



Luthermuir News



October 10th, 2019

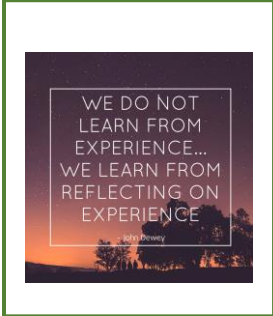
Dear Parent/Carer

As we approach the end of our first term we would like to share some of the hard work that has been happening. A huge thank you to all our pupils and staff for their tremendous efforts. This year has already gone off to a flying start 😊!

As always, please do not hesitate to contact us at school if you have any questions or comments.

Have a lovely Autumn break.

Kind Regards
Fiona Thomson



New Telephone Number

We have now move over on to Aberdeenshire's new Skype telephony system. Our new contact number for the School Office is **01674 902465**.



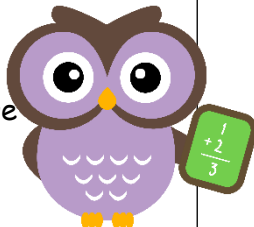
Reminder - School is closed to all pupils on Friday 11th October.

Staff will be working with Aberdeenshire colleagues looking at **Moderation, Maths Mastery, Dyslexia and Talkboost.**

Maths Week (30.09.19-4.10.19)

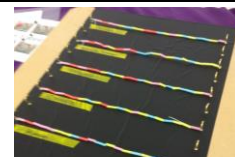


The focus was on maths this week with pupils being encouraged to take part in marvellous maths activities and challenges. Well done to P4/5 for accepting the challenge and creating their own maths posters.



P4-7 Explorathon Event

The pupils had an interesting afternoon exploring DNA, looking at objects from long ago and thinking about the attitudes of people towards the ageing process.



Parental Engagement

Thank you to everyone who attended our Parent consultation evening on Tuesday 8th October. We had a very successful evening with **92%** attendance. All our parents have now been issued with information to set up their family 'Seesaw' account and pupils have started to record and share their learning through this resource. If you have any questions or difficulties in accessing 'Seesaw', please get in touch with the School Office for assistance.

P1-3 Play, Art & Science Day

Our P1-3 pupils had a great day joining in with Marykirk pupils in play, art and science activities. The children worked together to create a beautiful canvas, discovered that black isn't really black and enjoyed sharing, talking and playing with new friends.



Pupil Council

Our Pupil Council AGM was held on Wednesday 9th October @ 1pm.

The meeting was very well represented with 16 pupils attending from P3-7.

The committee members were elected as below:

Chairperson - Mackenzie (P7)

Vice Chairperson - Deegan (P6)

Secretary - Alfie (P7)

Vice Secretary - Jamesy (P6)

Treasurer - Beth (P7)

Vice Treasurer - Emma-Jo (P7)/Niamh (P5)

General Committee Members - Flynn (P3), Mason (P3), Eirika (P4), Milly (P5), Edward (P5), Katie (P6), Jack (P7), Ally (P7), Issy (P7)

Date of Next Meeting: Thursday 7th November at 1:30pm

The Pupil Council focus for 19/20 session is to be agreed at the next meeting following feedback from classes.

Extra Curricular Clubs

Are you creative? Are you active/ sporty? Do you have a special talent or interest? Would you like to help support/run a club for our pupils over a lunchtime or after school? We are always looking for volunteers to support our extra-curricular activities. Please call the office (01674 902465) if you can help in any way.

Starting back in Term 2

Running Club (Wednesday lunchtime)

Netball @ Marykirk Village Hall (Tuesday 330pm-430pm)

Forest Schools

Next term, ALL our classes will have Forest School sessions on a Tuesday. These sessions will be led by Ms Wells and supported by their class teacher. Please make sure your child brings appropriate outdoor clothing as we will endeavour to go out in all weather.

