

School Bulletin

25th April 2025



Coming up:	
Mon 28 th Apr	Bikeability for P6 during this week – times and groups vary
Fri 2 nd May	P7 assembly about their residential trip (12.15, P7 parents welcome)
Mon 5 th May	HOLIDAY – school closed to all
Tue 6 th May	INSET – school closed to pupils
Thur 15 th May	Parent Council Meeting 6-7.30pm
Tue 20 th May	Countryside Day for P5s
Wed 21 st May	Family Workshops (2.30-3.15pm)
Fri 23 rd May	Year Group photo for P1 and P7
Tue 27 th May	Inspire Festival for P6s
Fri 30 th May	Morton Cup
	P1 assembly (12.15, P1 parents welcome to join us)
Mon 2 nd June	Sports Day
Thu 5 th June	New P1 (Aug 2025 starts) parent meeting 6-7pm
Fri 6 th June	P7 leavers party
Mon 9 th June	P4 + P5 trip tbc
Tue 10 th – Thu 12 th June	P7 Transition Days at KHS
Thu 12 th June	P7 parent meeting at KHS 6.30-8pm
Thu 19 th June	Edenside Grows together Sale
	Shorts and Shades Disco (New P1s – P6)
Friday 20 th June	ELC Graduation
Mon 23 rd June	P7 showcase and prizegiving (P7 families welcome, 1.45pm)
Tue 24 th June	P7 trip
Wed 25 th June	House choir competition
	Last Day of Term and School Session

A HUGE THANK YOU

Your wonderful generosity has seen $\pounds 5428.35$ banked by the Parent Council from the sponsored obstacle course. We will be ordering a new digital projector for the hall shortly!



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Coming soon....

SBC are introducing a Parent's Portal

What is the Parent's Portal?

parentsportal.scot | The digital doorway to your child's school.

The Parents Portal will go live on 28th April. On day 1, all parents and carers will receive an email from SBC, detailing the benefits behind Scottish Borders Council introducing the Parent's Portal. Parents / Carers will be required to have a Mygovscot account which enable them to click on a button to create a link between the Parents Portal and their child's current school record. The link will then be approved by school admin staff.

In the first week of going live, we are aiming to get as many parents to link to their child as possible.

Edenside Grows Together

Mrs Bryce is leading the Edenside Grows together project, with Miss McHarg and Mrs Armstrong from ELC.

This term we are involving all our children in some growing activities, and we are hoping our Poly Tunnel will be used well during this time.

Our aim is to have an 'Edenside Grows Together' Sale on June 19th, which will raise some money to buy seeds etc for our next 'growing' challenges.



Loose Parts Play

As part of our Edenside offer, we want to ensure all children have opportunities to play. Children playing with loose parts demonstrate more creativity and imagination and develop more skill and competence than they would playing with fixed purpose toys. It enables children to be curious and be problem solvers. Loose parts could include – natural resources (straw, mud, pine cones); building materials and tools; scrap materials (tyres, guttering; and most essentially random found objects. Loose parts aren't prescriptive and offer limitless possibilities for children to play.

During next week, each class will have some time to access our loose parts resources, led by Mrs White. During the term ahead classes will have time to come and enjoy open ended play opportunities using loose parts.

Look out for our Facebook requests for donations towards our loose parts resources