

## Pupil Council Newsletter - Winter 2018



Welcome to our first Pupil Council Newsletter.

Each term we would like to update pupils and parents/carers on Pupil Council news in Merkland School. Our first update includes **Clubs, Break time food options and Food bank.**

### Clubs

If you would like to find out more about a club please speak to the member of staff involved.

	<b>Club &amp; Year groups</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Time</b>
Monday	Football, S1-6	SFA coach (Mr Paterson)	lunchtime
	Common Room, S4-6	S Cochrane	lunchtime
Tuesday	Table tennis & Badminton, S4-6	C Agar	registration
	Netball & Basketball Club, S1-6	L Kinnaird	lunchtime
	Common Room, S4-6	S Cochrane/L O'Donnell	lunchtime
Wednesday	Art Club, S1-3	K Steele	lunchtime
	Common Room, S4-6	S Cochrane/A Cochrane	lunchtime
	Drama Club, S1-6	M Furphy	after school
Thursday	Mindfulness, S1-6	C Agar & A Murray	registration
	Running group, S1-6	L Kinnaird	registration
	Common Room, S4-6	S Cochrane/A Cochrane	lunchtime
	Equality & Diversity Club, S1-6	A Murray & S Kenny	lunchtime
Friday	Table tennis, S1-3	S Kenny	registration
	Common Room, S1-3	S Kenny	lunchtime
	Common Room, S4-6	S Cochrane/ M McBryan	lunchtime

### Break time food options

At our last meeting we also discussed the food options available to pupils at break times. Fiona, catering team leader, has kindly agreed to make a limited selection of snacks available to pupils during this time. This will initially be on a trial period and will begin **Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November**. Choices available are listed below.

Fruit	26p
Water	40p
Milk	25p
Toast (per slice)	20p

**\*\*If you wish to buy a break time snack please make sure you have money available\*\***

### Food bank collection

Last year, between ourselves and the Rights Respecting Schools group, we started arranging food bank collections, with a view to making these more of a regular thing. Thank you to everyone who donated. We will be running another collection before Christmas and all donations are greatly appreciated, however, the Kirkintilloch Food Bank has also welcomed donations of men's toiletries and Christmas gifts. We will be accepting donations from Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November until Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December.

**Merry Christmas from all at the Pupil Council! :)**