

Fyvie School

November Newsletter



Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope you have had an enjoyable October break, your children are ready to continue their learning this term and are looking forward to all the fun in the run up to Christmas.

Staffing

I am pleased to confirm that Fyvie School's new Administrator/Admin Support is now going through pre-employment checks and once the recruitment process has been completed, I will be back in touch with more information.

I am also pleased to confirm that new PSA Mrs Lana Carder started working with us on Monday 31st October on Monday and Tuesday each week.

We are in the process of further PSA recruitment. Last Monday, we held interviews for a PSA post. I am pleased to let you know that the interviews were successful and once the recruitment process has been completed, I will be back in touch with more information. We will also be interviewing for another PSA post later this term.

Fyvie School Standards and Quality Report and Improvement Planning

School staff continue to review our Positive Relationships and Positive Behaviour Policy and will be working on a revision of this policy over Inservice Days. In addition, we will begin to evaluate how well we are using Digital Learning across the school and create an action plan for improvements during this session. As part of this improvement, Mr Bridle will be redesigning and maintaining the School Website and we will ensure that all children have one Seesaw post each week, either an individual post or something they have been involved with as a group.

Diary Dates

Fyvie School Calendar 2022.23

Some new dates have been added

Community Café Volunteers

We are looking for some volunteers to help with Cafés this term – either Thursday mornings for baking or Friday mornings for serving – please email if you can spare some time - thank you!

P7 Trip to Fyvie War Memorial for Remembrance Day

Our P7 class will be attending the Remembrance Service at the War Memorial on Friday 11th November. Information will be shared with P7 parents soon.

Children in Need Fundraising Day

This will be on Wednesday 16th November as we are closed on the 18th. Children do not need to wear uniform on this day and are asked to dress 'spotty' if they can. If you would like to donate to Children in Need, please send in some pennies and we will make a donation from the school community.

General Updates...

Parent/Carer Feedback

As part of our Quality Assurance processes, the views of parents/carers are very important to us. If you would like to give us feedback of any sort, please use the following link:

[Fyvie School Parent/Carer Feedback Form](#)

Feedback from this Form will be reviewed each term as part of our Quality Assurance calendar and common themes will help us identify what is going well and what could be better at Fyvie School. Please note that responses on the Form will not be individually responded to.

Playground Partially Closed

We are expecting some work to be done on our oil tank & pipes sometime this term. Bikes will be able to be left in the bike shed as usual but the playground between the bike shed and main playground door will be closed off while the work is done. This means that children will need to walk around the front of the school and enter the playground from the higher end of the playground.

Playground Footwear

If you would like your child/ren to continue to use the field at playtimes over the winter months, please ensure they have wellies or waterproof boots in school. Children who do not have waterproof footwear will need to play on the tarmac only.

Community Café – change of dates

Please note a swap of Café dates for P2/3 and P3/4 as follows:

- P2/3 will now be on 2nd December
- P3/4 will now be on 9th December

Christmas Dinner Order

We will be having School Christmas Dinner on Friday 9th December. To help our kitchen prepare for the meal, please can you complete the following Microsoft Form for each child you have in Nursery/school by **Wednesday 16th November**. [Christmas Dinner Order](#) Thank you!

Aberdeenshire Council

Financial Support Information

The attached leaflet details support which may be available to families who are struggling financially. This leaflet can be accessed and printed in a range of languages by following this link: [Aberdeenshire - Worried about Money? \(worryingaboutmoney.co.uk\)](#)

Kind Regards



Mrs Jane Brown
Head Teacher (Acting)

