

First Class

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Honesty

Respect

Happiness

Achievement

Nursery Garden

The nursery garden renovation is well underway. Thank vou for vour patience. The work is part of the 1140 improvements and will provide a more natural space for the children explore and learn. There has, at times.



been disruption in this part of the playground but the older children have been informed.

Digital Leaders

We are encouraging the learners here at Kinellar to become Digital Leaders and support the development of Digital Literacy across the school. We've had lots of interest and are currently in the process of going through the applications and it's been great to read how many skills and aspirations have in this area. Watch this space!



Twitter Takeover

Twitter takeover continues this term.

9th March - P5T

16th March - P2/1

23rd March - Lendrick Muir

30th March - P4M

Please request to follow us if you do not already do so. If we cannot recognise you from your username or profile you will not be accepted.

Please let the office know if this is the case so that we can accept your request.

Book Fair

The Scholastic book fair ran from Tuesday 25th-Friday 28th February. Thank you to the team of parent helpers for organising this, it would not be possible to run such events without your support. Our pupils thoroughly enjoyed browsing the selection of books and choosing which ones they would like to purchase. We look forward to hearing what books we will be able to add to our library and reading cupboard the profits we receive.



Playground Update

Our PSAs organise activities in the playground each day. The timetable has recently been updated.

Day	Theme	
Move it Monday	Athletics	
Topple over Tuesday	Balance	
Whirly Wednesday	Skipping etc	
Think fast Thursday	Skills	
Fantasy Friday	Imaginative Play	

Ball games timetable						
Mon	P1H	P2M	P5C	P6L		
Tues	P1M	P3G	P4M	P6C		
Wed	P2L	P3H	P5/4	P7A		
Thurs	P2/1	P4G	P5T	P7D		
Fri	No ball games					

Wider Achievements

We always enjoy hearing about children's achievements outside of school. Our head pupils do a wonderful job of collating these every Friday.

If your child would like to share an achievement, please remind them to bring it in to share on a Friday.

The achievements include:

Beaver of the week, a PB step count, Rainbow badge, reading, player of the week, Gymnastics, running, Hip Hop, trying new foods, football, learning to ride a bike, learning to solve a rubiks cube, writing a story and dancing.

Congratulations everyone! Keep up the fantastic work.





Dates for Diary

9-11 March P5-7 First Courses P1 and P2 Dental Checks 10 March 13 March Snapshot jotters home 17 March P1 and P7 Tempest class photos 19 March Lend a hand evening 5-7pm 23-27 March Lendrick Muir P2L & P2M Class Assembly 25 March 3 April P3H and P5C Learning Café Last day of term

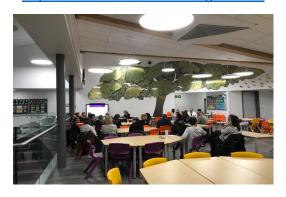
Emotion Coaching

Term 4 begins

20 April

We had an excellent evening with Jen Sutherland the Educational Psychologist on 'Emotion Coaching' This is designed to support parents in dealing some of the behaviours we encounter everyday from our youngsters. This was well supported and we received positive feedback too. We intend to this type of evening again.

https://www.emotioncoachinguk.com/





Schools Pipe Band

Aberdeenshire Schools Pipe Band is looking for school aged children who play, or would like to learn to play, tenor drum with the band.

Tuition is offered on a Wednesday evening at Turriff Primary School from 18:30 – 20:30, and you don't need any musical experience to come and try out.

After an initial 6 week assessment period you may be offered the opportunity to become a full member

of the band, where you will perform at events throughout Aberdeenshire and attend competitions locally and nationally.

If you are interested please contact our drumming tutor nicholas.gibson@aberdeenshire.gov.uk

Golf Coaching Camp

Trump International, Scotland is pleased to release its first junior golf coaching camp dates of 2020.

The perfect opportunity to kick-start a new hobby or improve existing technique, our next three-day junior golf camps will run in April:

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 1:30 to 3:00 pm April 7, 8 & 9 or 14, 15 & 16, 2020

Hosted by enthusiastic PGA Professionals, our fun golf camps provide an opportunity for youngsters aged 7-14 years to improve understanding of golf swing, short game skills, routines, golf rules & etiquette.

Booking is recommended to avoid disappointment as places are limited. £50 per child for 3 x sessions

To book, please contact the team on: Tel: +(0)1358 743300 (option three) Email: shop@trumpgolfscotland.com

SSPCA Adventure Club

The SCOTTISH SPCA are pleased to announce they are launching a brand new Adventure Club in our area for children aged 7-13yrs. This will run from Monday the 6th to Friday the 10th of April

It will be packed full of fun and educational activities.

Please see the attached flyer for more information.

DYCE GIRLS FC 7S

Dyce Girls FC 7s are currently looking for new players.

Players must be born in the years 2013-2014 (P1-P2).

No previous Football Experience Required. Just



an interest in learning the game.

Training is 6.15pm-7.15pm every Wednesday @ Dyce Academy. There are mini games every second Sunday, normally at Cormack Park

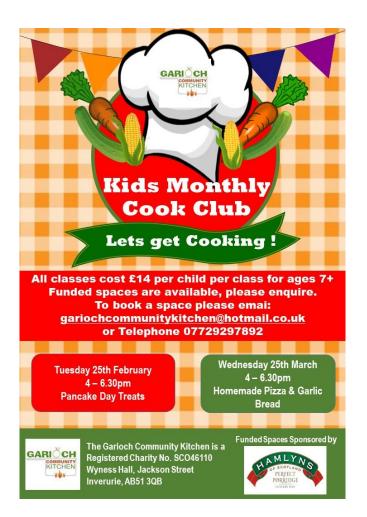
Anyone interested, please email dycegirlsunder7@gmail.com or can message us via Facebook www.facebook.com/dycegirlsfc

Appointments

Please try to make any appointments out with school hours. We understand that this is not

always possible. If you do need to collect your child for an appointment, please ensure both the office and class teacher have been informed.









Active Schools Kemnay Network—Easter Holiday Programme 2020









Activity Name	Year Group	Days / Dates	Time	Venue	Cost / Booking
Multi-Sports	P1—P7	Tues 7th, Wed 8th, and Thurs 9th April	10am—1pm	Kemnay Academy	£8 per day, or all 3 days

How to Apply – To sign up online, please visit http://bit.lv/KemnavActiveSchools Alternatively, please contact the Active Schools Coordinator for a consent form.

Additional Information – Spaces are limited and must be booked by Friday 3rd April. Please do not hand in or send payment at the time of registering. Payment details will be included in the confirmation email you will be sent shortly after your application is received.

Active Aberdeenshire – Active Schools activities are included in the Active Aberdeenshire membership scheme, please contact the organiser of these activities for more information.

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