

## School Bulletin 28<sup>th</sup> November 2025



### **Dates for the Diary**

Mon 1st + Tues 2nd December Closed for school holiday

Thur 4<sup>th</sup> December Borders Netball finals

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Fayre 6 – 8 pm (see Parent council Facebook page)

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December P6 Show, Paws and Claws. 1.45pm and 6pm. P4 and P5 supporting

\*Cash donations on the door, to cover the costs of the show\*

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December Singing in the square 10am (P1, P5, P6/7, P7) and 2pm (P2, P3, P3/4,

P4, P6)

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> December Church Christmas Service, 2pm at North Parish Church, led by P2s

\*Cash Collection at the Church for Cash for Kids Charity\*

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December ELC Show

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December P5 party AM; P6 party PM

Children can wear party clothes all day of their party OR bring the party clothes to

change into.

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December P6 Pantomime Trip; P4 party AM; P2/ P3 party PM

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> December P7 party AM; P1 and ELC4 party PM

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> December Wear something Christmassy and School Christmas Lunch

ELC2 and ELC3 party PM

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December Last Day of Term (Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026, school reopens)

### **Netball Competition**

On Monday 10<sup>th</sup> November some of our P6 and P7 girls went to play in the Cluster Netball competition. What a display of skill, teamwork and sportsmanship from them all! Representing the school at an event, regardless of the outcome is always a special memory for our children. We are proud of both teams!

Our P7 team did win the cluster netball competition and therefore qualify for the Borders Netball Finals, due to be played on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December. Good Luck, girls!









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<u>Christmas Fayre</u> We are still looking for donations for our secret shop. Sweeties (eg mini haribo), Unwanted gifts, toiletries, pens, socks, candles etc can be sent into the school office. Donations of bottles for the bottle stall are also welcome. If anyone would like to donate a raffle prize, this too would be amazing. Thank you.

### **Christmas Cards and Gifts**

Here at Edenside, we have a Christmas message board, for all children to add a Christmas greeting to their friends. This is to remove the need for children to send all their classmates Christmas cards. We feel this is a greener and more economical option for all.

We know some children like to give a gift to their teacher in school, which is very kind, however we would like to suggest a donation to a charity of your choice or a donation at the church Christmas service instead (which will go to Cash For Kids).

### **Togetherall**

As a Scottish Borders resident, you can access support 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year with Togetherall.

The festive period can come with mixed feelings, whether you want to speak to other peers or a trained professional, there will be someone there every minute of every day. You can join a supportive online community where interactions are anonymous, take part in courses and use other wellbeing tools like journaling, goal setting and self-assessments for support.

Sign up is free, use <u>togetherall.com</u> to join with your postcode – it takes minutes and you'll have immediate access to support. (SBC is a registered area, to use this service.)

### P4, P5 and P6 Parents / Carers

Final reminder for ticket requests for 'Paws and Claws', our Christmas show performed by P6 and supported by P4 and P5. Shows are 1.45pm and 6pm on Tue 9th December.

Ticket requests were due in today! Anyone who has forgotten / misplaced their form etc has until 9am on Wednesday to let us know their ticket requests, so we can organise ticket distribution from Wednesday. Any spare tickets will be offered to P6 families first.

Cash donations will be gratefully received on the door. (This is to cover the costs of the show – performance licence, script, costumes, props etc.)