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*newly added

Term 2			
Week 2	Monday 7 th November	Parent Council Meeting	See Parent Council Facebook
	Friday 11 th November	P5/6 Community Café	10.00am-11.00am
	*Friday 11 th November	P7 Remembrance Service	10.45am-11.30am
	Saturday 12 th November	Parent Council Christmas Fair	See Parent Council Facebook
Week 3	*Wednesday 16 th November	Children in Need Day Dress Spotty!	
	Thursday 17 th November	INSERVICE DAY 2	School & Nursery closed to pupils
	Friday 18 th November	INSERVICE DAY 3	School & Nursery closed to pupils
Week 4	Friday 25 th November	Flu Immunisation	9.00am-3.00pm
	Friday 25 th November	P4/5 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
	Friday 25 th November	Film Club (TBC)	See Parent Council Facebook
	Friday 25 th November	Annie Moon	See Parent Council Facebook
Week 5	*Friday 2 nd December	P2/3 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 6	*Friday 9 th December	P3/4 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 7	Tuesday 13 th December	Christmas Craft Open Afternoon	2.00pm-2.45pm
	Friday 16 th December	P1/2 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 8	Tuesday 20 th December	Christmas Show	1.30pm-2.45pm / 6.30pm-7.45pm
	Wednesday 21 st December	Christmas Parties	During School Day
	Thursday 22 nd December	Christmas Parties	During School Day
	Friday 23 rd December	M&M Productions - Cinderella	During School Day
	Friday 23 rd December	End of Term 2	3.00pm

Term 3			
Week 1	Monday 9 th January	Start of Term 3	9.00am
Week 2	Friday 20 th January	P7 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 3	Friday 27 th January	P5/6 Community Café	10.00am-11.00am
	Friday 27 th January	Film Club (TBC)	See Parent Council Facebook
Week 4	Friday 3 rd February	P4/5 Community Café	10.00am-11.00am
	Sunday 5 th February	Family Burns Afternoon	See Parent Council Facebook
Week 5	Thursday 9 th February	Valentine Disco	See Parent Council Facebook
	Friday 10 th February	Turriff Holiday	School & Nursery closed to pupils
Week 6	Monday 13 th February	Holiday	School & Nursery closed to pupils
	Tuesday 14 th February	INSERVICE DAY 4	School & Nursery closed to pupils
	Wednesday 15 th February	INSERVICE DAY 5	School & Nursery closed to pupils
Week 7	Friday 24 th February	Film Club (TBC)	See Parent Council Facebook
Week 8	Friday 3 rd March	P3/4 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 9	Friday 10 th March	P2/3 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 10	Friday 17 th March	P1/2 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 11	Friday 24 th March	Reports Issued	By 3.00pm
Week 12	Monday 27 th – Friday 31 st March	Scholastic Book Fair Week	More info to follow
	Tuesday 28 th March	Open Evening	6.30pm-7.30pm
	Wednesday 29 th and Thursday 30 th March	P1-7 'Easter Experience' Trips to Fyvie Church	More info to follow
	Friday 31 st March	End of Term 3	3.00pm

Term 4			
Week 1	Monday 17 th April	Start of Term 4	9.00am
Week 2	Friday 28 th April	P7 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 3	Monday 1 st May	Holiday	School & Nursery closed to pupils
	Friday 5 th May	P5/6 Community Café	10.00am-11.00am
Week 4	Friday 12 th May	Sports Day	
Week 5	Friday 19 th May	Reserve Sports Day	
Week 6	Monday 22 nd - Friday 26 th May	P7 Residential Trip	
	Friday 26 th May	P4/5 Community Café	10.00am-11.00am
Week 7	Friday 2 nd June	P3/4 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 8	Monday 5 th June	Turriff Holiday	School & Nursery closed to pupils
	Tuesday 6 th June	Turriff Holiday	School & Nursery closed to pupils
	Wednesday 7 th June	Parent Consultations	3.30pm-5.30pm
	Thursday 8 th June	Parent Consultations	6.30pm-8.30pm
Week 9	Friday 16 th June	P2/3 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 10	Friday 23 rd June	P1/2 Community Cafe	10.00am-11.00am
Week 11	Tuesday 27 th – Friday 30 th June	P7 Turriff Academy Transition	
Week 12	Thursday 6 th July	End of School Year Assembly	
	Friday 7 th July	End of Term 4	3.00pm