



GARRYDUFF NEWS



All clubs finish at 3.50pm apart from football (4pm) and Grafters (4pm)

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15th March 2024

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Tues 18th P4-7 FOOTBALL (£3)

Wed 19th P4-7 SU

Piano lessons

Thurs 20th P6 GRAFTERS (4pm finish)

We will be offering HOP Club Tues-Thurs 1.50pm-4pm; £3/hr.

ST PATRICK'S HOLIDAY - School will be CLOSED ON MONDAY 18TH MARCH and re-open on Tuesday 19th March.

END OF TERM 2-School closes for ALL children on FRIDAY 22nd March at 12 noon. (no lunch)
School re-opens on Mon 8th April.

COLERAINE FESTIVAL (SPEECH)

ALL pupils who have entered the festival for speech are bringing home their poems today. Please help your child to learn this off by heart and encourage them to use my guidance for facial and vocal expression. It is much easier if the children add the expression from the start!

PAYMENTS - instrumental tuition payment for this term is due by Thurs 21st march.
Residential trip-final payment due by Thurs 21st March.

P6/7 GIRLS' FOOTBALL FINAL

We have just had the competition on Wednesday of next week confirmed as other groups have only played their matches this week. Girls playing in the match will be sent a separate seesaw message. Kick off is 1.30pm in Coleraine.

BUN SALE AND NON-UNIFORM FOR CHILDREN'S HOSPICE

Our school council are organising a BUN SALE on THURSDAY 21st March at break time and then on FRIDAY 22ND MARCH they have organised a non-uniform day and are asking children to donate £1 which will go to the Children's Hospice. Buns will include mars bar krispies, top hats, cookies - all with an Easter theme! They will cost between 20p and 50p each.

SWIMMING

P6/7 will end their swimming block on Tuesday coming(19th March). After Easter P5 and P7 will go swimming until the end of the year (11 wks)

AFTER SCHOOL-TERM 3

We're hoping to hold an art club on a wed afternoon and have 5 weeks of golf on a Thurs. Sport with Keri and Football with Davy will continue on Mon and Tues afternoons.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

- 18/3/24 SCHOOL CLOSURE-ST PATRICK'S DAY
- 20/3/24 Girls Football Finals (Rugby Avenue)
- 22/3/24 END OF TERM - SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 12 NOON FOR ALL , NO LUNCH.
- 14/4/24 Bookfair arrives in school (buy 2 get one free offer on book sales)
- 24/4-3/5 Coleraine Festival (Speech)
- 1-3/5 P6/7 Residential Trip
- 6/5 + 27/5 MAY DAY HOLIDAYS 😊



PTA FIRESIDE QUIZ SHEETS

We have had lots of quiz sheets returned already and that is great. If you still have some to return the closing date for their return is WEDNESDAY 20TH MARCH. Please send any money for quiz sheets into school before the Easter break. Thanks to everyone who has sold or bought sheets. It is much appreciated by our PTA!