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Hilton Primary School Blog- A reminder to sign up for alerts!

We have a new way of sharing information with you and the wider community. With the help of staff and some parents, the new Hilton Primary School Blog is now live. You can access the blog at <https://hiltonps.wordpress.com/> where you will find up to date information regarding Hilton Primary School. If you have any suggestions about what you would like to see on the blog, please let us know. Our Twitter feed is linked to our new blog. Also, you can sign up for email alerts when something new is posted. Just add your email at the bottom of the blog and that's you! You can comment on posts too. Over the coming weeks and months we will be adding useful information about our curriculum, Early Learning and Childcare, School Improvement, etc.

HPPF Meeting

The next HPPF meeting will take place on Wednesday 2nd May 2018, at 6.30pm. Please do come along if you can.

Football News



Well done to the P6/7 Soccer 7s team who competed in Dundee in the semi-finals. Although they didn't make it to the finals they did their best and they should be proud getting so far in the competition. Thank you to the coach and other parents who took the team to Dundee. Huge well done too to the P3 and under team who won the Cairn Cup last week (picture on the blog).

Shinty News

The shinty team played in the Mackay Cup qualifiers earlier this week. The next round is next week and the team are through! Well done!

Sports Day

Sports Day for the whole school and ELC will be on Friday 1st June. Further details to follow.



May Day/Inset Day

School/ELC will be closed on Monday 7th May (May Day Holiday) and Monday 4th June (Inset Day).

School Uniform/PE Kit

It's great to see so many children wearing school uniform and bringing PE kit. A reminder to all that PE kit should be worn for PE lessons. Please ensure your child has an appropriate PE kit in their bags. Thank you.

Congratulations

Congratulations to staff members who married in the holidays. Miss Atkins (Early Years Practitioner) is now Mrs Rae and Miss Pichon (Teacher) is now Mrs Hollingdale.

ELC Update

Term 4 is fully underway in Hilton ELC! The children and staff have come back after the Spring break full of energy and enthusiasm ready for all the activities ahead. As well as all the planned learning opportunities, this term will also have a strong focus on transition as we prepare our pre-schoolers to move on to P1 and also look forward to welcoming our new starts in August. A range of transition events have been planned to support this, all parents/carers should have received notification of these. For any further information please do not hesitate to contact the ELC.

If you're a parent/carer of a child in Hilton ELC you're invited to come in to visit us in the ELC for a 'Stay, Play & Learn' session. You'll find sign-up sheets in the ELC foyer if you'd like to take part.

Look out for the ELC Newsletter next week to keep you up-to-date with all the fun, activities and important dates you need to know from us!

Trips

P4-6 will be visiting Landmark on Wednesday 30th May (further details to follow). P1-3 will be visiting the Fun House in June – P1s and P2/1 on Tuesday 5th June and P2, P3/2 and P3 on Wednesday 6th June. Separate letters will be issued for all of these trips. P7 will be participating in a 2 day residential at Fairburn Activity Centre in June, which is very exciting.

Inter School Sports

This year's Inter School Sports will take place at the Bught Park on Saturday 26th May. Further details to follow.

Baillie Cup

This year the P1-P4 Baillie Cup will take place on a Saturday at the Queens Park Stadium at the Aquadome. Due to it being a Saturday parents will be responsible for their child at this event. Mrs Watt will be co-ordinating the team and will be present on the day but not available to supervise the children.

Therefore **before the team is selected** can you please return the form to your child's class teacher by Friday 4th May stating whether you and your child are available to attend on this date.

Forms will go home next week and you will be informed whether or not your child has been selected for the team.

P7 Leaver's Assembly

This assembly will take place on Thursday 28th June at 9.45am. All P7 parents/carers are invited to join us for this assembly.

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