



Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2016

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a fantastic first two weeks back after our Easter holidays. It is so lovely to see the sun shining. Here's hoping it stays all term!

### **Decant of Pupils from Craigour Park Primary School**

We have been delighted to welcome children and staff from Craigour Park Primary School to Brunstane due to the closure of their building. It has been so great to see the children mixing together at lunchtimes and playtimes and at assembly. Due to the size of our building and grounds and the careful transition planning which has been put in place by both schools the decant experience has been very positive for all involved. We are also pleased to have additional children in the nursery visiting us from Pirniehall Primary School. We will continue to keep you up to date with news on the duration of the decants.

### **P7 Benmore Camp**

Our P7s have just returned from Benmore Outdoor Education Centre after a week of climbing, abseiling and gorge walking. They had an amazing time and took part in all the activities with great courage and confidence. It is magnificent to see how mature our P7s are on their return. The camp experience is so important for our children and prepares them well for the period of transition to high school. Thank you to Mr McMillan, Mr McKenzie and Mrs Campbell for giving up their time to make the camp experience so memorable for our children.

*The rest of this newsletter highlights key events which are planned for the rest of this term. Please save the dates in your diaries!*

### **P7 Prom**

The P7 Prom will take place on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June at Duddingston Golf Club.

P7 pupils will be collected by coach at 6.45pm from the top gate at school. They will arrive at 7.00pm where they will be greeted by staff for a night of Disco, Ceilidh & Buffet. The cost of the evening is £2 which should be brought into school on the day of the Prom. P7 Pupils will be collected from the Golf Club at 9.30pm and brought back to school. Pupils must be picked up from the school gate by an adult.

## **Sports Day**

Our annual sports day is scheduled for **Friday 10<sup>th</sup> June**, (weather permitting). Races will commence at 10.20am in the bottom field (behind the Nursery).

There will be a whole school '**Warm Up**' session at **10.00am** in the big playground at the front of the school. Parents are welcome to join in.

After the races there will be refreshments for the pupils, there will also be tea/coffee for the adults.

**Potted sports** will then commence at **10.50am until 12.10pm**. Pupils will return to class with their teacher to get ready for home where they will each be given an ice cream in the classroom.

Parents should collect children at the usual time and place. Children must return to class they will not be permitted to leave from the sports field.

There will be hot dogs on sale from 12.15pm. Proceeds from this will go towards the P7 Leavers celebrations.

We look forward to seeing you all at Sports Day on the 10<sup>th</sup> June. There will be a **Special Race for Parents** so dig out your running shoes!!

## **Brunstane's Got Talent**

Our annual talent show 'Brunstane's Got Talent' will take place on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June at 11am in the hall. Children will be doing heats in class and the winner from each class will take part in BGT in the hall. Parents/Carers and families very welcome.

## **P7 Leavers' Assembly**

P7 Leavers Assembly will take place at 11am on the final day of term Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June in the school hall. All P7 parents/carers and families welcome.

## **End of Term**

The Summer Term ends on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June at 12 noon for nursery to P7.

Yours sincerely

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