



GREENBURN'S NEWSLETTER



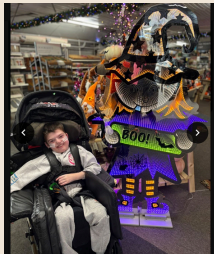
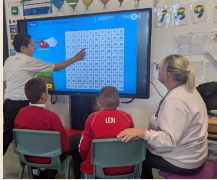
OCTOBER EDITION

We can't quite believe we are heading into November! Time is flying by and, as usual, there has been so many different things going on in the school. Wonderful experiences for all of the children in and out of the classes. Remember Google Classroom will keep you up to date with what is happening in your child's class. We had our first two parent workshops in October - thank you to everyone that came along. We really appreciate your support and input at these events. We are looking forward to hosting our first attachment working party at the start of December - the behind the scenes! October was a sporty month for the school. We launched the start of our Sports Ambassador training. We have some new recruits to join our existing Sports Ambassadors - everyone is working hard to learn lots of new skills. Some of our children attended the West of Scotland Boccia Festival and the South Lanarkshire Football Festival and we have started our Gymnastic taster sessions with EKGC! We also had some staff who attended Scottish Disability Sport Inclusive PE training to help learn new skills and ideas we can pass on to our children! We have ended the month spooktacularly with our Halloween parties! Look out for photos!



Spotlight on The Penguins!

The Penguins have had a busy October working on our targets in and out of class. We have loved our Gymnastics block as EKGC. We have all learned some new skills...as have the staff! We have had Spooktacular fun out in the local community on our life skills visits, autumn scavenger hunts and bringing our learning back to class.
Love from The Penguins!



CHECK THIS OUT!! EVERY CLASS DESIGNED AN ECO MASCOT FOR THE SCHOOL...WHAT AN AMAZING EFFORT! THE ECO COMMITTEE WILL BE GETTING TOGETHER IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS TO DECIDE ON OUR WINNING MASCOT - THANK YOU TO EVERYONE FOR SUCH A WONDERFUL EFFORT!



BEAT THE STREET!
WOW! WHAT AN AMAZING TEAM EFFORT WE HAVE MADE FOR BEAT THE STREET...THE CHILDREN, STAFF AND PARENTS HAVE ALL DONE AN AMAZING JOB SUPPORTING OUR BEAT THE STREET BEEPING! THANK YOU EVERYONE! WE ARE REALLY HOPING TO HAVE MADE IT HIGH UP ON THE LEADER BOARD...OUR FINGERS ARE CROSSED FOR A TROPHY! WE WILL KEEP YOU POSTED.
JUST BEFORE GOING TO PRESS - WE WON!!! FIRST PLACE! A TROPHY AND £200 OF DECATHALON VOUCHERS ARE ON THE WAY! GO TEAM GREENBURN!



WE HAVE BEEN HAVING GREAT FUN WITH A NEW VISITOR TO OUR SCHOOL - RHONA FROM RHYTHM TIME. RHONA WORKS WITH ALL OF OUR CLASSES ON A WEDNESDAY AND IN THE AFTERNOON THERE IS A SPECIAL RHYTHM TIME BAND ON A WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON WITH CHILDREN FROM BOTH GREENBURN AND MAXWELLTON - THEY WILL BE MAKING AN APPEARANCE AT OUR CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA!

REMEMBER...

- PLEASE LABEL ALL OF YOUR CHILDRENS CLOTHES AND BELONGINGS.
- CLASS MONEY £2 PER WEEK FOR ACCESSING THE COMMUNITY, BAKING ITEMS ETC. CAN BE PAID WEEKLY OR IN BULK.
- PLEASE BRING IN LABELLED SWIMMING ITEMS. THEY WILL BE SENT HOME AGAIN WHEN THEY HAVE BEEN USED.

