



Tuesday 19th May 2015

Dear Parents Carers,

Hope you and your family had a great holiday weekend. We are looking forward to the final part of the school year with lots of exciting things planned to round off this year and plan for next Session.

Towerbank Catchment Review

As I'm sure you know from the letter we sent home last week, there is a **public meeting** at **Brunstane Primary School** on **Monday 25th May from 6-8pm** to discuss the proposed changes to the Towerbank Primary School catchment area. It is really important that the views of our school community are heard. To help parents make it along at that time **we have organised a crèche at school run by Mrs Williams, Miss Williams and Miss Turner. The crèche is free of charge to parents.** It would be great to see as many people there as possible on the night.

Nursery Garden Party

The annual Nursery Garden party will take place on the afternoon of **Friday 29th May**. If any parents would like to hand in tombola prizes or cake and candy please hand into the school office by Wednesday 27th May.

P2 Play

A huge well done to our fantastic P2 class who shared a brilliant production of The Paper Bag Princess with the whole school, nursery and their families. We all had a really good time learning about the different emotions in the story.

Charity Football Match

I was extremely proud of our P7 class last week who organised a superb charity football match between P6 and P7. The match was run completely by the P7s with some help from Street Soccer coach Robbie. The P7s also organised a tuck shop for the event and raised a very impressive £35.23 for Macmillan Cancer. I have to warn you there is already talk of a re-match!

Lloyds Bank Volunteers

We were delighted to welcome twenty volunteers from Lloyds Bank to Brunstane last week. The team did a spectacular amount of work in a very short time. They have painted a new basketball court on the front playground (We have ordered new basketball stands to arrive asap) The team also painted over all of the graffiti on the nursery building and have transformed the old container in the nursery garden into a much more attractive part of the outdoor space. We are extremely grateful for all of their help and are crossing our collective fingers that they might come back. We know how much the children appreciate the efforts they made to help us make Brunstane an even better place to learn, work and play!

Rugby Tournament

I was delighted to hear how well our P6/7 Rugby Team represented Brunstane in last week's tournament at Duddingston Primary School. The team played extremely well together and were excellent ambassadors for our school. Thanks to Mrs Niven, Ms Morwood and the parents who escorted the team.

School Library

Some of our parents are working on creating a new library for our school. If you have any children's books which are in good condition and you think would be appropriate for school then please hand in to the school office. Any books which we don't use will be donated to charity. Thanks very much to all of the parents who are working so hard to make this happen!

Wishing you a great week ahead.

Yours sincerely

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