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Summer afternoon of Music



Many thanks to all the amazing performers this week. The Strings, The Samba Band, The Choir and The Brass and Woodwind Band. All led by our brilliant teachers and instructors. Ms Hawkins, Mr and Mrs Barker, Mr Horvath, Ms Hill and Mrs Findlay.



Wednesday – new classes

The majority of Wednesday this week was spent in the new classes with new teachers. This was a great success. P6/7 took part in an amazing development workshop. First week in August all the new P6 and P7 classes will also have this workshop. Many thanks to EYT for this important work.

Spring Fair

Thank you to everyone involved in the Summer Fair - we raised £1040! This money will go towards resources and experiences for every child at Towerbank.

The fair wouldn't have happened without everyone who donated, volunteered, organised, baked, set up and cleared away - thank you to you all. Thank you to all the school staff who helped us organise and run the fair on the day and a big thanks to everyone who attended the fair - even the dreich weather couldn't keep you away



Towerbank Parents Group

Help needed:

- **Fundraising Raffle:** The Raffle has raised nearly £2,000 each year so it's a great contribution to the overall fundraising effort, but without new volunteers it can't carry on. The more people who get involved, the less everyone has to do! If you think you could help, email Jo to hear more jospencely@hotmail.com
- **2019/20 P5 football:** We hope to set up a P5 football team for the school year 2019-2020 and need parent volunteers. Previous experience football / coaching would be desirable but is by no means essential. If you are interested please email admin@towerbank.edin.sch.uk and your details will be sent to the current coaches.
- **Playspace lead needed:** There is a core group of people who currently do various bits of work in the playground and wildlife garden who will continue to volunteer their time and energy, but a new lead is needed. Please email jurcouf@hotmail.com to hear more.

Dates for your diary:

- **Wednesday 28th August:** Fundraising meeting
- **Thursday 12th September:** TPG AGM 6.30 in the school.

Keep up to date with all TPG meetings and dates by checking out the new TPG website:

<https://towerbankparentgroup.wordpress.com/events-get-involved/events/>

If you need volunteers or have key dates you would like included in the TPG's weekly update, please email Alisonapayne@gmail.com



Benjamin in P2 goes to Zoom Animation and Art Club at Summerhall where they made environmental posters. Ben was very proud that his poster was chosen by Summerhall Cafe to advertise their new environmentally friendly cups online!

On Saturday 8.6.19, Sofia (P1) took part in Leith Gala day with her family. She marched in the parade with the 'Unsung Heros' project, celebrating women of Leith and the surrounding areas, past and present. Even although it rained heavily, she had a great time dressing up for the 'Sea' theme and being part of the parade, and she even carried the banner for some of the walk.



Anna Melvin (6) and Mairi Melvin (4) obtained their brown belts at the latest grading competition of the Meadowbank Karate Group. Well done.

Yolanna Macdonald-Scott from P3 finished her viking home work and has been delighted to share it with her class and others.

