

Bridgend Primary School & Nursery Class



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December 2018



Message from Mrs. Deas!

Holidays

21 st Dec	Last Day of Term
7 th January	Back to school
18 th February	Holiday
19 th February	In-service Day
5 th April	Last day of term
23 rd April	Return to school

School Events

7 th December	Christmas Fayre & Christmas jumper. (10:30-12:00)
12 th December	Panto P1-7
13 th December	Christmas Lunch + Christmas jumper
14 th December	Christmas Sing a long (9-9:30)
17 th December	Nursery Celebration (All children 10:03-2:00)
17 th December	Choir- Edinburgh Airport
18 th December	Kingscavil Church (9:45-11:00)
19 th December	Choir Christmas Carol in School Hall(11:00-12:00)
19 th December	P1-4 party - PM
20 th December	P5-7 party - PM

Welcome to the December newsletter!

We have a busy term coming up with of course, a big focus on Christmas! Dates for Christmas events and activities are included in this newsletter so please make a note of all important dates.

Thank you to those of you who came along to our parent consultation evening. If you missed your appointment please contact the school to rearrange as it is important that you meet with your child's teacher to discuss your child's progress and next steps in learning.

Thank you also to those of you who engaged with our stall holders at the family engagement market place. I hope that you found it useful. The winner of the £25 Tesco voucher was Jillian Baird - well done Jillian!

The School Fayre is this Friday and parents can collect their children from classes at 10:30 and take them along to the fayre. Please remember that once children are collected they are the responsibility of the adult who collected them. Parents and children are free to leave the fayre when they are finished. The children will be consulted about what they feel the school/classes would benefit from but we would also welcome any suggestions from parents.

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School Partnerships

Parent Council

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Parent Council for organising and running the Halloween parties, The kids had a fab time and it was a great success.

The next parent council meeting is on the 11th of December at 2.30pm. Please consider coming along. Your help and support are very much welcomed and appreciated.



Bridgend School News!



Farewells

We say a fond farewell to Miss Paterson from P1/2 and Miss Boyle from the nursery. We would like to thank them for all the hard work and commitment that they have shown the school and nursery. We wish you both the best of luck in your new posts! You will both be greatly missed by staff, parents and pupils.

Nursery News

Nursery parents have been involved in deciding the vision for the nursery. Children and staff have been talking about what are the main values that are relevant to our nursery setting. Parents and children will be asked to vote on the most popular ideas to help select the 3 main values for our nursery.

We have opened our very own Santa's workshop in the nursery garden. Children can wrap, presents, write cards and read Christmas stories.



Snack money must be paid on i-pay at the beginning of the month.



Change in weather

With the weather changing please ensure that your child is appropriately dressed for school wearing sensible shoes and a warm jacket. If your child wears wellies to school please also send a pair of indoor shoes to change into.

Hats, gloves and scarfs will keep the kids warm during the winter months in the playground!



School Bank

There is an agency called the School Bank in West Lothian and they can help with providing school uniform, winter jackets and school essentials.

If you would like to be considered and referred for this service please make yourself known to a member of staff and we can arrange this for you.

School Info

Indoor shoes should be provided for children in school. Especially as we are now entering the winter season.

A reminder to all parents that school starts at 8:45am. There are a high number of late comers on a daily basis which obviously impacts on the start of learning for all the children.

A list of dates for the Christmas parties are included above. The cost is £2 per child to cover the cost of food and prizes which should be paid to the class/nursery teachers.

Wishing all parents, children and friends of the school A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

