



SAFEGUARDING TEAM: Mrs Cochrane, Mrs Downey, Miss Tannahill, Mr T McMullan, Mrs C McAvoy

GARRYDUFF NEWS



All clubs finish at 3.50pm apart from football and Grafters which finishes at 4pm

Website: www.garryduffps.com

12th May 2023

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES - TERM 3

Mon 15th -P3-7 Golf (*£2.50/wk) FINISH AT 3.50

P6-Grafters FINISH AT 4

Tues 16th -P4-7 Football (*£2.50/wk)FINISH AT 4

Thurs 18th-P6-Grafters FINISH AT 4

SCHOOL FACEBOOK PAGE

If you haven't yet returned your GDPR reply slip regarding our new facebook page could you please return it on Monday. Remember we need the form whether you wish your child's image to displayed on the page or not. Thank you!

SPONSORED WALK WEEK

Family Sponsorship forms were sent home last week. Please help to raise funds for our PTA. This money is used, in its entirety, to provide experiences and opportunities for your children in school. Now, more than ever, we need the support and funding of our PTA to be able to not only provide extras for school but to provide some of the essentials! The children will all be completing the sponsored walk during school each day for a week from 22nd-26th May.

TERM 3 MONEY

SWIMMING-Children have all been given an individual note of what they owe for term 3. If you pay weekly no note was sent.

MILK-Milk for term 3 costs £10.71

Cheques made payable to GARRYDUFF PS

SCHOOL FUND-£7/pupil/term. **Please use the gift aid envelopes sent home**, if you can. Look for them in school bags!

P6/7 RESIDENTIAL TRIP

We all returned safely last night at 11pm! We had 3 action packed days. The children visited Dalscone Farm Park, Flamingoland, Alpamare Water Park, Beamish outdoor museum and Gretna Outlet Centre. We also got a very special invitation on our boat journey home - the children were invited to "the bridge" on the ship to meet the captain and have a go at steering the ship home to Larne! A very special treat to end our 3 days away.

We got complimented everywhere we went about how well behaved and mannerly the children were. They were all a delight to take away and P6 are looking forward to our adventures next year already!!

There are LOTS of photos on the school website - have a look at what we got up to!

SCHOOL FACEBOOK PAGE

GDPR permission notes regarding our new school facebook page were sent home this week. Please complete and return these as soon as possible, whether you give permission or not for your child's photo to be displayed on our page. We need these forms before we can display any pictures of the children.

CLOTHING BANK

Remember if you are having a clear out before the summer - use the clothing bank. This is a very easy way to support school financially.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

10-12/5 P6/7 Residential trip
11/5 P3 & P6/7 class outing-Portbalintrae
22-26/5 Sponsored Walk week in school
29-30/5 **MAY DAY HOLIDAYS**
31/5 Girls Football Matches-Joey Dunlop
1/6 Volleyball Competition (all day)
9/6 **SPORTS DAY**

DATE FOR THE DIARY

PTA BBQ & FUN NIGHT- PORTSTEWART STRAND - THURS 15th June; 6.30pm onwards. Put the date in your diary and why not invite family and friends to come along and join us in our end of year PTA BBQ and Fun Night.
It's always a great night!