



WEEKLY BULLETIN

Week Ending 26th January 2024

Kindness—Respect—Responsibility—Togetherness

Congratulations to our class winners in the Scots Poetry Competition! We are so proud of all our learners this year as everyone took the time to learn their poem and to share it with their class and teacher.

We had a celebration assembly today where we heard all the winners and chose overall winners from P1-P3 and P4-P7. They will have their names added to the shields.

Class winners were:

| Class | Name | Poem |
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| P1A | Logan | A North East Loonie Caad Mike |
| P1B | Finn W | A Sailor Caad Danny |
| P2A | Evie | A Ghostie |
| P2B | Seth | A Young Quinie Caad Helen |
| P3A | Mairi | Heather the Weather |
| P3B | Nathan | A different nou |
| P4A | Sophia | The Traffic Jam |
| P4B | Riley | Dr Fa |
| P5A | Alby | The Wolf |
| P5/6B | Logan | The Wolf |
| P6A | Lois | A Dinosaur |
| P7A | Cerys | To a Mouse |
| P7B | Joseph | Ellen's Spellin' |

Overall Winners:

P1-3 Finn

P4-7 Cerys

Rotary Fun Quizzes

Congratulations to all our Westhill Primary pupils who took part in the Westhill and District Rotary Primary Schools Fun Quiz this week.

All our teams did very well and were a credit to our school. Our P7 team 'Quizpicable Me' came out eventual winners of the P7 competition; they decided to support Abernecessities as their chosen charity on the night.

Well done all!



Active Schools Run4Fun

Active Schools are delighted to announce the return of our Run4fun running series for 2024! We have races taking place across all of our central school networks so check the attached flyer for information on dates in your area. These races are open to children from all networks, with participation medals awarded to children who take part in at least 3 of the 6 races! As well as the participation medals there will be medals for 1st, 2nd & 3rd for all age groups!

The approx. distances for each age group are;

P1-P3 – 600m

P4-P5 – 1k

P6-P7 – 1.6k

Each race will cost £3 per person (The Meldrum run is a free race however Kayleigh's Wee Stars would welcome any donations. This can be paid in cash on the day) Please see the attached flyer for all the details and to sign up please click here - <https://bit.ly/asabevents>

How to discuss any concerns:

If you have a concern about your child, please request a phone call from their class teacher in the first instance. Staff will return the call as soon as possible. Should the matter require further discussion, please contact the relevant member of the senior management team. This year Mrs Borthwick will be the point of contact for children in Nursery, Mrs Burns will be point contact of for P1, Mrs Dahl will be the point of contact for children in P2- P4 and Ms Symington will be the point of contact for children in P5-7.

PE days

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| 1A | Tuesday and Friday | 5A | Monday and Friday |
| 1B | Tuesday and Friday | 5/6A | Tuesday and Thursday |
| 2A | Wednesday and Thursday | 6A | Wednesday and Friday |
| 2B | Wednesday and Thursday | 7A | Wednesday and Friday |
| 3A | Tuesday and Thursday | 7B | Wednesday and Friday |
| 3B | Wednesday and Friday | | |
| 4A | Monday and Tuesday | | |
| 4B | Monday and Thursday | | |

Dates for your Diary

Please find below link that will allow you to download the school calendar to your phone:

<https://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/media/27286/2022-2023-school-holidays.ics>

- Monday 15th January- Friday 19th January P1 enrolment
- Monday 22nd January- Friday 2 February Nursery enrolment
- 8th February – 12th February School closed mid term holiday
- Tuesday 13th February and Wednesday 14th February In Service days 4 and 5
- Wednesday 28th February P1 and P7 Dental Inspections
- 28th March School Closes for Easter holidays
- 29th March Good Friday Public Holiday
- 15th April School re-opens
- Tuesday 23rd April and Thursday 25th April Parent Interviews
- 6th May Public Holiday
- 5th July School closes for summer holidays