



# Nursery Newsletter – May 2017

## Transition

As part of our on-going transition work with Primary One we will be doing lots of learning in A block, with Mrs Wojtunik and Miss Penman. We will be having opportunities to play in the playground, have our snacks and even try getting ready for P.E using a gym kit. Most learning activities will be for all the children, with some being more specific for the 4 year olds.

## Buddies

P6 buddies have now been trained by Mrs Wojtunik and are ready to meet the nursery children. They will be going for a visit to Nursery and having a playtime together. The dates are as follows-

Session 1 – play based learning in nursery	Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> of June
Session 2 – paired reading in nursery	Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> of June
Session 3 – playtime in the playground	Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> of June

The children will also continue to be role models for the younger children in Pink Panther as they start their visits to Nursery in preparation for August.

## Sports Day

We would like to invite you to join us for our sports on **Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> of May at 9.30am** on the main school field. We would like children from both sessions to attend at the same time on this day, therefore the afternoon children are asked to come to the school reception at 8:50am to meet Mrs Bain and Mrs Carey. This is also a good occasion for children from both sessions to meet again. Parents are asked to enter by the main playground green gate at 9.25am. On completion of our activities you are invited to join us in the nursery garden for light refreshments. **There will be no afternoon session on that day.**



## School Dinner Taster Session Reminder



On **Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> of June** we will be going along to the canteen to have a school lunch. This will allow the children to get used to the environment and where to sit for lunch. Please note all children will be going for the lunch; please return your preference slip with £2.65 if you want to join us. One family member is invited to come along if they wish to share the experience. As the lunch begins at 11.30 all afternoon 4 year old children should meet at the school reception, all 3 year old afternoon children should attend nursery at 11.30 but at the usual Nursery building, the afternoon session will end at **2.40pm** this day.

## P1 Parent Information Session

Mrs Wojtunik will be holding the P1 Parent Information Sessions on **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> of June** at 9.30am, 1.30pm and 3pm. Make sure you sign up for one of the sessions and pop up any questions you might have.



## School Trip to Robertson's Farm

This year both sessions will be going on a trip together to Robertson's Farm in Beaulay on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> of June. This will take place in the morning, therefore all children will start nursery at 8:50am this day.



## School Closure

Please note the school and nursery will be closed **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June** as the school will be used as a polling station.

## Easy fundraising

If you shop online why not do it through [easyfundraising.org.uk](http://easyfundraising.org.uk). This is a simple and easy way to raise money for the school and nursery and doesn't cost you anything.

[www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/holmschoolpc/?q=Holm%20&cat=cause-autosuggest](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/holmschoolpc/?q=Holm%20&cat=cause-autosuggest)

## What's on in May

Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Health Week
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Nursery Sports
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Nursery Parent Information session for new nursery parents

## What's on in June

Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> of June	Primary 1 Information session for Nursery parents
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	Trip to Robertson's Farm
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup>	Polling day – no Nursery
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup>	Reports out to parents
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	School Disco
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	School lunch for 4 year olds
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Buddy day
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Buddy day
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Buddy day
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Last day of school am and pm nursery in from 8:50 till 12pm