

# Muscliff Primary School

## WEEKLY BULLETIN



Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2025

### News and highlights

Key upcoming dates to be aware of:

Another positive week at Muscliff! It was great to see many parents from Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 at the Curriculum meetings this week. We look forward to welcoming Y1 & Y2 parents next week.



Thank you to those who came to the Friends coffee morning today - it was lovely to see everyone.

Some parents have been surprised to hear that our Parent Association ('Friends') currently consists of about 5 people! There is no hidden bank of volunteers... so they REALLY need your help in order to run events. The 'Outalimits' discos on 9<sup>th</sup> October will not go ahead without parent volunteers to help. If you can spare an hour to attend please let them know; Y1/2: 3.15-4pm, Y3/4: 4.15-5.15pm, Y5/6: 5.30-6.30pm.

This year's Christmas Fayre has been moved from the usual Saturday to Friday evening; Save the date - Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December 5-7.30pm. This year Santa will be doing a 'meet and greet' on arrival, rather than the previous booking slots. This should mean more children have opportunity to see him. There will be a range of stalls, as well as games to play and refreshments in the hall.

The next Friends of Muscliff meeting is Wednesday 1st October at 6pm to finalise disco plans.

This year the Friends would love to create some new roles in the team e.g. social media and communications secretary and someone to pursue grant applications, as well as events organiser, treasurer, secretary and chair. So if you think you could support in ANY way at all, please let them know: friends@muscliffprimary.co.uk

You don't have to attend all the meetings, but please offer your help if you think you could contribute. On Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 6pm, Friends are holding their Annual meeting (AGM) - this is the time when all the roles will be 'voted' in so do let them know asap if you are interested. There is a current opening for role of Chair (or could be 2 co-chairs), as the previous Chair stood down in the summer. Thank you.

Year group Curriculum Information meetings, at 5.30pm:

Mon 22nd - Y2  
Tues 23rd - Y1  
Tues 30th - Rec

Weds lunchtimes:  
Young carers  
AFCB football sessions

Year 6's to send video application for House Captain to muscliff@muscliffprimary.co.uk by Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> September

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Friends of Muscliff update

**DISCOs**

9<sup>th</sup> October

Tickets on sale through Arbor NOW!

Save the date... **Christmas Fayre...**

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> Dec 5 7.30pm



**AGM** to vote in all roles

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> Oct 6pm

Term dates for 2025-26 including INSET days:	
<b>Autumn Term 1 2025</b>	<b>Thursday 4th September - Friday 24th October 2025 (normal finish)</b>
<i>October Half Term break</i>	<i>Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October 2025</i>
	<i>Wednesday 3rd September 2025- INSET day (school closed)</i>
<b>Autumn Term 2 2025</b>	<b>Monday 3rd November - Friday 19th December 2025 (1.30pm finish)</b>
<i>Christmas Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 22nd December– Friday 2nd January 2026</i>
	<i>Friday 21st November - INSET day (school closed)</i>
<b>Spring Term 1 2026</b>	<b>Tuesday 6th January – Friday 13th February 2026 (normal finish)</b>
<i>February Half Term break</i>	<i>Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February 2026</i>
	<i>Monday 5th January- INSET day (school closed)</i>
<b>Spring Term 2 2026</b>	<b>Monday 23rd February – Friday 27th March 2026 (1:30pm finish)</b>
<i>Easter Holiday</i>	<i>Monday 30th March – Friday 10th April 2026</i>
<b>Summer Term 1 2026</b>	<b>Monday 13th April – Friday 22nd May 2026 (normal finish)</b>
	<i>Bank Holiday: 4th May – School closed</i>
<i>May Half Term break</i>	<i>Monday 25th May – Friday 29th May 2026</i>
<b>Summer Term 2 2026</b>	<b>Tuesday 2nd June – Wednesday 22nd July 2026 (1.30pm finish)</b>
	<i>Monday 1st June - INSET day (school closed)</i>
	<i>Friday 3rd July - INSET day (school closed)</i>
<i>Summer Holiday begins</i>	<i>Thursday 23rd July 2026- start of the summer holiday</i>

Thank you to Friends of Muscliff for our new glockenspiels that have been trialled by our Year 2 children this week. These will make such a difference to music at Muscliff. The children who had a play absolutely loved it and felt like musicians, following the Charanga scheme. I can't wait for all the children to start using them in class.



If you need to contact a member of staff:  
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General enquiries: muscliff@muscliffprimary.co.uk

Letters sent this week on Arbor:

Reception- Weekly Reading records and books

Year 1-6- Outalimits Disco tickets on sale!

Year 2- Spelling tests on Mondays, Art materials required

Year 4- New Forest Bird Sanctuary visit

Year 5- Boys football tournament (sent to individual children)

Year 5/6- Girls football match (sent to individual children)

Year 6- Boys football tournament (sent to individual children)

Year 6- Nits!

After School Club children- Please bring coats!

Creative Club children- Last session 23<sup>rd</sup> October

Whole school letters- Reception in need of materials, menu pudding issue, ASD/ADHD information event

We hope you all have a lovely weekend.

*The Muscliff Team*