

Balmedie Primary School

Newsletter

February 2015

Dear Parent,

Adverse Weather

Given that we had the first school day affected by the weather this winter, I've attached another copy of the Adverse Weather guidance to this newsletter (previously issued 25 November 2014). The best way to keep informed is to sign up to the School Closure RSS Feed on the Aberdeenshire Council website, <http://www.aberdeenshire.gov.uk/closures/default.aspx> or follow Aberdeenshire Council on Twitter. Remember, if the buses are not running in the morning, they will not be running in the afternoon either.

Comic Relief

As you are probably aware, Red Nose Day is on Friday 13 March. As always, the school will be organising a number of activities during that week, culminating in a dance in the playground. Red Noses will be on sale from Monday 9 March. More details to follow.

As the school raised so much money at the last RND, the teachers who organised the fund raising then (Mrs Chalmers, Mrs Glennie and Miss Mylles) have been invited to a reception at Number 10 Downing Street on Tuesday 10 March – to say that they are excited would be an understatement!!

Mid-Term and Aberdeenshire Main Holidays

A reminder that the school closes at the usual time on Thursday 12 February and re-opens for pupils on Thursday 19 February (teacher In-Service on Tuesday 17 and Wednesday 18 February). I've also attached the main holiday calendar, which gives the dates up to September 2020.

Yours faithfully,

Ken McGowan,
Head Teacher



Dress as you Please – February 27th – no charge for this one ☺