	St. Andrew's Hospice 6K Run at Strathclyde Park	L Stewart
21 st Sept	P7 Family Learning Workshops	D Robertson
21 st Sept	Parent Council AGM	B Lee
22 nd Sept	Harvest Assembly Rehearsal	Chaplaincy Team
23 rd Sept	Harvest Assembly	Chaplaincy Team
23 rd Sept	S3 Tracking Report Issued	A Gray
25 th & 28 th Sept	September Weekend Holiday	B Lee

FORTHCOMING

30 th Sept	Youth Forum Meeting	S Leckenby
30 th Sept	S1 Tracking Report Issued	A Gray
WB 5 th Oct	School Show Week	Expressive Arts
WB 5 th Oct	House Assemblies	D Robertson
6 th Oct	Wizard of Oz Opening Night	S Stirling
6 th Oct	Clydesdale Cup – Rugby and Netball at Biggar HS	N McGuire
7 th Oct	S2 Parents' Meeting bookings open	A Gray
10 th -12 th Oct	London Trip	A Gordon
WB 12 th Oct	October Week	

Pupil Notice**21st September 2026****P ACHIEVE – Revision Resources**

Our subscription to the ACHIEVE revision website has been renewed. There are resources to support revision for 76 courses at National 5, Higher and Advanced Higher. If you don't already have an account, you can sign up at: <https://achieve.hashtag-learning.co.uk>
Our school code (which you will need to create your own account) can be found in S4, S5 and S6 Google Classrooms. Happy studying!

B Lee**P St. Andrew's Hospice 6K run**

S5 and S6 students had the opportunity to learn about St. Andrew's Hospice at a special assembly on Friday, 28th August and to find out about how they can help with vital fundraising to support the great work of this charity. We are incredibly proud to have supported the Hospice for 25 years and are grateful to everyone who has taken part in fundraising activities and donated so generously throughout this time.

This year's 6K event takes place on Sunday, 20th September. Participants are welcome to run or to walk. Thank you to Miss Stewart for organising our participation.

B Lee**P P7 Family Learning Workshops**

Our next event for Parents and Carers of P7 students (and P7 students) takes place on Monday, 21st September, when there will be an opportunity to join three family learning workshops and meet with staff and students. Sign- up information has been shared by Primary schools. We look forward to welcoming you to our school!

Please contact Mr Robertson, Depute Head Teacher, if you have any questions relating to our P7 Workshops.

B Lee**P Parent Council AGM**

Our Parent Council AGM takes place on Monday, 21st September, from 7.15 - 8.45 pm, in the school library. There is also an option to join on-line (please contact the school office for the link). New members are always welcome.

B Lee

- P Harvest Assembly and Food Bank Collection**
Our first Chaplaincy assembly of 2026-27 will take place on Wednesday, 23rd September, led by Mr. Daniel Munday, Clydesdale Christian Youth and Children's Worker and School Chaplain. A rehearsal will take place on Tuesday, 22nd September. If you'd like to take part in our Harvest assembly, or help with future Chaplaincy assemblies (Remembrance Day, Christmas, Holocaust Memorial and Easter), please let Miss Lee, Mrs Wright, Ms Kilday, Mr Anderson or Mrs Baillie know.
Daniel Munday will also be in school on Mondays from 21st September at interval time in the Street Area if anyone would like to speak to him.
Over the next two weeks, we will also be collecting items to donate to the Clydesdale Food Bank. Donations of any dried or canned foods, cooking oil, UHT milk, diluting juice or any personal or household hygiene items are particularly welcome. Please bring any items to the School Office, IST, or the Street Area. More information will be given at our Harvest Assembly. Thank you in advance for your donations.
- B Lee**
- P S3 Tracking Reports**
Parents/carers of S3 students will receive Tracking Reports on Wednesday, 23rd September. If you have any questions about reports, please contact Mr Gray, Depute Head Teacher.
- B Lee**
- P September Weekend: Friday, 25th – Monday, 28th September 2026**
School closes at 3.35 pm on Thursday, 24th September and re-opens at 8.40 am on Tuesday, 29th September 2026. We hope everyone enjoys the September weekend holiday.
- B Lee**
- P School Show – Wizard of Oz**
Rehearsals continue for our School Show – Wizard of Oz, which takes place in week beginning 5th October. Well done to all students and staff who are rehearsing and making props and costumes most days throughout the week! Special thanks to Mr Stirling for leading our School Show team.
- B Lee**
- P ParentsPortal**
Thank you to all parents and carers who have signed up to ParentsPortal, our new digital communication service. ParentsPortal enables parents to update contact information, complete consent forms, view canteen menus and attendance information, link to ParentPay and other functions. From this session, school reports will also be available through ParentsPortal. Please contact the school office if you require any further information.
- B Lee**
- P Easyfundraising – Lesmahagow High School Parent Council**
Thank you to all members of our school community who support our students through 'easyfundraising', in partnership with Lesmahagow High School Parent Council. Once registered, over 8,000 easyfundraising partners donate part of what you spend to Lesmahagow High School Parent Council. It doesn't cost you any extra – the cost is covered by the brand. To find out more or to sign-up, please follow this link:
https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/step-1/?char=225689&invite=K6SZUA&referral-campaign=s2s&utm_medium=email&utm_source=facebook&utm_campaign=referral-2025&utm_term=PRO83&utm_content=socialshare&fbclid=IwVERTSANL4E1leHRuA2FibQIxMAABHII0CYum4LI2x_3OXqYOBqQYjpr6DsAJ_OQEfpuXKXID9PA5_VwjX89-Y_qb_aem_Yj_d_USx5PWGbXcpR2IijQ
- B Lee**
- P Uniform**
Our school uniform is:
- White shirt/blouse;
 - School tie (red and black / senior / international);
 - Plain black v-neck jumper or cardigan without logos;
 - Black trousers / black skirt;
 - School blazer, with option of braiding for S6;

- Plain black footwear (including laces) and
- P.E. kit (white, red or black t-shirt, black shorts).

Please speak to Mrs McCallum, your Pupil Support Teacher, or any member of SMT if you need any uniform items. Alternatively, you can request uniform items at the links below:

School uniform <https://forms.gle/AWcqcQ7seyd5c91i9>

We would welcome any donations of any pre-loved items of school uniform, particularly school blazers to add these to the supplies available to pupils. Please pass any donations to the School Office. Thank you.

B Lee

P EMA – S5/6

EMA application forms can be completed on the South Lanarkshire Council website. On the Council website, click on 'Education and Learning', then 'Secondary School Information', then 'Education Maintenance Allowance'. If you need any help with this, please see Mr Robertson or your Pupil Support Teacher.

It is your responsibility to complete and send the application form.

When you receive an award letter with your EMA number on it, bring this to Mr Robertson who will then issue a copy of the Learning Agreement to be signed by your teachers and Parent/Carer. You should then return the completed Learning Agreement to Mr Robertson and the school office will then process your EMA.

Only when you have completed all of the above will the payment process begin. Please see Mr Robertson if you have any questions about EMA.

D Robertson