

Christopher and Charlotte, our Rights Ambassadors have created another brilliant newsletter for the children. Please enjoy. This has been posted on the Teams pages for the children so please do encourage them to read it.

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World Book Week

Lenzie Meadow's World Book Week is next week.

The week will start with an online assembly which has been prepared by the Bookworms. There is also a Book Quiz and Guess the Author activity which will be done in class during the week.

Thursday 2nd March is World Book Day and we will be celebrating by having a cosy reading day at school as well as a book swap. Pupils can come to school dressed in their cosy casual clothes e.g. joggers, pyjamas etc and will be given time to read together for pleasure during the day. For the swap each pupil can bring in a book they are finished with and wish to donate to the swap. They will then get to choose one book from those brought in to take home. If a child has an extra book or two they wish to bring to donate to the swap they are welcome to do so.

We are also fortunate to have 4 local authors come to visit Lenzie Meadow as part of our World Book Day celebrations.

On Monday morning, Lindsay Littleton will be talking to P4 and P5. You will find more information about her books and links to buy them on the following website: [Lindsay Littleton | Children's Author](#)

Victoria Williamson will be working with P6 and P7 on Monday afternoon. These links will take you to places that you can get more information about her books and buy them if you wish: <https://www.waterstones.com/author/victoria-williamson/476542> and here https://www.amazon.co.uk/kindle-dbs/entity/author/B07CQQHLNF?_encoding=UTF8&node=492564011&offset=0&pageSize=12&searchAlias=stripbooks&sort=author-sidecar-rank&page=1&langFilter=default#formatSelectorHeader

On Thursday afternoon, Colin Stevenson, author of Curious Creatures of Scotland will be reading to P1 and Ali Currie will be talking to Primaries 2 and 3.

Ali Currie's website can be found here [Hoolet – Independent Scottish Publisher](#)

And you can find out about Colin Stevenson and his book on his Facebook Page: [Rhyme or Reason | Facebook](#)

The Family Book Treasure Hunt is already underway and posters should now be in all the locations on the entry form. Information on how to enter was sent out this week. You can also get entry forms at the school office.

P7s are away for the next two weeks

For the next two weeks we have children from P7 going to Barcaple. For the first week Mrs Allen will be away and Mrs Donnelly and Mrs Gardiner will deputise. For the second week Mrs Donnelly will be away and if you need to contact anyone about children in P5-7 Mrs Allen or Mrs Gardiner will be happy to help. We are so grateful to our staff who volunteer to do this week away as without their volunteering it wouldn't be possible. We are also grateful to the office staff and Mrs Donnelly and Miss Roddick as the paperwork and admin behind such a week is immense. Please do talk to your children about this.

Reminders for the week

Please can you tell your children they must not bring valuables to school. We continue to have issues with children bringing toys and then losing or breaking them or giving them away. Toys and things like trading cards are not for school.

Headlice - please check regularly.

Nuts - we are a nut free zone.

Car parking - We do not have space for people to pick up or drop off.

Mobile Phone policy. Lenzie Meadow follows the EDC policy and that is to discourage children in Primary School from bringing phones to school. We do realise that many children need this for after and before school therefore we ask that they turn these off as they enter the school grounds and then leave them off until they leave the premises. Any emergencies should be dealt with through the office.

I think that is all for this week,
Enjoy your weekend,
Sheona Allen

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

27th - 3rd - March World Book Week

27th - 3rd March - Barcaple Trip 1

6th March - 10th March - Barcaple Trip 2

6th March - P6b assembly

14th March - Dental Inspections for P7

16th March - Online Parents night

16th March - Education Officer from Scottish Parliament to see P7

20th March - P1a assemblies

22nd March - P1 and P7 photographs

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

24th March - Euroquiz

27th March - Easter assembly

31st March - School holidays start 2.30

Term 4 starts 17th April at 9.00am