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# GARRYDUFF NEWS



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5<sup>th</sup> February 2026

**ASSEMBLY:** Alice McAlary (Church of Ireland)

## AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

**MON 16/2** - P1/2-LEGO(1.50-2.50pm)\*£5/wk

P3-7 MINECRAFT (2.50-3.50pm)£5/wk

**TUES 17<sup>th</sup>** HOP CLUB ONLY

**WED 18<sup>th</sup>** SU (Rev D Park) no charge

Piano lessons with Hazel

**THURS 19<sup>th</sup>** Football (£3/wk) Nigel

## 😊 HALF TERM HOLIDAY 😊

School closes tomorrow at normal home time of 1.50pm for ALL pupils.

School is **closed from 9<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> Feb** for half term holidays. We look forward to welcoming everyone **back to school on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> Feb.**

**Enjoy the half term break with your families and friends.**

## DVD OF A HINT OF SNOW WHITE

DVDs of the show are available to purchase on parent pay. They will cost £3 each and will be available after half term.

A big thank you to Stanley Lee for so kindly recording the performances for us.

## EXTRA MINECRAFT WEEK

We are going to offer an additional Minecraft session on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March to compensate for last Monday. No money needs to be paid for this additional week.

## THANK YOU ALL

Our PTA would like to pass on a message of thanks to all who supported our Big Breakfast last SATURDAY MORNING. Those who helped out in any way - setting up, serving, clearing, cooking, coming along. It was all very much appreciated and we were delighted to raise an AMAZING £2534.16

## **\*\*P7 POST PRIMARY APPLICATIONS\*\***

Reminder that the application process for a place in year 8  **closes on 19<sup>th</sup> Feb** - Please ensure you made your on-line applications before then.

## DATES FOR THE DIARY

9-13/2 HALF TERM HOLIDAYS

16-20/2 Internet Safety Week

17-24/2 Coleraine Music Festival

4-13/3 Coleraine Speech Festival

4/3 Crown Jesus visit to school

5/3 World Book Day

9-13/3 Parent/Teacher Meetings - P2-7

17/3 ST PATRICK'S DAY HOLIDAY

30/3-10/4 EASTER HOLIDAYS

15/4 Book Fair in school

22-24/4 P6/7 Residential Trip Share Village

2/5 Tesco Door Collection (PTA Fundraising)

15/5 P6/7 Love for Life Workshops

## P1-3 SINGING AT THE FESTIVAL

**ALL P1-3 pupils** are taking part in our infant choir at Coleraine festival on **Tues 17<sup>th</sup> Feb at 11am.** Children will be transported to and from the festival by bus for the choir class but you are welcome to come along and watch the children performing on the day in St Patrick's Church in COLERAINE.

## ADVANCE NOTICE-WORLD BOOK DAY

We will be celebrating World Book Day in school on Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> March. Children can come to school dressed as a character from their favourite book, if they wish to.