

## September 2024 Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

A big **well done** to our Parent Council for organising a fantastic **Autumn Fair** last weekend! We also want to extend our thanks to everyone who attended. We raised a staggering **£1237.63**, which will go towards reducing the costs for our pupils to attend the pantomime at the end of November.

### Cycling Proficiency Lessons

In Term 4 cycling proficiency lessons will be offered to **all P6 pupils** and any **remaining P7 pupils**. As more children are now choosing to cycle to and from school, we kindly ask everyone to be mindful of students on their bikes when traveling in the area.



### Read, Write, Count Event for P1-3

We're thrilled to invite you to our upcoming **Read, Write, Count Event** on **Wednesday, 20th November at 2:15 PM**. During the event, children will receive their special book gifting bags. Based on feedback from parents, we'll also be highlighting the significance of **Outdoor Learning** and showcasing the exciting initiatives we have in place here at K.P.S. Don't miss this opportunity to learn more and engage with our vibrant school community!



### Pantomime

We are thrilled to announce that our annual pantomime trip will take place at **Glasgow's King's Theatre** on **Thursday, 28th November**! A huge thank you to everyone who helped raise funds, making it possible for our pupils to attend. This year, we'll be enjoying the magical performance of **Peter Pan**!



### Maths Week Scotland



During Maths Week Scotland, the P6/7 and P5/6 classes participated in a math-themed escape room. The P6/7 students explored fractal trees, while the P5/6 class created pictures using different shapes. Meanwhile, the P3/4 students measured, ordered, and compared sticks they found outside. The P1/2 class engaged in counting backward and solving problems with Joe Wicks and went on a shape scavenger hunt.

### After School Clubs

The After-School Clubs on offer during Term 2 will be:

- P1-3 **Sewing Club** with Miss Kingaby
- P1-7 **Nature Club** with Mrs Abbott
- P4-7 **Board Games** with Mrs Gibson
- P4-7 **Dance Club** with Miss Nubour



Letters will be sent out soon. **Confirmation** of your child's place will be sent to you in the **week following the October holiday**.

### Creativity Inspiring Showcase

Our first Creativity Inspiring Showcase for the year, will be held on **Tuesday 1st October at 1:45PM**. Please come along and see what your children have been learning this term. We anticipate a creativity, inspiring afternoon!

### Meet the Teacher

**Thank you** to everyone who attended our Meet the Teacher in September. If you were unable to attend, please go to your child's class page on the **school website** to find the information shared on the day.

We're excited to share that we have just earned our **Bronze Award** for Health and Activities from **Active Schools**! A big congratulations to all the pupils for their hard work and dedication!

## Getting in touch:

Should you have any questions or queries, please email or call our school office in the first instance.

**E-mail:** [enquiries-kilcreggan@argyll-bute.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries-kilcreggan@argyll-bute.gov.uk)

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## Dates for your diary:



1st October	1:45pm Open Afternoon - all welcome: 'Creativity Inspiring Learning' Showcase 1
4th Oct	School closes at 3pm
21st Oct	School reopens at 9.00am
22nd Oct	School Fluoride Varnishing ELCC and P1-4
23rd Oct	ELCC Fluoride Varnishing (if required)
29th Oct	Citizenship Clubs start
31st Oct	ELCC Stay and Play 9-10am
1st Nov	Parent Council Hallowe'en Disco 5-6:30pm
18th Nov	Book Week Scotland
20th Nov	Read, Write, Count Event at 2:15pm, for parents and their child
22nd Nov	School closes at 3pm
25th Nov	In-Service Day
26th Nov	School opens at 9am
28th Nov	Pantomime at the King's Theatre

## Parent Council:

Our Parent Council is always looking for new members and support for events. Chairperson, Charlotte Wright, would be delighted to speak to anyone who would like to be actively involved in the wider life of the school.

**Facebook Page:** The Parent Council have their own Facebook page that families can request access to. Please see Charlotte for further information.

**Email:** Contact with the Parent Council can be made through their email address: [Kilcregganprimarypc@gmail.com](mailto:Kilcregganprimarypc@gmail.com)

## Parent Council Update

At their recent AGM, Chair Charlotte Wright and Secretary Mel Cowdry announced that this would be their last year on the Parent Council. In order for the Parent Council to continue to run events and fundraise for the school, the Parent Council are seeking anyone who may wish to take up their mantle. It would be an ideal opportunity to work in partnership with Charlotte and Mel throughout this year and shadow them to give a taster of what the role entails before the end of this session.

If you would like any information, please contact Charlotte and Mel via the Parent Council email address.

## Where to find us:

### X:

If you are not yet following us on X, please carry out the following instructions:

1. Go to the app store on your phone or other Device.
2. Search and download X.
3. Search for Kilcreggan P.S
4. Click follow or scan the QR code to see our X page.



## Website:



[www.kilcreggan.argyll-bute.sch.uk](http://www.kilcreggan.argyll-bute.sch.uk)

**Our Annual Calendar Planner will be updated soon to give you advanced notice of events across the year. Please remember to check the Term 2 edition for any event updates.**