



Newlands Primary News & Information

5th October 2023



Dates for Your diary

Wednesday 1st November – Flu Vaccine

Holidays:-

Friday 6th October – Casual day (Holiday), Monday 9th October – Friday 13th October – Holiday

Monday 16th October – In-Service day – Staff in – Pupils on holiday

Have a lovely holiday!

Out of school achievement:

Charlie completed the 10k Night Shine Walk to raise money for Cancer Research.

Amazing work Charlie!

Congratulations Orla, for winning the JRSO high viz competition!



P2/3/4/5

After our Minibeast Safari in the woods and playground, we have used fiction books to research information about mini east and created fact-files.

For art, we have used warm colours of paint and our hand print to create autumn trees.

Thank you for all the shoebox donations. We have started wrapping them so they are ready for us to fill.

Thank you Mrs Young for visiting P2/3/4/5 to tell us about the importance of the Shoebox Appeal.



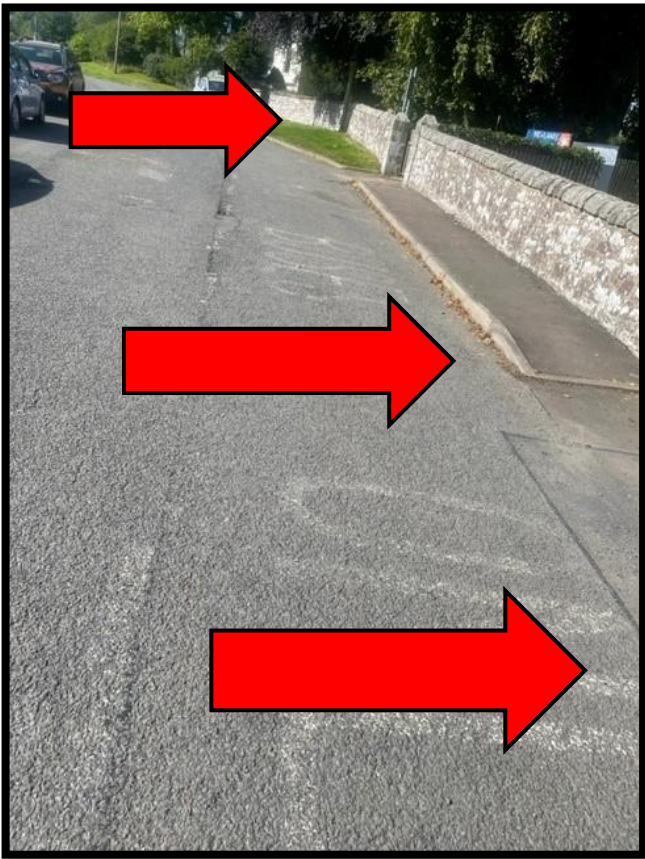
Visit to the
Scottish
Parliament



This week, to complete our Bear in the Borders project we collected things from the poly tunnel, came into our school and prepared a teddy bear picnic.

SCHOOL BUS PARKING

The buses are struggling to get passed parked cars at the end of the day. This causes delays in children getting home.



PLEASE
KEEP
CLEAR
THANK YOU!

Allergies – Please do not send your child to school with nut related products – We have a few children who are allergic to nuts. Thank you for your continued support.

Nivea sun products now contain nuts and is no longer a suitable brand of sun cream to be used in school

Special Dietary requests – If your child has any special dietary requests please email:
specialdietarequests@scotborders.gov.uk

School term dates for 2023-24

Autumn term

- Monday 14 August 2023 - staff resume, in service day
- Tuesday 15 August 2023 - in service day
- Wednesday 16 August 2023 - pupils resume
- Friday 6 October 2023 - Casual holiday Tweeddale
- Monday 16 October 2023 In service day
- Tuesday 17 October 2023 All resume
- Monday 27 November 2023 - St Andrew's Day, schools closed
- Tuesday 28 November 2023 - Pupils resume
- Thursday 21 December 2023 - last day of term for pupils and staff

Winter term

- Monday 8 January 2024 - all resume
- Friday 9 February 2024 - last day of term for pupils, February holiday
- Monday 12 February 2024 - Casual holiday Tweeddale)
- Monday 19 February 2024 In service day
- Tuesday 20 February 2024 - all resume
- Thursday 28 March 2024 - last day of term for pupils and staff

Summer term

- Monday 15 April 2024 - all resume
- Monday 6 May 2024 - May Day holiday, school closed
- Tuesday 7 May 2024 - staff resume, in service day
- Wednesday 8 May 2024 - pupils resume
- Friday 28 June 2024 - last day of term for pupils and staff

Casual holidays

Each [learning community](#) allocates two casual holidays for pupils and staff which are usually aligned to their local festivals.

Some casual holidays for 2023-24 are still to be confirmed.

Tweeddale

- Friday 6 October 2023
- Monday 12 February 2024



Child Protection Officers at Newlands Primary

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After School Club

Newlands Activity Centre

What do we offer?

- Fun activities, crafts, baking
- Forest school activities
- Growing and cultivating plants, fruit and vegetables
- Group team building games
- Themed weeks
- Healthy snacks
- Homework support
- Much much more

Days and times
Mon - Thurs,
3:00 - 6:00pm

Friday
12:15 - 4:15pm

For more info contact Gill Ross,
gill@newlandskids.org.uk



SAVE THE DATE

HALLOWEEN PARTY

FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER
NEWLANDS CENTRE
5:00 - 9:00PM
OPEN TO ALL



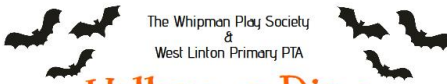

COFFEE MORNING

A FUNDRAISING EVENT

SATURDAY 7TH OCTOBER
10.00-14.00
New Moor Road

DELICIOUS HOME BAKING | TEA & COFFEE
LEARN MORE ABOUT WALKING FOOTBALL





Halloween Disco

Friday 27th October
West Linton Primary School

ELC - P3 6:00 - 7:15pm	P4 - P7 7:30 - 9:00pm
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Entry £2

Quiet corner with colouring and crafts
Party Games | Prizes | Tuck Shop | Glow Sticks

ELC - P3 children must have a responsible adult with them for the duration.

All children to be collected by a responsible adult from the gym hall.

All children are welcome. Costumes are optional

