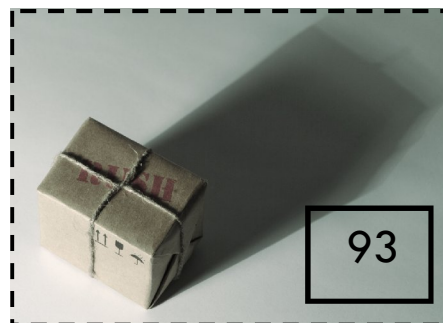


### Dates for your Diary

- Nov 7 Halloween Disco 7.30—10.30pm
- Nov 27 S2 Parents Evening
- Dec 12 School Concert
- Dec 17 Secondary Dance
- Dec 18 Primary Open Evening
- Dec 19 Carol Service (2pm)
- Dec 22 Primary Christmas Party (2pm)
- Dec 23 Activity am/ Whole School Video pm



Thank you to pupils, parents and members of the community who contributed to our annual Blythwood Shoebox Appeal. 93 boxes were collected and £150 in donations.

**THANK YOU EVERYONE**

### **“Wear it Pink Day”**

“Wear it Pink Day” was held on Friday 31st October. Pupils were involved in a “PINK” baking activity. The baking items were sold at the “PINK” tuck shop. Pupils donated £2.00 to wear something PINK.

The total sum raised was **£247.73**  
This money was donated to “Wear it Pink” Breast Cancer Charity.

**Thank you to everyone who took part.**

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## **08 November 08**

Funding from Awards for All was used to buy more playground equipment.

All pupils now have extra stilts, pogo sticks, hoops etc to enjoy at break times.

A further application to Awards for All is in the pipeline. Traci Froughi and Mrs

Matheson are putting forward a request for Highland Games Equipment in the hope that Paible School will hold another Highland Games Day next year.

Last May’s games proved to be a great success on borrowed equipment.

Our own equipment would allow practice before the event.



Primary pupils are all on task with 2 Cross Curricular projects P1—4 “Once Upon a Time” P4—7 “The Victorians”. Lots of interesting and exciting activities are taking place and the corridors are becoming Interesting places to visit.

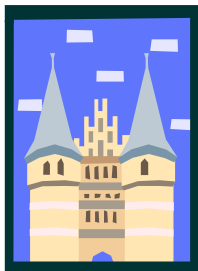
An open evening is planned for Thursday 18th December.

Parents, family and members of the community will be invited to join the pupils to view their work and wall displays.

Pupils will stay after school for a meal and be dressed ready in costume to welcome parents at 6.30.

Please keep a note of this in your diary.

Mrs Matheson will send out more information in December.



S1/S2 RME recently received a visit from Mr Joe Walker of Learning and Teaching Scotland. Mr Walker observed the class trialling one of the new Curriculum for Excellence outcomes. He also taught an S1 RME class himself and enjoyed the experience!



### Staffing

Our Art teacher Mr Peter Melynczuk has now to teach art in most of the Uist schools for the rest of this session which means a reduction in his time with us at Paible.

Therefore S1 will be taught as one class this session.



### Halloween Disco

S2 girls are hosting a disco in Paible School on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November from 7:30 – 10:30pm Admission will be £2.00.

There will also be a tuck-shop. Transport will not be provided.

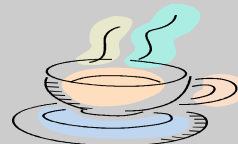
Katie & Lauren  
S2



### Athletic Club Bring and Buy

A Bring & Buy Sale will be held on the 14th November at 7.30pm in the school hall. The Athletics Club need your continued support & donations to make this sale a success.

Come along and support this worthwhile event.



### Lunchtime Activities

For terms 2 & 3 pupils can take part in the following lunchtime activities.

Monday—Basketball

Tuesday—Technology “Fairytale Kingdom” (P)  
Dancing S2

Wednesday—Games/skipping (Prim)  
Badminton, Computers (Sec)

Thursday—Hall Sports (P/Sec) Computers P6/7

Friday— Hall Sports (P/Sec) Choir P6-S2

This term, S2 have been working on a 6-week project which they have been running themselves. This project culminated in a very successful open evening for parents and friends on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> October which saw them giving a presentation and display and then entertaining their guests to tea, coffee and home-baking.

The topic they were studying was *Mysteries of the Sea* and individual projects were on: *The Bermuda Triangle*, *Atlantis*, *Flannan Isle Lighthouse* and *The Mary Celeste*.

### Absence Forms

For parents who wish to use them a copy of an absence certificate is appended to our newsletter.

Please photocopy as required.