



Hello everyone!

It is hard to believe that we are close to another end of term at Calderwood, we look forward to celebrating all things spring at our Spring Calderwood Connects on Friday.

The champions really enjoyed sharing your child's progress with you at the conversations last week, it was great to hear such positive feedback

Thanks, as always, for all your support this term. I hope you have an enjoyable Easter break!

Kind regards,
Miss Burton

Sports Day

In the summer term we would like to organise a Sports Day Celebration for our clans. Please find some questions below to help us organise this event. Please complete the form below, we will use the information provided to help plan the event.

<https://forms.office.com/r/nczDTb8VLG>

Time for Reflection

Children have access to explore world religious through our Religious and Moral Education Curriculum which follows the national Curriculum for Excellence., which you [can find here](#).

As we move to having in person Calderwood Connects (assemblies) for our children, we would like to consult with our school community as to what time for reflection looks like at Calderwood Primary, so that it is inclusive of our diverse community.

The frequency of time for reflection, will be determined by our school community, meaning that Time for Reflection will be periodically incorporated to our Calderwood Connects Calendar.

[The link to the West Lothian Policy is here.](#)

Please complete the form below to give your views on time for reflection.

<https://forms.office.com/r/hawFczY0nf>

Red Deer House Party

We celebrated our first ever termly house winners by having a pyjama party, you can see some photos from the event in this Sway.

<https://sway.office.com/b79HUholDg0GyARD>

Professional Clan Photos

An email has been issued, advising how to purchase the Tempest Clan photos.

Le Clan Café

Our Clan Café was a very successful whole school event; you can find out more in this Sway. Thank you to Rannoch and Tay Clans for organising.

<https://sway.office.com/ui34vidC5sXv00ki>

P4-6 Calderwood Careers

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/wl/calderwood/2022/03/29/term-4-calderwood-careers-p4-6/>

World Autism Awareness Week

Recognising World Autism Week is something that is important to us at Calderwood to continue to ensure our community are inclusive. Click on the blog post to find out more about what we will be doing during this week.

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/wl/calderwood/2022/03/15/autism-awareness-week-2022-28th-1st-april/>

Calderwood Magic Miles 2022

It has been fantastic seeing all the photos of children and families gaining their Magic Miles on Twitter, Seesaw and Teams. Please ensure you send your sponsor money and sheets in to school this week.

Big Walk and Wheel Event

Please see below information about the Big Walk and Wheel Event Calderwood Primary and Nursery will take part in from 21st March – 1st April.

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/wl/calderwood/2022/03/14/big-walk-and-wheel-event/>

Update on our progress:

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/wl/calderwood/2022/03/29/big-walk-and-wheel-2/>

Community Information: Appeals for Ukraine

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/wl/calderwood/2022/03/16/community-information-appeals-for-ukraine/>

AUTISM AWARENESS WEEK 2022

28th March - 1st April



HOW WE'RE CELEBRATING



BOOK STUDY
All Clans will take part in a book study that explores Autism & Participate in activities to celebrate autism based on this book.

DRESS IN YOUR FAVOURITE COLOUR
Wednesday 30th March
BECAUSE... We are all Unique!

Other Activities
The clans may take part in some other activities to celebrate:

- Exploring Sensory Resources
- Researching famous people who have autism



BREAKFAST CLUB

Drop your child off at the main school office

COME ALONG!



FREE TO ALL SCHOOL PUPILS EVERY MONDAY-FRIDAY
8:05AM-8:25AM

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY

TOAST & FRUIT MILK & WATER



TUESDAY, THURSDAY

CEREAL & FRUIT MILK & WATER

AREAS AND ACTIVITIES:

- ACTIVE AREA
- QUIET AREA
- CONSTRUCTION AREA
- DANCING AREA
- ARTS AND CRAFTS

Parent Volunteers

We want to begin to prepare for life after restrictions!

We would like to start making a list of parent/carer/ close relative volunteers who can support us with trips, outdoor learning, Parent Council events, etc. This involves ensuring the volunteers have a Calderwood Primary PVG (Protecting Vulnerable Groups scheme), therefore we would like to begin the process, so we are ready for when restrictions ease. Parents or carers who do career talks etc., do not need a PVG as there will always be a champion with them.

As the PVG process does cost, **we would request that those parents/ carers who can help are flexible with the days they can help** and are prepared to work across the clans, not just the clan their child is in. If you think you can help please complete the form below and the office will contact you or place you on a waiting list.

<https://forms.office.com/r/TH6sZyhxWi>

Term 4 P.E. Days

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/wl/calderwood/2022/03/29/term-4-p-e-days/>

After School Clubs

The term 3 after school school clubs finish this week. Forms will be issued in the new term to sign up for clubs for Term 4. Heather McCann will directly contact parents about her Thursday music after school club.

Routines

In this Sway, you will find information about the school day, drop off and pick up.

<https://sway.office.com/6GXWmBwK3IS7i7Gh>

Communication

- Blog: <https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/wl/calderwood>
- Twitter: https://twitter.com/Calderwood_Pri
- Website: <https://calderwoodprimary.westlothian.org.uk/>
- School office: wcalderwood-ps@westlothian.org.uk
- School Office Number: Monday – Thursday: 8:15am – 4:00pm and until 1pm on a Friday: 01506 280060
- Nursery Office Number: 4pm – 6:14pm and during holidays: 01506 280070

Parent Council Meeting Minutes

<https://blogs.glowscotland.org.uk/wl/calderwood/2022/03/28/parent-council-minutes-15-03-22/>

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Diary Dates

- 30/03/2022 – Dress Down Day: Dress in your favourite colour (World Autism Week) – No donation required
- 01/04/2022 – Calderwood Connects: Spring Celebration
- 01/04/2022 – Last day of term
- 19/04/2022 – Term 4 Starts – All return

*Some dates may be subject to change & covered restrictions