

Mattocks Primary School Newsletter 21.05.12

DIARY DATES

28th - In Service day. School closed to pupils

4th - Nursery trip to Jumping Joey's

- P1-7 Jubilee Fun Day

5th - Jubilee Holiday. School closed.

6th - P6 pupils to Safe Angus event

8th - Pupil reports issued to parents

11th - 15th P7 induction week at Monifieth High School

19th and 20th - Parent Contact Evenings 5pm - 7pm

21st - Sports Day from 1.30 - 3.30 (weather permitting, if raining then 25th June)

26th - End of Term Service and Prize Giving, 2pm

27th - Evening Disco

28th - School closes at 12pm. Re-opens to pupils on Tuesday 14th August



Jubilee Fun Day: To celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee, we plan to have a day of royally themed activities culminating in a Jubilee Tea Party in the afternoon when we will have cake and juice. If possible pupils should come wearing something red, white and blue or even dressed as princes and princesses!

Sports Day: Sports day this year will have an Olympic theme with an opening ceremony and appropriately named events and teams. We hope as many of you as possible will come along to support the teams. We will also be looking for some parents to help out too!

Staff Changes

On Friday we said goodbye to Mrs Shona Flight who leaves us to take up a post at Langlands School in Forfar. We wish her well in her new job.

We welcome Miss Heather McLaren who joins us as a Support for Learning Assistant as from Monday 21st May.

I am delighted to inform you that our teaching staff for next session has been confirmed as Mrs Fyffe, Mrs Johnston and Miss McLean. I am now in a position to finalise class arrangements and will notify you shortly.

Kinnordy Estate Visit

Pupils from P6 took part in a very eventful day on Wednesday 16th May when they, along with P6 pupils from other Monifieth schools, visited Kinnordy near Kirriemuir to learn about a working estate. They took part in activities such as pond dipping and tree planting as well as learning about farming and game keeping. Luckily the sun shone!



School Lunch Menu Changes

Wednesday - 6 June 2012

Royal Roast Favourite (Roast Beef, Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy) King Edward Potato with Coronation Chicken (Coronation Chicken Baked Potato) Queens Quiche (Cheese & Broccoli Quiche) Roast Potatoes, Vegetables, Salad Bar Strawberries & Ice Cream

Tuesday - 12 June 2012

Bolts Bolognaise (Meatball Bolognese & Spaghetti) Golden Medals (Salmon Fishcakes with Sweet Chilli Sauce & Chips) Jumping Jacked Potatoes (Cheese & Beans Baked Potato) Runner Beans (Baked Beans) Champion Chocolate Cake (Chocolate & Orange Cake)

In the past couple of weeks I have been getting to know the staff and pupils and finding out their views about all aspects of life at Mattocks school. I would appreciate some feedback from parents and carers also and would ask that you take a few minutes to complete the survey below and return it to me as soon as possible. What do you think Mattocks Primary School does well? What do you think we could do better? Any other comments: Thank you Georgina Mallie Head Teacher