

Education Resources Executive Director Tony McDaid High Mill Primary School Head Teacher: Kirstine McDonald

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Dear Parent

Staffing Update

Teaching

As you may be aware, Miss Stevie McNeil has been absent for some time. During this absence, Stevie has been successful in gaining a teaching position within the ASN Provision at Lanark Grammar School. She will not return to High Mill, we wish her good luck in this next chapter of her career.

Stevie's timetable has been covered by Miss Lucy Whitelaw and Miss Brooke Fenton, to ensure consistency this will continue until a new permanent teacher is appointed. I have already submitted a request to advertise the post and will update you in due course.

Support Staff

Having welcomed her back to High Mill in August, we will again be saying 'Good Bye' to Mrs Angela Patrick. Angela is returning to her previous career in Social Care. Over the 6 years Angela has been at High Mill, she has shown tremendous care and support to the children. Our Support Services Co-ordinator is in the process of recruiting a new Support Assistant and I will update you when a replacement has been identified.

Student

From Wednesday 18th January, Primary 2/1 will welcome Miss Sophie White to their class each week for the next few months. Sophie is currently studying Primary Teaching at Strathclyde University. She spent some time in P.2/1 last term and is looking forward to joining the team at High Mill.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

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Yours sincerely

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