

What a fabulous week of weather and so much outdoor learning. It's wonderful seeing the playground full of lots of different learning taking place, classes visiting the moss and children being really creative.

After many years of service at Lenzie Meadow and Lenzie Moss it is with great sadness that we say good bye to Mrs Hardie who retires next week. She will be really missed but has assured us she will keep in touch. All the very best and thank you for all your care for our children over the years Mrs Hardie and enjoy this next chapter.

In the last few weeks all of our teachers have been involved in visiting each other's classrooms as part of our Improving Our Schools project. Lots of great professional learning and sharing of ideas and strategies have taken place.

P7s have been away for their visits to the Academy this week. Reports so far have been that they are loving the experience which shows how ready they are for this next move. You may find your child will react in lots of different ways in the next few weeks and months until they start. Some may be more teary than normal, some more excitable, some more withdrawn. The important part is to keep the communication open and to acknowledge their feelings whilst still encouraging them to be the best they can be.

During the week of the 19<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> June Our housekeepers will be holding a thrift shop for all unlabelled and unclaimed uniforms that they have collected over the last few months. This will be a great time to pick up a few pieces for the next session of clothing. So much of what we have gathered is of a very high quality. This will be set out on tables outside the office, and we would encourage you to leave a donation and take what you want. There will also be a few items that may be useful for next year's P7 residential trip.

Please can we remind all parents that mobile phones and smart watches should not be used in school by children. Whilst we appreciate that children will have phones for a variety of reasons, they should not be used within the confines of the school grounds and should be turned off until the child leaves the school grounds.. Any parent needing to contact a child should do this through the school office. We will also remind the children about this in assembly on Monday. Please can you reiterate this message at home.

Have a great weekend in this gorgeous weather,  
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### **Dates for next term**

5<sup>th</sup> June - P5a (9.30am) and P4b (2pm) assemblies

7<sup>th</sup> June - Pre-Entrant Day 1 for new P1s

8<sup>th</sup> June - Summer Disco

12<sup>th</sup> June - P5c and P4c assemblies

12<sup>th</sup> June - Parent Council meeting

14<sup>th</sup> June - Pre-Entrant Day 2 for new P1s

19<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> June -\* Lenzie Meadow thrift shop

22<sup>nd</sup> June - \* Family Fun night for P4 year group - (We are trialling this and more details will come out shortly)

23<sup>rd</sup> June - P7 Leavers assembly

27<sup>th</sup> June - Meet your new teacher morning and new classes sent out.

26<sup>th</sup> June - Final reports due out

26<sup>th</sup> June - P7 trip

27<sup>th</sup> June - P7 beach party afternoon

28<sup>th</sup> June - Last day of school 1pm finish