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## **August 2014 Newsletter**

Dear Parents/Carers,

The children have settled back very quickly after their summer holidays. Please ensure children have their lovely new sweatshirts etc clearly labelled to allow staff to easily identify clothing. We are delighted to have Miss Baxter (P4-7 Teacher) return from her maternity leave this session and Miss Christie (School Clerical/PSA) returning to cover Ms Evans' maternity cover. We are looking forward once again to working with you and your children during the school session. Please remember if you have any questions, suggestions or things you think we should be aware of please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours,

Jennifer Grant

### **Data Check And Other Forms**

Please complete the enclosed forms and return to school by **Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August** to allow us to update our records in school.

### **Safe Angus**

Our P7 pupils will attend the Safe Angus event in Tannadice on **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September**. The event focuses on various emergency situations where the children take part in scenarios in order to learn what to do.

### **P1 Parents Lunch**

We would like to invite parents/carers of P1 pupils to come along to sample a school lunch with their child on **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September at 12.30pm**. If you would like to attend the lunch with your child please complete the enclosed slip and return it to the school with full payment by Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September.

### **P1 Children Full Time**

We look forward to welcoming the P1 children in school full time from **Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September**.

### **Parent Council Meeting And AGM**

The Parent Council will be having their AGM and meeting on **Monday the 8<sup>th</sup> of September at 6.30pm** in the main school. The children benefit greatly from the support the Parent Council provides for the school. All parents are members of our Parent Council and we would encourage as many people as possible to come along to the meetings. Our current office bearers are Mrs Michaela Taylor (Chairperson), Mrs Lee-Anne Brown (Treasurer) and Miss Naomi Christie (Secretary).

In order for the Parent Council to continue we need sufficient numbers of people to attend meetings and we hope you will be able to attend the meeting on Monday the 8<sup>th</sup> of September.

### **P6/7 Childline Workshop**

Kate O'Brien, a representative from Childline will visit the school on **Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September** to deliver a workshop for our P6 and 7 pupils. The workshop will focus on 'keeping ourselves safe and how to seek help when we need it'. If you require any further information regarding this workshop please contact the school.

### **Eco Week**

We will be having an Eco Week starting **Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October**. There will be various activities around an Eco theme during the week. Any parents/carers are welcome to come along to school during that week to help with the outdoor areas. Due to the success of the BBQ lunch last term we hope to organise another BBQ during Eco Week.

## **P7 Angus Primary Schools Football Squad**

Congratulations to **Jack Davie** who has been selected to play for the Angus Schools P7 Select Football Squad. Jack will be invited to represent Angus in the National 7-a-side football tournaments playing against other local authorities such as Dundee, Aberdeen, Glasgow, Edinburgh and many others. Well done Jack!

### **Dates For Your Diary**

**Friday 29 August** – Data check forms to be handed in to school

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September** – P1 Parents Lunch 12.30pm

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September** – Parent Council AGM and Meeting 6.30 pm in main school  
P1 Children – Full Time

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September** – P7 pupils Safe Angus (packed lunch and suitable clothing as per letter)

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September** – P6 and 7 Childline Workshop

**Monday 29<sup>th</sup> September – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October** – Eco Week