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May Newsletter



**Reminder**: Monday 6Th May – May Day Holiday. School Closed

Tuesday 7th May – In-Service Day.

**Glasgow Science Visit**

We enjoyed a visit from the Glasgow Science Centre on Wednesday 24th April. The pupils learnt all about getting active and how oxygen is used around the body. They got to experiment with fitlab exhibits including seeing how the body is made up, xrays, body temperature and ageing. It was a really enjoyable and educational morning.

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**Music Society Visit**

We had a visit from Anna and Sophia on Thursday 25th April organised by the Kelso Music Society. They brought a piano and an accordion and played some beautiful music for us. They talked about what it was like to be a professional musician and inspired us with their wonderful playing. They talked about movement in music and the children joined in with dance.

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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

P7 Rugby Festival – Woodside Park, Kelso – Thursday 16th May

Kyle will be taken over to join Ednam’s team.

P5 Countryside Day – Springwood Park, Kelso – Tuesday 21st May

Archie will be taken over to Ednam to travel with them to the event.

Consent information will be sent out soon.

P5 /6 Cricket Festival – Shedden Park, Kelso – Tuesday 28th May

Archie will be taken over to join Ednam’s team.

Consent information will be sent out soon.

P4-7 Swimming lessons – every Wednesday throughout May.

**50/50 Lottery** – We will be organising a lottery to be held at the Leavers Assembly on Tuesday 25th June. More information to be sent out shortly.

**Garden Centre Vouchers**

Please remember if you make a purchase at any Klondyke garden centre, including Kelso, you can ask for ‘gardens for schools’ vouchers.

You will receive a gardens for schools voucher for every £10 spent in a single transaction in the Garden Centre or Coffee Shop.

For every 250 vouchers we collect we will get a £100 garden centre voucher.

**You do have to ask for them though.**

At the moment we have 160! Thank you to those who have been collecting them and sending them in.

**Lunches**

Please remember to book your child/ren’s lunches at least 2 weeks in advance please as we need to get our weekly orders in promptly.

**Library Bus**

Our next visit will be on Thursday 9th May.

**Indoor shoes**

Please make sure your child has a pair of indoor shoes that they can leave in school to change into. We have a lovely playground but it does get very muddy and we do not want the mud following the children into the school and getting on the carpets.

**Please remember to send children to school with a water bottle and warm coat.**

In line with Scottish Borders Council and Scottish Governments Healthy Schools guidance Water bottles must contain water only please and not juice.

**Please make sure that your child has something healthy for a mid morning snack at school. Please keep chocolate bars / sweets / haribos for home treats. Thank you for your cooperation with this.**

Please remember to look regularly at the School Website / Facebook page for information, news and messages and don’t forget to use Easy Fundraising for online purchases ☺

  

Summer term

* Monday 15 April 2024 - all resume
* Monday 6 May 2024 - May Day holiday, school closed
* Tuesday 7 May 2024 - staff resume, in service day
* Wednesday 8 May 2024 - pupils resume
* Friday 28 June 2024 - last day of term for pupils and staff

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 28th May – Parents Evening

Monday 10th June (PM) Sports Day

Monday 17th June (PM) Back up Sports Day

Tuesday 25th June - Leavers Assembly 2pm