HEAD TEACHERS BLURB

HELLO EVERYONE, DUE TO US HAVING OUR HOLIDAY IN OCTOBER IT HAS BEEN A BIT OF A QUIET MONTH FOR US. THE SCHOOL IS TICKING ALONG NICELY. WE HAD A REALLY SUCCESSFUL PARENT WORKSHOP WITH THE SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST JENNIFER, AND THE FEEDBACK FROM PARENTS WAS EXCEPTIONAL. MANY THANKS TO OUR ATTACHMENT WORKING PARTY FOR PLANNING AND ORGANISING FOR THIS. I AM INSPIRED BY THEIR SUCCESS AND SO IN NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER I AM OFFERING THE FOLLOWING WORKSHOPS.

- * FRIDAY 8TH NOVEMBER - SLEEP HYGIENE WORKSHOP AT 10AM (JOINT WITH MAXWELLTON)
- * FRIDAY 29TH NOVEMBER - CHRISTMAS WRAPPING WORKSHOP (LETTER TO COME)
- * WEDNESDAY 4TH DECEMBER - CHRISTMAS 'WREATH MAKING' WORKSHOP AT 10AM (LETTER TO COME). THE IDEA FOR THE CHRISTMAS WORKSHOPS IS NOT ABOUT THE END PRODUCT BUT ABOUT YOU COMING IN TO SCHOOL MEETING OTHER PARENTS/FRIENDS AND HAVING A NICE CHRISTMAS SOCIALISATION AND GOOD ETHOS WITHIN THE SCHOOL. PLEASE COME! I HOPE YOU HAVE A WONDERFUL HALLOWEEN. OUR CHILDREN HAD A WONDERFUL TIME AT THE PARTIES. THE PHOTOS PROVE THIS.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO GET YOUR TICKETS FOR OUR RACE NIGHT ON 8TH NOVEMBER, WE NEED YOU THERE!!

BEST REGARDS
MARIA

OUR WELLBEING AMBASSADORS HAVE CHOSEN LOAVES AND FISHES AS OUR SCHOOL CHARITY TO SUPPORT THIS YEAR. THERE WILL BE A FOOD DROP ON THE FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH. THE FIRST ONE IS TOMORROW. THE WELLBEING AMBASSADORS HAVE DONE A WONDERFUL JOB OF MAKING A SPECIAL BOX FOR ALL OF OUR DONATIONS.



November Dates for the diary:

Friday 1st November: Food drop for Loaves and Fishes. If you can, please bring in a tin or item of dried food to donate to Loaves and Fishes.

Thursday 7th November: Parents Night for upstairs classes (Pandas, Monkeys, Rhinos and Penguins) - letters and times have been sent home

Friday 8th November: Sleep Hygiene Workshop. 10am

Friday 8th November: Parent Council Race Night - please see information on facebook! We hope you can make it.

Monday 11th November: Inservice Day - no school for children.

Tuesday 12th November: Review Meetings for downstairs classes start this week (Lions, Elephants, Giraffes, Tigers) - individual dates and times have been sent home.

Tuesday 12th November: After School Multi Sports Club begins (4 week block) 2.50pm - 4pm. Letters will be sent home to those involved.

Thursday 21st November: South Lanarkshire Sport Boccia Festival. 10am - 12noon (more information will be sent home to those children involved)

Thursday 21st November: Children in Need - children can wear something spotty or yellow if they would like. Please bring loose change so we can make a big outline of a Pudsey face!

Wednesday 27th November: Dressing the Christmas Tree. Please send your child in with a bauble to add to the Christmas tree.

Friday 29th November: Christmas Wrapping Workshop for parents (more info. to follow). 10am

OUR ECO COMMITTEE HAVE ORGANISED A

WINTER WARMER SWAP SHOP FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER! IF YOU HAVE ANY OLD JACKETS, HATS, GLOVES OR HATS THAT YOU AREN'T USING PLEASE THINK ABOUT HANDING THEM INTO THE SCHOOL...YOU CAN THEN COME INTO SCHOOL AND SEE IF THERE IS ANYTHING YOU MIGHT LIKE. OR LET US KNOW WHAT YOU ARE LOOKING FOR AND WE CAN CHECK AND SEND SOMETHING HOME WITH YOUR CHILD...



REMEMBER TO LOOK OUT FOR NEWS ON OUR GREENBURN FACEBOOK PAGE...

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