



'Being the best that we can be'

Friday Note

Friday 21 June

No.28

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Looking back...

PTA Summer Fair

It may have been a little bit colder than our usual weather for the summer fair, but that didn't dampen our spirits last Thursday. We had a great crowd and lots of fun and laughter as well. The total raised on the night was around £3800, however expenses still must come out of this amount. This is a fantastic amount to raise. Thank you so much for supporting this event. Thank you to the PTA members and other parents who helped manage a stall or count the money afterwards. The team effort was great!

P7 Leavers

Today we say goodbye to 52 Primary 7 pupils with our annual Leavers' Mass and Prizegiving ceremony. We would like to thank our Primary 7 pupils for being wonderful ambassadors for our school and we wish them all the very best of luck as they make the transition to their new schools in September.

Looking ahead...

Classes for September 2019

Below you will find details of the classes for next year. As you can see, one of the classes has still to be appointed. The Board of Governors approved this appointment and it will be appointed over the summer months. We will let the parents in that class know when the appointment process is completed before September 2019.

I am delighted to be returning to the classroom in September as well. This is dependent on the successful appointment of a new Principal over the summer months as well. Again, we will keep in touch with the details over the summer months.

Class List for September 2019

Class in 2018/2019	Going to	Class in 2019/2020
P1 Mrs McManus		P2 Miss McAnerney
P1 Miss Hearty		P2 Mrs Crilly (Mrs Twene every Thursday)
P2 Miss McAnerney		P3 Mrs Gould
P2 Mrs Twene		P3 Miss Clarke
P3 Miss Clarke		P4 Mrs Connolly
P3 Mrs Gould		P4 Mrs Hanna
P4 Mrs Connolly		P5 Ms Kitt
P4 Mrs Hanna		To be appointed
P5 Ms Kitt		P6 Mrs Gartland
P5 Mr Reid		P6 Mrs Fleming
P6 Mrs Gartland		P7 Mrs McCambridge
P6 Mrs Gorman		P7 Mrs O'Hare



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Stationery Lists for September

As you know, our school budget is under pressure as many other schools. As part of our measures to reduce our budget deficit situation here in school, we would appreciate if all children were able to have the following stationery items when they return to school in September. Thanking you in advance.

P1 – P4

- HB Pencils
- Erasers
- Twistables
- Pritt sticks
- Whiteboard markers
- 2 x A4 plastic zip folder
- Pencil case
- 30cm ruler (P3 & P4)
- Sharpener

P5 – P7

- HB Pencils
- Erasers
- Twistables
- Pritt sticks
- Whiteboard markers
- 2 x A4 plastic zip folder
- Pencil case
- 30cm ruler
- 360-degree protractor (P7 only)
- 1 compass (P7 only)

May Day Bank Holiday 2020 There have been recent media reports stating that the Bank Holiday that normally falls on the first Monday in May 2020 (4 May), is to be moved back to Friday 8 May, to coincide with the 75th Anniversary of VE Day. The Education Authority is currently in the process of seeking formal confirmation that this change will also apply to Northern Ireland; once this has been established we will be informed of the decision and will pass on the information to you as soon as possible. We currently have another School Development Day attached onto that bank holiday, so this may need to change as well. We will keep you posted.

Good luck

Orlaigh Walker and Dylan O'Hare have been selected for the National Schools Outdoor Athletics competition on Friday evening at Mary Peter's track. Orlaigh and Dylan finished in the top 4 at recent primary school events and will compete tonight to try to gain a place in the international squad.

Schoolmoney

We would like to ensure that all owed money is paid through schoolmoney by Thursday 27 June. This will allow Julie in the office to close all records. We are currently sending payment reminders. If you receive a reminder we would appreciate it if you paid it as soon as possible. Thank you.

What's happening next week?

Early Pick-Up Arrangements for Friday 28 June

11.30am

Pall P1 – P3 pupils are picked up at 11.30am at their usual pick-up points. P4 – P7 with younger siblings go with them to the usual pick up point for P1 – P3 children.

11.55am Remainder of P4 – P7 children will go to their normal pick up point at 11:55. We are staggering pick up times to facilitate the safe collection of the children and to reduce the traffic at the top of the lane and back car park.

Monday 24 June	Tuesday 25 June	Wednesday 26 June	Thursday 27 June	Friday 28 June
Transition meetings between teachers	Transition meetings between teachers		Pupils go to see their new classroom and meet their new teacher	School closes for summer holidays. See pick up arrangements above

Have a lovely weekend. Pauline



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