

MARCH 2023 NEWSLETTER FROM FYVIEREADY, RESPECTFUL, SAFE

Dear parents / carers,

A warm welcome to our March newsletter. Weather concerns and closures have made things tricky recently but hopefully we will be back on track soon!

Peter Pan Show

All classes are very busy preparing for the Peter Pan show (22nd March), whether making scenery or practising their lines or songs, we are hopeful things will go well on the day. We still have afternoon tickets left if anyone needs - please just pop into the office. Although there is no charge for the tickets, please be aware you will need to show them at the door. The Pupil Council will have collection tins to support those affected by the recent earthquakes. Our Parent Council will also be at the show and selling lucky squares with a fantastic prize of Eat on the Green vouchers, the taxi fare home and a special bottle of bubbly!!!! A big thank you to everyone who has and is helping with scenery, props etc, it is very much appreciated. Good luck!

Staffing

Our new Acting Headteacher, Glenna Hendry, has visited and hopes to spend some time at Fyvie before officially starting next term. Ms Emma Thomson, has also started in the primary 2/3 and pr 1/2 classes and is settling in and getting to know the children. We will be joined by a new member on our PSA team next week, a warm welcome to Hannah Murray who will be supporting the classes. Good luck to Ms Maddy Evans who is leaving her nursery post, we will keep everyone informed about a new appointment.

Parent Council

Busy as ever, Fyvie Parent Council still have tickets left for The Critter Keeper at Fyvie Legion on April 4th. These are available on Eventbrite at £5 per ticket and a choice of times. Annie Moon tickets are also still available on Eventbrite.

Community Café

Just a wee reminder to all our friends and family about our community café, which is hosted by a different class most weeks and welcomes everyone at 10 o'clock on Friday mornings. Our next one is hosted by our pr 1/2 's on Friday 17th March then pr 2/3 on Friday 31st (last day of term). We look forward to seeing you there!

Comic Relief

Fyvie school and nursery will celebrate Red Nose Day

on Friday 17th March. Everyone is invited to 'wear what they want' for a small donation of £1 to this very good cause.

School Football

Some of you may be aware that Terry Lindsay, who coaches our after school football team on Thursday afternoons will be leaving soon due to changing circumstances. I'm sure we all wish Terry the very best of luck and pass on our thanks for his commitment over the years to the school team, he has done a fantastic job! Of course, this also means we are looking for a new coach so please get in touch with the school office or our Parent Council if you can help out with coaching. Orla, our helper from Turriff Academy, is keen to keep going with the training but would need help.

Open Evening

Parents are invited along to our Open Evening on Tuesday 28th March from 6.30 - 7.30 pm to find out more about what the children have been learning. Have a look round the school, chat with staff or find out more about Fyvie Parent Council who will be serving teas on the night! Bookfair will also be available on the night.

Reporting to parents

Parents will receive written reports before the end of term. Due to regulations, these will be emailed out. There will be opportunities to meet with class teachers next term.

Scholastic Bookfair

Bookfair will be in school for the week beginning Monday 27th March. All classes, including nursery will have an opportunity to visit. If children still have their WBD tokens, these can be used at the bookfair.

Primary 7 transition

Primary 7 parents will have received information about how to enrol their child at Turriff Academy. Please ensure you complete and return the relevant forms to the academy.

Class photos

The school photographer will be taking class photos on Monday 20th March. If possible, school uniform should be worn for these please.

Easter Experience

Primary 4 - 7 will visit the local church for an Easter Experience on Friday 24th March, our primary 1 - 3 classes will enjoy the Easter Experience in school on Thursday 23rd March.

Upcoming Dates

Red Nose Day- Friday 17th March School Photos - Monday 20th March Peter Pan Show - Wednesday 22nd March- 1.15 and 6.30 Easter Experience – 23rd and 24th March

Bookfair in school - week beg Monday 27th March

Community Café – 17th and 31st March Open Evening – Tuesday 28th March 6.30 – 7.30 pm Easter Holidays – Friday 31st March Back to school – Monday 17th April

As always, if you have any queries about any news items, please get in touch.

Yours Sincerely Davina Gardiner - Acting Head Teacher