



Weekly Note

13th October 2022

Peat and Diesel Concert

There will be a Peat and Diesel concert in the Coll Centre on Thursday 27th October at 11am. All Primary 6 and Primary 7 pupils across Lewis and Harris have been invited to attend the event. P6 and P7 pupils are asked to bring a packed lunch and a bottle of water. If your child is in receipt of Free School Meals, a packed lunch will be provided by the canteen. Pupils should wear school uniform and bring a jacket.

Halloween Party

The Primary 7 trip fundraising group have organised a Halloween party which will take place at the school on Friday 28th October. This event is available for all pupils who attend Stornoway Primary School. It will be a fun night of music, games, costumes and dance contests. Tickets can be purchased from the school office on Thursday 27th and Friday 28th October and cost £2 for the P1-3 party and £2.50 for the P4-7 party. All proceeds go towards the Primary 7 trip. Any families who require support with the costs for tickets can speak, in confidence, with P Maclean, Head of School.



Lost Property

There have been a significant number of items left in the lost property this term. If you are missing any items, please come and have a look to see if any items belong to your child.

Any items that are not claimed will be donated to a local charity shop.



Blythswood Shoebox Appeal



SHOE BOX APPEAL

Blythswood Shoebox Appeal 2022 - Lewis and Harris
The Appeal Centre will be at Woody's Rigs Road in Stornoway, in one of the units at the back, beside Woody's Main Building.

The Appeal Centre will be open on the following days to receive shoeboxes

- Thursday 27th October, 3pm-6pm
- Friday 28th October, 3pm - 6.30 pm
- Saturday 29th October, 10 am-12.00

The APPEAL will CLOSE on Saturday 29th OCTOBER at 12 noon

Shoeboxes should be taken into the Appeal Centre Unit and placed on a pallet. Please use hand sanitiser on entry and exit. Volunteer Staff will be available to give advice.

Shoeboxes from schools, churches, organisations, families or individuals SHOULD NOT be handed into the Blythswood Shop on Kenneth Street. This is to safeguard against double-handing

LEAFLETS
Blythswood Shoebox Leaflets are available for collection from the Blythswood Shop, Stornoway and Ness, Nicolson's Newsagents, some schools and churches. They are also available online. Further information can be sought from Blythswood Care on Facebook or from the Lewis and Harris Blythswood Support Group, contacts below:

Nana Maclean	07818 861637
Anne Blyth	07733 441017
Charlie Nicolson	07717 816476
James Muir	07527501005

THANK YOU FOR HELPING OTHERS LESS FORTUNATE WITH THE BLYTHSWOOD CHRISTMAS SHOEBOX APPEAL 2022

Registered Charity No SC048001 Company No 583493 Registered Address: Highland Deephaven, Evanton, IV16 9XJ

The Appeal Centre will be at **Woody's Express Parcels**, Rigs Road, Stornoway. The Appeal Centre will be open on the following days to receive shoeboxes:

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Children in Need

As part of this year's Children in Need fundraiser, P4A and P4B are organising a Bring and Buy sale. We are hoping to sell books, toys, teddies, DVDs and games. If you are having a clear out over the holiday, and have any of these items at home that you no longer use, we would appreciate it if you could bring them in to the school any time between Monday 31st October and Thursday 17th November. Primary 4A and 4B would like to thank you for your support.

October Holidays

Term 1 will draw to a close at 3:25pm on Thursday 13th October. The school will re-open to all staff on Wednesday 26th October and to all pupils on Thursday 27st October. We wish all our families and staff a relaxing and enjoyable break.

Free Dress Friday

Free Dress Friday will take place on Friday 28th October.

Donation are welcome but not necessary. No fancy dress or football shirts please.

Thank you.

Parent Council

The Parent Council works together with the school to promote partnership between the school, parents and its pupils. It aims to represent the views of all parents/carers. The Parent Council Annual General Meeting will take place in the school on Tuesday 1st November at 7pm.

If you have any queries or questions for the Parent Council, please send them to:

syprimaryparentcouncil@gmail.com

Community Events



Stornoway Free Church
EXPLORERS

Bible-based Multi-activity

Fun children's club for P1-P7

Thursdays (term time) from 27th October:
P1-P3: 6.00-7.00pm
P4-P7: 7.00-8.15pm

Rev MA Memorial Hall, Kenneth St

£10 per term (payable from Jan 2023)
Online booking required in advance:
<https://forms.office.com/r/GCmTuiEAWM>

Canteen Menu

Week 1	Option 1	Option 2	Option 3	Pudding
Thurs	Sausage Beans and Potatoes	Lentil Soup with Tuna Sandwich	Baked Potato with Tuna, Cheese or Beans	Ice Cream and Fruit or Fruit
Fri	Fish and Chips with Coleslaw and Seasonal Mixed Salad	Chicken and Rice soup with egg mayo sandwich	Baked Potato with Tuna, Cheese or Beans	Jelly and Fruit or Fruit