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Dalserf Primary School

Newsletter – June 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

Classes for New Session

Next session the configuration of the four composite classes will be: P1/2, P3/4, P5/6 and P6/7. Some staffing has yet to be confirmed by South Lanarkshire Council. As soon as I am aware, I will notify you. However, all children will have the opportunity to have a 'Step Up' in their new classes for next session on Wednesday 24th June. Please see information below as it stands:



Classes for August 2026-2027	Teachers
Room 1 - P1/2	TBC (M) Mrs Barber (T,W,Th,F)
Room 2 - P3/4	Mrs Robb
Room 3 - P5/6	TBC
Room 4 - P6/7	TBC

Staffing

As previously intimated, Mrs Kelly-Kerr has secured a new post as a Pedagogy teacher with SLC. A big thank you to Mrs Kelly-Kerr for all her hard work and commitment over the last two years. We will miss you and wish you well in your new position!

We welcome back Mrs Middleton who will be returning after her secondment to Parkview PS. However, we will be saying goodbye to Miss Church, our NQT and thank her for all her hard work and dedication over the session. We wish her every success for the future!



Sports Day

Congratulations to Nethan House who were the winning House Team and overall House winner for the school year. House Captain, Gracie has been a great role model for the school and her fellow peers. Well done, Nethan, great job!



P7 Leaver's Assembly

Thank you to Mrs Speirs and Mrs Murray who did a super job organising the Leaver's assembly. Well done to our Primary 7's for putting on such a wonderful show, 'I'm a P7, Get Me Out of Here'. It was a super performance which had lots of fun and laughter, especially the trials! You are ready to start a new chapter in your school life at Larkhall Academy. Good luck everyone and remember to do your best - Aim High, Always Try!



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PFA

Thank you to Karen who represented our PFA at the Celebration of Achievement Awards and P7 Leavers Assembly and gave out the P7's Larkhall Academy Ties. A huge thank you to all our PFA members for raising funds at our sports day and treating the whole school and staff to an ice-cream afterwards and for organising the shorts and shades discos end of term treat. The children and staff had a fabulous afternoon!



The PFA have also been busy this term setting up 'Easyfundraising' and 'Yourschool lottery'. Both links have been shared on the parents portal. If you wish further information or would like to view our Certificate of Registration, please contact the office.



Dress Down Days

Our final dress down day for this term is on our last day Thursday 25th June. Children can dress casually. However, can we ask all P7 leavers to wear their Leavers hoodies, thank you.



School Lunches

Please note there will be no lunch break on Thursday 25th June as we finish at 1pm, School lunches will only be available in the canteen. If your child is bringing a packed lunch this will be eaten in class. There will be no home lunches.



Pre-loved Uniforms

Please help yourself to any pre-loved uniforms hanging on the rail inside the bubble at the front door, these are free to take. If you have any old, good quality uniforms your child/children have out-grown, please hand them into the school office. Thank you for your support in helping to reduce the cost of the school day.



P7 Leaver's Last Day

Parents/carers are invited to come and see their child walk out of primary school for the final time and take photographs of their last day on Thursday 25th June at 1pm. We wish you all the best Primary 7, Good luck!

End of Term

Thank you to staff for all their hard work throughout this session and to all parents and carers for continuing to support the work that we do to provide the best experiences possible for your children. A big thank you also to the children for their hard work, determination, and kindness they have shown over the session. We are all very proud of them!



All staff at Dalserf Primary School would like to wish everyone a super summer with your family and friends when it comes and we see you all again in August. Happy holidays!

Best wishes,

Ingrid Gardiner.

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Head Teacher

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Dates for Your Diary

June 2026

- ❖ Wednesday 24th – Step up to new class
- ❖ Thursday 25th – Dress Down Day
- ❖ Thursday 25th – Farewell Primary 7, Good Luck!
- ❖ Wednesday 25th – Schools closes at 1pm for the Summer Holiday (no lunch break)

August 2026

- ❖ Tuesday 11th – In-Service Day 1 (Staff only)
- ❖ Wednesday 12th – In-Service Day 2 (Staff only) 1.30pm Enhanced Transition for selected pupils.
- ❖ Thursday 13th – 8.15am Breakfast Club. 9.00am Pupils return to school