

Cairney School aspires to be a happy, safe and inclusive learning community where everyone is treated fairly and with respect and encouraged to be the best they can be. Through high-quality, enjoyable, learning experiences, we strive to inspire and challenge our learners to achieve their fullest potential. In our school, learning is an active, exciting, positive experience. We work in partnership with parents, carers and the wider community to enable our children to become

- Successful Learners, Confident Individuals, Responsible Citizens and Effective Contributors.



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## Cairney School Newsletter No. 8: 19<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

### Annual Pupil Reports/ Parents Evening Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March

Our pupil reports will be issued this week. The reports will include an additional copy of the page with the learner's comments. This page also provides you with an opportunity to share your views about the report and the information about your child's progress. Please can you sign and return the extra copy to school, with any comments as soon as possible. We look forward to meeting with you to discuss your child/children's progress at our Parents' Evening to be held on 29<sup>th</sup> March.

### STEM Day at Fergie School



Problem solving!

We had another great day at Fergie School this time learning about Pneumatics and Hydraulics! The children from the two schools were again mixed together in groups and undertook a variety of engineering and technology challenges through the day. They enjoyed break time and lunchtime when they were able to spend time with new friends. Thank you to those of you that were able to come to one of the family workshops along with your child/children. The workshops were well attended and a great success with very interesting 'Burger Buddies' created!☺ The feedback from everyone (children and adults) about the day as a whole was very positive. We shall soon be sending home



Team work!

a family learning activity for you all to have fun and work together to build another model operated by pneumatics!

### Trip to Leith Hall

We are looking forward to our day at Leith Hall with Stephen Reeves from the National Trust for Scotland. This trip is part of our learning for our John Muir Award project. As we will be outside for most of the day, please ensure the children are appropriately dressed and are wearing clothes that they can get dirty!



Meadow planting project for Leith Hall

### Dates for your diary

Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March – trip to Leith Hall as part of our John Muir Award with Stephen Reeves (NTS)

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March – Parents Night/ School closes for the Easter holidays

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April – school opens for term

Thank you for all the support you have given the school this term. I hope you all have a lovely Spring break and I look forward to hearing all the children's holiday news at the start of the new term!  
Yours faithfully,

Dr. Kim C Aplin  
Head Teacher

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**Parent comments and Ideas**

**Please share your child/children's out of school achievements**

Name: .....

Signed: .....