



# WOODHEAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

As we come to the end of another term we are looking forward to spring and all the exciting events we have planned. Some of these are listed below and others can be found on our new website. I would like to take this opportunity of wishing you all a lovely Easter Weekend and Spring Break fortnight when it comes.



## Scottish Poetry Competition

This year we ran our own Scottish Poetry Competition and encouraged all our children to learn a Scots poem. Well done everyone! The winners of the competition for each class are:-

- P1a Eilidh Young & Calum Gillespie
- P1b Darcey Carr & Neve Hamill
- P2a Ellie Moore & Millie Ferguson
- P2b Lara McCulloch & Olivia Martin
- P3a Teejay Kleboe & Eva Wilson
- P3b Callum Noble & Murrion Cumming
- P4a Daniel Longmuir & Kai Christie
- P4b Luke Garvin & Charlotte Manning
- P5 Rhianna Stewart & Eva Frew
- P5/6 Mitchell Maloney & Dylan Brannigan
- P6 Rebecca Hardy & Caoimhe Evans
- P6/7 Ross Bremner & Taylor Winning
- P7 Lauren Leys & Amber Paterson

On Wednesday our winners will recite their poems at a special assembly for the rest of our pupils. Well done everyone!

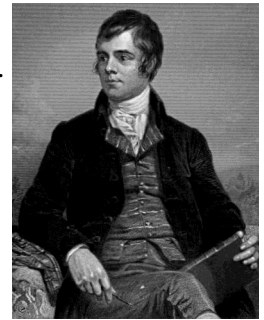


## Rotary Burns Competition

Congratulations to the following 3 pupils who took part in the above competition.

- Rhiannon Rodger** P4A
- Amy Kerr** P6/7
- and **Cassidy Alston** P7

Well done girls — we hope you enjoyed the experience!



## Music Festival

Our choir will be competing at the Glasgow Musical Festival on Tuesday 15 March. Last year we achieved 3rd place in the choir section and we hope to do well again this year.

## Lockerbie Manor—P7 Residential Trip

We are organising an information evening on Tuesday 29 March at 7.00 pm for parents and pupils of children going to Lockerbie Manor this year. This will include a short presentation and an opportunity to ask any questions about our forthcoming trip. Kit lists will also be given out to help with your planning. A letter will follow and we look forward to seeing you on the 29th.



## Prize Bingo Night

### & Disco

Come along to

Eddlewood Bowling Club on

29 April at 7.30 pm

and support this PTA fundraiser.

Tickets cost £5.00.



Our Dance Club will be participating in the South Lanarkshire Leisure Dance Festival at the Town House on **Tuesday 15 March**. All dancers should meet at 4.50 pm at the Town House. Doors open to the public at 5.30 pm and the show starts at 6.00 pm.



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### Check out our new website.....

Our School Website Committee have been working hard with Mrs Lockhart and our new site is looking good. Why not take a look and keep up to date with events taking place, check out class topic work and enjoy our colourful photographs of the day to day happenings at Woodhead.



**Football** Our team brought home the James Nisbet Memorial Shield for the first time. They won all 7 games to win the trophy at the Jock Stein Sports Barn recently. Well done boys—and a big thank you to Mr Sullivan and Darren who coach the team.



### Athletics

Our team recently came 1st in the Hamilton District Primary Schools Sports Hall Athletics Championship and brought home the shield for the 6th time! They then went forward to the South Lanarkshire Championships and won 3rd place. They all received bronze medals for this wonderful achievement and made their coaches, Mrs Murray and Mrs Houston, very proud. Well done team!



**Scotcrest** will be our new school uniform supplier.

The company have recently taken over from Alstons and have secured new premises in the town centre (the old Kilbryde Hospice Store). They hope to open the store by Mid-April.



PLEASE CHECK YOUR CHILD'S HAIR ON A REGULAR BASIS FOR HEAD LICE. IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THIS CONDITION IS TREATED QUICKLY AND PROPERLY TO AVOID SPREADING THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL COMMUNITY. YOUR LOCAL CHEMIST WILL BE ABLE TO ADVISE YOU ON TREATMENT AND WE HAVE LEAFLETS IN SCHOOL IF YOU NEED MORE INFORMATION. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION IN THIS.

## Dates for Your Diary

Easter Holiday Weekend

Friday 25 March 2016 -  
Monday 28 March 2016

Early Closure at 2.30 pm

Friday 1 April 2016

Spring break

Monday 4 April 2016 -  
Friday 15 April 2016

May Day

Monday 2 May 2016

In-Service Day

Thursday 5 May 2016

May Holiday Weekend

Friday 27 May 2016 -  
Monday 30 May 2016

Early Closure at 1.00 pm for Summer Break

Friday 24 June 2016

A FULL LIST OF SCHOOL HOLIDAYS CAN BE FOUND ON SOUTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL'S WEBSITE [www.southlanarkshire.gov.uk](http://www.southlanarkshire.gov.uk)

If your child is absent from school please remember to telephone the school office in the morning to report the absence. Thank You.