

# Tarland School

## Newsletter

25<sup>th</sup> November 2015

***Remember!*** FLU Immunisation: Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> November

These will take place in Room 6 during school.

### **Adverse Weather**

Information has already been sent home with regards to procedures for adverse weather. If I need to advise you about the status of the school, I will leave appropriate messages on the website;

<http://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/closures>

and on the Information Phone Line;

**0870 054 4999**

**Tarland's PIN: 02 2670**

I may leave a message on the 'Adverse Weather' choice, or on the 'General Message' choice, so I urge you to check both. If possible, I will also try to send out an email to keep you informed. If you need a copy of the information that was sent out last week, please contact the school office.



**Please send your child to school with appropriate clothing for the weather. Remember to LABEL all garments.**

### **Achievement Wall**

As you walk through the school, we hope that you notice our Achievement Wall. Every child has had a special photograph taken so that we can mark their achievements, especially those that happen outwith school. These are displayed on the Wall for everyone to see. Please urge your child to come in to tell us what they have been up to. For example, we have celebrated swimming, cycling, Su Yang Do, Brownies; the list is endless. To encourage more achievements to be recognised, can I ask you to write a note in their homework diary? This will be especially helpful for the younger children who may need a little prompt to share. This way, we will see a rotation of faces on the wall, and get a flavour of the wonderful talent alive in our school.



## Christmas Season

The children have just started to prepare for the Christmas Shows. This year, the children in primaries 1, 2 and 3 will provide the Christmas Tableau, as the children in primaries 4, 5, 6 and 7 will perform Christmas Songs for us all to enjoy. For a change there will be a second show in June 2016 which will see the older children putting on a show, as the younger children make up a choir of voices.

The Christmas Shows will take place at the following times;

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30pm**

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> December at 6.30pm**

The Nursery children will be invited to share their Christmas Songs at the beginning of the Monday show only.

Tickets will be on sale closer to the time. Further information will follow.



## Christmas Dinner

The School's Christmas Dinner will be on **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December** this year. Information will be sent out soon so that your child can make their choice for the meal.



We are very excited to welcome the Commissioner for Children and Young People Scotland, Tam Baillie, to our school on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December.

He has kindly accepted our invitation to speak to the children as part of our commitment to the Rights Respecting Schools' Award.

*Miss Rogers and all the staff in Tarland School  
would like to wish you a  
Happy Christmas!*

