

CRAIGMARLOCH SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER FOR PARENTS/CARERS

18 June 2014

Dear Parents/Carer

Tuesday 24 June at 1.30 PM - End of Term Celebration for Leavers and Pupils transferring to Secondary Department

Our end of term assembly will be a celebration of our Leavers achievements and also the progress of pupils moving on to our Secondary Department. As well as this event we will be having an Awards Ceremony in September. Parents of our Leavers and P7 pupils will be receiving a separate invitation.

Retirals/Staff leaving

We are very sorry that Mrs Joan Boyle, Depute Head Teacher; Mrs Ann Beattie, Class Teacher; Mrs Karen Church Learning Assistant/Clerical Officer; Mrs Sheila McCloy, Senior Clerical Officer and Mrs Rita Medinelli, Principal Teacher will all be leaving us at the end of term. Mrs Hilda Cooper is retiring from her post as Bus Escort. We wish them every happiness in the future. Between them they have over 100 years working with our children in Craigmarloch, Glenburn and Lilybank Schools. They will be sorely missed.

Staffing

We have a number of vacancies which are yet to be filled. I will keep you up to date with these as soon as I am able.

Holiday Haircuts

Caroline from the Harbour Barber's will be in school on Monday 23 June. Cost is £5.00. Please write down any particular instructions you have and send a note with payment.

This service is for boys and girls who would find it difficult to have their hair cut in the community.

Keeping in touch

As well as newsletters you should be able to find information on our website www.craigmarloch@inverclyde.co.uk

You can follow us on twitter @CraigmarlochINV.

There's also lots of information about holidays and menus on Inverclyde council's website.

School Uniforms

The absolute final date for ordering uniforms through the school is tomorrow, Friday 20 June. Otherwise it will be the new term before we will be placing another order. If you have ordered uniforms they can be collected from the school on the 7th or 8th of August.

PSA News

Date for your diary – Dance in the Cruden Hall – Friday 26 September. Details will follow after the holidays.

Fundraising Night in Grosvenor Bowling Club. 7.30 PM. Friday 20 June. Great Prizes! All proceeds to Craigmarloch Parent Staff Association Fund. Organised by Eleanor McIntosh (Emma's Mum)

Summer Holidays

School closes at 1.00pm on Thursday 26 June and re-opens for pupils on Friday 15 August. (Wednesday 13 and Thursday 14 are In Service Days for staff.)

Best wishes to you all for a peaceful, happy Summer

Eileen Stewart

Head Teacher



Commonwealth Games Week at Craigmarloch

P6/7 pupils, accompanied by the Senior Band, performed 'Let the Games Begin' at our opening ceremony. This week each class has adopted a country and pupils have been learning about the customs and trying out the food of their chosen country.

Pupils have been practicing athletics skills and have had visiting Judo and Dance experts teaching them new skills.