



TYNEWATER PRIMARY SCHOOL

APRIL 2024 NEWSLETTER



DIARY DATES

- 6th May – May Day Holiday
- 10th May – Parent Council Meeting in school
- 10th May - P7 DHS Transition Visit
- 17th May - P7 DHS Transition Visit
- 20th May – Staff Inservice Day (no pupils in school)
- 24th May – Primary 1 Assembly
- 24th May - P7 DHS Transition Visit

SPRING COMPETITION

We are delighted to share the winners for our Spring Competition. All children who submitted an entry received three house points and the three winners from ELC, P4 and P7 have received a special prize.



PUPIL LEADERSHIP GROUPS UPDATE

Our children continue to develop their leadership skills, planning and preparing a variety of clubs for younger pupils. This term, Primary 4 pupils have started their own Book Club which will run on a Wednesday at afternoon break in the school library. Primary 6 pupils are running as Athletics club and Coding Club, and our Primary 7 pupils continue to offer their highly popular art club.

PATHHEAD AND DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

There is a plant sale on Saturday 11th May at Callander Pavillion in Pathhead between 10am-12pm. At the plant sale all children have the opportunity to receive sunflower seeds and a bag and tuber to grow their own potatoes free of charge. On Saturday 24th August at the Annual Flower Show these will be judged if you would like to enter.

ASSEMBLIES

This term we have had a special guest visitor, Ali in school to visit our assembly to share all about Eid ul-Fitr. The children had the chance to learn more about this religious festival and ask questions about it.

We were treated to an inspiring assembly from Primary 2 this morning all about World Earth Day. Well done P2!



PATHHEAD VILLAGE DAY

The Pathhead Village Day will be on Saturday 25th May at Callander Park between 2 and 5pm. With a bouncy castle, face paint and craft stalls this will be a lovely event for children to enjoy.

PRIMARY 4 MICROBITS PLAYGROUND SURVEY

P4 are taking part in the BBC micro:bits playground survey. The new BBC micro:bit playground survey, which launched this week, is a wonderful way for children to learn these skills at an early age, getting to grips with data collection and analysis in a way that is relevant to their everyday lives, in a familiar and fun setting.



P5-7 ORIENTEERING EXPERIENCE

We have been treated this week to an orienteering experience from some expert parents who have very kindly given their time to organise and run this event. Primary 5, 6 and 7 pupils had the chance to develop their map reading skills and take part in fun games and activities. Thank you to Mr and Mrs Chepelin for all your hard work and time.

If you would like to get involved; offering events, activities or expertise please do not hesitate to get in touch.