



WELCOME
TO
CRATHE'S
SCHOOL

Newsletter - June 2023

Gold Rights Respecting School Award



1 - We were thrilled to have met the standard for UNICEF UK's Rights Respecting Schools Award at Gold: Rights Respecting.

The RRSA Accreditation Report is thorough and identifies the strengths of our school include:

- *Passionate, confident children who clearly know that they have rights and are committed to helping realise these for other children locally and globally.*
- *The extent to which rights and rights respecting language are embedded in the day-to-day life of the school balanced with explicit teaching about rights.*
- *The relationship between school staff and families is very strong with a good level of participation from parents in the work on rights and the overall life of the school.*

- *Pupil voice is valued highly, and the range of pupil voice groups gives ample opportunities for all young people to put forward their suggestions forward and for these to be acted upon.*

A tremendous achievement that we can all be proud of.

Visit to Glen Tanar



2 - P4-7 thoroughly enjoyed their visit to Glen Tanar, with lovely weather, fantastic scenery and lots of super learning activities. A great way to finish our John Muir Award.

We would like to thank the Cairngorm National Park for their substantial contribution to travel costs involved in this trip.

John Muir Award Celebration Assembly - Friday 16th June



The P4-7 pupils have now reached the end of their John Muir Award and are planning a special assembly to celebrate their outdoor learning. The assembly will be in school on Friday 16th June @ 2.15pm. Parents/carers of the pupils in P4-7 are welcome to join us.

Please email maureen.fraser@aberdeenshire.gov.uk if you are able to attend so we can organise seating.

Burnett Cup - Monday 12th June @ 6pm



Football strips will be issued to the Crathes Team on Friday 9th June. Can the players please be on the school field by 5.45pm on Monday evening.

Gardening Afternoon - Friday 9th June



Friday's gardening session will go ahead 2 - 3.15pm. Please ensure your child comes to school dressed appropriately. Any pupils with their own gardening gloves are welcome to bring them in too.

We would be delighted to have some more adult helpers for the gardening, please email maureen.fraser@aberdeenshire.gov.uk or telephone the school if you would like to help. Please note - no specialist gardening knowledge is required.

Potted Sports - Thursday 15th June

We have our annual Potted Sports with Durriss School on Thursday 15th June 1.25 – 2.40pm. The event takes place on our school playing field and involves all pupils P3- P7. Parents/carers are

welcome to come along and watch but if you would like to be involved we are still looking for 2 scorers for the afternoon.

P1-3 Garden Enterprise Sale - Thursday 6th July @ 2pm



The pupils in P1-3 have been busy this term working on their Garden Enterprise project. They will be hosting an outdoor sale at 2pm on Thursday 6th July and hope to see lots of customers keen to buy their garden plants and products. All welcome.

Feedback



Your comments are always welcome and support our continued school improvement. Please email maureen.fraser@aberdeenshire.gov.uk with any feedback.