

Whole School

Sponge a Teacher, in aid of Cancer Research UK – Taking place on **Wednesday 19 March** outside the first astro, NPA Business and Marketing will be hosting sponge a teacher, the quickest and the smartest will get the chance to soak their favourite (or least favourite) teacher in a head-to-head blazing quiz themed around their subject. The loser gets soaked! All proceeds will be in aid of Cancer Research UK.

Lacrosse returns! – Lacrosse will return on Fridays, 1-2pm, from **Friday 14th March** in the Games Hall

Darts Competition – Any pupil who would like to take part in the first-ever Madras College pupil darts championship should give their name to Mr Trewartha or Mr Matheson ASAP. Games will be played on Monday lunchtimes at the weekly darts club over the next few weeks.

NEF Youth Work Consultation – CLD are running a Youth Work survey open to all young people in NE Fife, looking for feedback on youth work opportunities for young people in the area [Have your say here!](#)

School Nursing Health Hub – The NHS Fife School Nursing Team will be in school every Tuesday, in G016 (next to Mr Currie's office), from 2pm-4pm. Just complete a referral form and post outside the school office.

Armed Forces Families - On Monday 10 March Forces Children Scotland will be in Madras to deliver an assembly to all young people whose parents/carers are members of the armed forces or are veterans. All young people in this position should report to the assembly hall at 12.30pm on Monday 10 March.

Dress Down Day & Delivery Day - S2 Enterprise & IT class are arranging a Dress Down Day and Delivery Day on Wednesday 26th March 2025. To get involved, wear non uniform and donate what you can in your registration class with all donations going towards Cancer Research UK. The delivery day will consist of paying a pound to give one of your friends a nice note and an easter treat, to send a delivery please come to S015 during lunch from week beginning the 17th March.

Parents / Carers

Parents Portal – Provides easy access to a range of online services including our Annual Data Check, timetables, attendance and school reports. Please make sure you've signed up.

iPayimpact, Fusion App and Online ordering – iPayimpact is a secure way to pay for school meals. The Fusion Mobile app links to the iPayimpact account, allowing food pre-orders and balance checking.

Raising Funds – Raise funds, for school, "easy-fundraising" when shopping online: [further info here](#)

SDS Parent Voice Survey – SDS (Skills Development Scotland) want to gather views of their services from Parents / Carers. Please take a moment to share your views [SDS Parent Voice Survey](#)

Late Bus Service

Stagecoach are trialling a new commercial extra curricular bus service, serving Guardbridge – Leuchars – Tayport – Newport – Wormit areas, until 4th July 2025. Pupils should use their NEC / Young Scot Card (with free bus travel enabled) or pay to use the service. Times from school (Bus Stance 1) are as follows: **Fridays - 14.10; Mon / Wed - 16.00; Tues / Thurs - 17.00**

Assemblies this week

S1 – Registration, Monday

S2 – Registration, Tuesday

S3 – Registration, Wednesday

S4 – Registration, Thursday

S4 / S5 / S6

Scholar Parent and Carer Information – There is a new leaflet, for Parents and Carers, to highlight Scholar's comprehensive curriculum coverage and explains how it can make a real difference to senior phase learners, as they work towards SQA exams [Scholar Parent/Carer Info](#)

SQA Your National Qualifications – The SQA have published the Your National Qualifications guide for 2024 online. You can view or download this here - [SQA Your National Qualifications Information](#), from the SQA, is also available on completing your coursework - [Your coursework – SQA](#)

SQA Exam Diet 2025 – Exams begin on **Friday 25th April** (earlier than originally published) and finish on Fri 30th May. The link below has scheduling and study planning apps, candidates can utilise, as well as the full exam timetable - [Exam timetable and learner apps - SQA](#)

Study Support

SQA Exam timetable and Learner Apps – [Exam timetable and learner apps – SQA](#)

Full Study Support schedule – <https://www.madras.fife.sch.uk/Study-Support/>

Maths Supported Study – [Supported Study Poster 2024-25.pdf \(madras.fife.sch.uk\)](#)

Dates for your diary

Fife Council school holidays, term and closure dates – [School Holidays, Term, and Closure Dates](#)

Young Enterprise



Our school has put forwards a team in this year's Young Enterprise competition. They have come up with a new card game, which has been thoroughly tested by all age groups and is fully FSC and UKCA certified. The more sales made, the better our school does in the competition. For more information, visit www.untamedcardworks.co.uk. If you are interested in looking into purchasing a pack (currently £11.99, card payments accepted), please contact any of the students listed on the site or send an email to untamedcardworks@gmail.com.