

# Eastern Primary School Newsletter

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**Eastern Primary School Vision –**

**Our children will be included, safe, healthy, caring, active and responsible**

## Staff Update

We have a number of staff changes which will take place very soon.

Miss Ann-Marie Wales, our temporary Clerical Assistant, has been successful in securing a permanent job in another Nursery in the Authority. We wish her every success in her new role and know that she will be an asset to her new colleagues.

We also would like to wish Mrs Graham a restful and relaxing time during her impending maternity leave. P1b will be covered by Miss Rachel Fraser from week beginning 17.03.14, with plans for that to continue until the summer break.

Congratulations also to Mrs Christie who has been successful in getting a teaching post closer to her home in Angus. We wish her every success with her new P1 class.

All of these staff will be greatly missed by everyone at Eastern.

### **Head Lice**

Please remember to check your child's head regularly - once a week is recommended.

Use a specialist comb designed for removing lice. More advice can be found at

[www.onceaweektakeapeek.com](http://www.onceaweektakeapeek.com)



### Sponsored Commonwealth Games Event

Hopefully you will all now be aware that our Pupil Council have been busy planning a fund raising event to take place on Friday March 28<sup>th</sup>.

All proceeds will go towards Literacy and Numeracy resources in line with our School Improvement Plan.

The children will complete a circuit of activities in the gym hall which they have chosen. These activities are related to sports within the Commonwealth Games.

This looks like it will be a fun event for all and we hope you are able to support our children with this venture.



Heather Whyte, our School and Family Development Worker

will again offer a drop-in session **every Tuesday morning** between 9.00am and 10.30am. Please come along to meet with her and with other parents to have a cup of tea and a biscuit while taking the chance to speak about school, community and family issues. Heather can be contacted on [heather.whyte@dundeecity.gov.uk](mailto:heather.whyte@dundeecity.gov.uk)

### **SCHOOL DINNER MONEY**

Please use the plastic dinner bags provided. When possible, please pay for the week's meals on a Monday – your support is extremely helpful – thank you.

## Wind in the Willows

School Show tickets are now on sale to the whole school.

Adults £8.50  
Children/OAP £6.00



### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Parents, carers and family members are invited to join us on the dates shown in bold. More information will follow regarding these events

10.03.14	PLLs home
13.03.14	<b>P4b Class Assembly</b>
17.03.14	PLLs back in school
19.03.14	<b>P6 &amp; P7 SHOW</b>
20.03.14	<b>P6 &amp; P7 SHOW</b>
25.03.14	<b>Parent Council Meeting</b>
26.03.14	<b>Parent Evening</b>
27.03.14	<b>Parent Evening</b>
28.03.14	Sponsored Commonwealth Games
	End of Term 2
14.04.14	Start of Term 3
17.04.14	<b>P3a Class Assembly</b>
18.04.14	<b>Holiday</b>
22.04.14	P7s go to DALGUISE
28.04.14	PLLs home
01.05.14	P7 Netball transition event
	<b>P3b class assembly</b>
05.05.14	<b>Holiday</b>
08.05.14	<b>P1c Class assembly</b>
	P7 Football transition event
09.05.14	Non uniform day
15.05.14	<b>P1b Class assembly</b>
17.05.14	School Fayre
20.05.14	Class Photos
22.05.14	<b>School closed for Election Day</b>
23.05.14	<b>Inservice Day 5</b>
26.05.14	<b>Holiday</b>
29.05.14	<b>P1a Class assembly</b>
02.06.14	<b>P1 Induction Evening</b>
04.06.14	P7 Transition Day
05.06.14	<b>Sports Day</b>

Meetings with class teachers to discuss your child's progress.

Fundraising event for the whole school. Children to wear sports clothes.

P7 residential trip to Dalguise.

Transition events involve all 3 cluster primaries

Children can bring in an item of chocolate or a bottle (if alcohol please hand this in to the office) to go on stalls at the School Fayre, and come to school in their own clothes for the day.

Tempest Photographers will be in to take whole class pictures

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