



## LADYWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL

### MAY NEWSLETTER

#### PTA/PARENT COUNCIL

A huge thank you to everyone who helped organise the Spring Coffee Morning. The PTA raised a fabulous £670. An enormous thank you to everyone who attended and donated to the school. The next meeting of the PTA will be held on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May. On the Agenda will be the arrangements for the upcoming Summer Fayre. This is to be held on Saturday June 9<sup>th</sup> - remember to keep this date free!  
Our Parent Council will also meet on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

#### Children's Choice

Last week we re-launched reward time on a Friday afternoon. Previously known as Fun Friday, our Pupil Council have named this time of the week as Children's Choice.

Every Monday morning the activities will be discussed and your child will be asked to sign up to a Friday afternoon activity. As a reward for positive behaviour throughout the week, children will enjoy a variety of activities such as Art, Outdoor Games, Board Games, Computer Games and many more.

Information will be included in your child's homework diary

#### Celebrating Success Assemblies

Once a fortnight this term we will be holding Celebrating Success Assemblies. These assemblies will give the whole school the opportunity to come together to recognise and celebrate success within and out with the school.

Head Teacher certificates will recognise hard work, good effort, good manners and positive behaviour within the school and children will be encouraged to bring in trophies, medals and certificates gained out with the school.

Unfortunately, due to space constraints we are unable to invite parents to join us for these assemblies.

#### Eating Outside

Now that we are in the Summer Term, when the weather allows, children will be able to eat their

packed lunches outside. Hopefully the sun will begin to shine more regularly!

#### DIGITAL SCHOOLS AWARD

We are delighted to announce that we have been awarded a Digital Schools Award. This is a very prestigious award that celebrates our use of ICT and recognises that ICT is embedded in our curriculum. This award also demonstrates our ability to work as a whole school team.

#### Smoking at School Gates

Quite a few parents have expressed a concern that some parents are choosing to smoke while waiting at the school gates.

I would ask that all parents refrain from smoking at the school gates as it is unpleasant and unhealthy for children to have to walk through smoke to get in and out of the playground.

#### Pre-Loved Uniform

This term P6/5 are learning about Recycling. As part of this topic they are organising a Pre-Loved Uniform Stall at the Summer Fayre. Please be sure to visit, as there are bargains to be had!

#### Dates for your Diary

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> May - Holiday  
Tues 8<sup>th</sup> May - In Service Day - children do not attend on this day  
Fri 11<sup>th</sup> May - P1b Assembly  
Tues 15<sup>th</sup> May - Cycling Tour Event  
Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> May - World of Work Day  
Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> May - Maths Drop In session - more info will follow  
Fri 25<sup>th</sup> May and Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May - Holiday  
Tues 29<sup>th</sup> May - Fri 1<sup>st</sup> June Inclusive - P7 children to Kilbowie  
Fri 1<sup>st</sup> June - P1a Assembly  
Tues 5<sup>th</sup> and Wed 6<sup>th</sup> June - P7 Visit to Dalziel High  
Sat 9<sup>th</sup> June Summer Fayre  
Thurs 28<sup>th</sup> June - School Closes at 1pm

P7 End of Term Celebrations - Information regarding our end of term celebrations will follow very soon.

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