

## **Wellbeing**

All children are, at the moment, involved in wellbeing evaluations. For P1-5 this means that children look at the GIRFEC (see below) indicators and red, amber or green how they are feeling. The staff look at how the children are feeling and if there are any areas that children are concerned about are then able to discuss strategies with the children or put additional health and wellbeing lessons into their weekly timetable. The below wheel is also displayed within the assembly hall. We will be using a slightly different tool for P6 and P7 and Mrs Donnelly will be sending information about this on Monday.

## **Congratulations**

A huge well done to Heather Bryson (P6) who has become an Ambassador for BCyA. Click on the link below and you can read all about this.

<https://www.britishcitizenawards.co.uk/ambassador-bcya/>

## **Congratulations\_**

More congratulations go to the girls and boys who were involved in the Superteams athletic event last weekend. We had four children who were in teams who came second in Scotland. Please see our Facebook page for their very happy faces. Well done to them all. Please see attached link for more news about the event. <https://www.scottishathletics.org.uk/super-fun-at-superteams/>

## **Dangerous driving**

Again, several cars have been spotted driving dangerously in the top car park. You must not drop children off in this area and it is absolutely not acceptable for people to then reverse in that area as children are crossing. Please can you pass this on to relatives and child minders who often claim they didn't know they couldn't drop off.

You will have been sent home information about a road safety competition we are holding. Please can you use this as a way to talk to your children about road safety. All classes receive road safety lessons during the year however we regularly hear about children not keeping themselves safe between school and home. This is a great opportunity to talk to them about this especially the older children.

## **Home Learning**

Please remember if there are resources you need for home learning activities please do get in touch and we will do what we can to support. Likewise for any trips that we are arranging if the cost is placing you under any financial strain please get in touch confidentially with either myself or one of the deputies.

## **Reminder of our vision and values**

Our vision is to to create learners who are:

Happy, Self-confident, Motivated and Responsible individuals who strive to achieve their very best in all pursuits. #bethebestyoucanbe

Our values are to

Be kind

Be safe

Be responsible

(coming soon - a new value!)

**Dates for the term - I'm sure more will be added! \*for any changes**

30th January - Parent Council meeting

3<sup>rd</sup> February - P6 trip to New Lanark

6<sup>th</sup> February - P5b and P4a assemblies

7<sup>th</sup> February - P1 Dental check

9<sup>th</sup> February - PTA Movie Night.

9<sup>th</sup> February P5a trip to Bannockburn\*

13/14 February - Holidays

15<sup>th</sup> February – In-service Day

16th February - Swimming lessons start for P5a for 5 weeks

20<sup>th</sup> February - P6c and P2a assemblies

21<sup>st</sup> February - P5b and P5c trip to Bannockburn

22<sup>nd</sup> February - World Thinking Day - Children may come to school this day wearing their uniforms for things like Brownies, BBs etc \*

27<sup>th</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> - March World Book Week

27<sup>th</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> March - Barcaple Trip 1

6<sup>th</sup> March - 10<sup>th</sup> March - Barcaple Trip 2

6th March - P6b assembly

14<sup>th</sup> March - Dental Inspections for P7

16<sup>th</sup> March - Online Parents night

20<sup>th</sup> March - P1 assemblies

22<sup>nd</sup> March - P1 and P7 photographs

21st/22<sup>nd</sup> March – In-person Parents Night and open evening to look around the classrooms.

27<sup>th</sup> March - Easter assembly

31<sup>st</sup> March - School holidays start 2.30