

# Fyvie School

## April Newsletter



Dear Parents/Carers

First, I would like to thank everyone for the lovely warm welcome that I have received on my start at Fyvie School. It is a pleasure getting to know all the children and their families and to begin to better know the workings and culture of the school.

I have been speaking to the staff at the school and we have decided not to send homework home this term as a trial. The weather is becoming so lovely it is nice for the children to be able to get outside and play. We will be sending home a sheet with suggested activities to do with your children and they will still be sent home reading.

I have some amended dates for yourselves:

**Parents' Evening** will now be on **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May (6-8pm) and Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> May (3:30-5:30pm)**. A sheet will be sent home next week for your preferred option. The interviews will last 10 minutes.

We have decided to hold a **Coronation Café** on the **5<sup>th</sup> May** where each class will be given a time to welcome the visitors and everyone will have baked for it. The children will also be encouraged to dress in red, white and blue that day, can I please ask that no football tops are worn. A letter of timings will be sent out shortly.

There is a Coronation Fayre being held at the Legion on **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May** from 2pm onwards, the children's crowns that they have designed in school will be on display and Fyvie Parent Forum have a stall.

**Sports' Day** is scheduled for the **12<sup>th</sup> May**, with Potted Sports in the morning and the flat races in the afternoon. A back-up date of the 19<sup>th</sup> has been scheduled but hopefully we won't need it. If the Sports' Day is cancelled a GroupCall will be sent out to everyone. Fingers crossed this won't be necessary. Your child can come in their House Colours and should be dressed for the weather- sun hats, sunscreen and water bottles as well as layers for warmth.

The children have PE lessons twice a week and should have their PE kit in school for these days. In accordance with Aberdeenshire Policy if your child's hair is longer than chin length, they should have a bauble to tie it back with. Also, if they have ear/s pierced the earring/s should be removed or covered with tape, earrings should not dangle during school time as they go outside for Outdoor learning during the week and the earrings can get caught.

There is a Food Share Box in the carpark which is updated daily and available for everyone. Please help yourself to anything that you can use.

The teachers are all writing their class newsletters and they will be sent out next week. Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns about what is happening in your child's class.

Thank you,

*Glenna Hendry*