



Glengowan Primary School Newsletter - April 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

P5 Swimming

Our P5 children go to swimming lessons on a Tuesday afternoon. The bus must have clear access to the car park in order to drop off the children safely. Please inform anyone who uses the car park, to collect a child, that bus access is a priority.

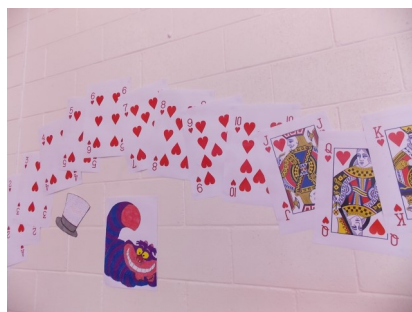
The Parent Group

We continue to be supported by the Glengowan Parent Group. The recent clothes collection on Friday 26th April raised £404. Many thanks to all who contributed.

The Strawberry Fayre will take place on Saturday 15th June. If you are able to help out at this event, please get in touch with me. I realise that not everyone knows someone on the Parent Group and may still wish to contribute. I would be happy to answer any questions you may have as I'm keen that as many parents as possible feel involved in the wider life of our school.

The Mad Hatter's Tea Party

We had a great lunchtime on Monday 29th April. Our sample platter allowed the children to try the different choices on offer at our school canteen. The canteen meal uptake was substantially higher than usual. Thank you to everyone who made this such a success.



Lochgoilhead and P7 Activity Week

Last week, our P7 pupils attended Lochgoilhead or took part in an activity week. Mrs Ireland, Miss Harvey, Miss Meldrum and Miss Love reported that the children conducted themselves very well during the residential experience. They were very pleased with the high level of engagement.

Back at the school, our pupils took part in BMX and skateboard lessons. A lengthy walk (about 9 miles) was led by Mrs Swan on Wednesday.





Uniforms/Clothing

The majority of the clothing that is handed in as lost property does not have a child's name on the label. Due to the high number of items we collect, please make sure your child's name is written on the inside label of all items of uniform. Many thanks for your support.

P1 Parents—Help Needed

I am putting together information about how we teach reading for our new P1 parents. I would like to request the help of our current P1 parents to make sure the information is clear. A copy of the information will be sent home and I would appreciate any comments that would help improve the content. I am very keen that we build on this year's success and thank you in advance for your support.

Dates for your diary

Monday 6th May—Holiday

Tuesday 7th May- School closed to pupils (In-Service Day)

Monday 13th May—Book Fair Week—Details to follow

Thursday 23rd May—School Closed for election

Friday 24th May—Holiday

Monday 27th May—Holiday

Thursday 20th May—School Disco

Friday 31st May—Dress Down Day. Please donate a prize for the Tombola stall instead of £1. Bottles, boxes of chocolates, and so on will be gratefully accepted for the Strawberry Fayre.

Yours faithfully

G Murray

Head Teacher