

Congratulations to all the Primary 7 pupils who were confirmed before Easter, well done to all involved as it was an excellent occasion. Maith sibh.

The boys and girls football teams have been taking part in the Cumann na Bunscoile competitions over the past couple of weeks. Both teams played very well and did the school proud. The boys' team have made it to the County final, which will take place next Wednesday, 1st May in the Athletic Grounds in Armagh at 11.00am. We will be playing Our Lady's PS, Tullysaran in the final. We hope to take all the Primary 5/6/7 pupils with us to the match on a bus and we would encourage as many parents to attend as possible and anyone who wishes to take their child who is in P1/2/3/4 to the match can do so.

We are entering into what is a very busy time of year at school with lots of trips and activities happening, we would ask parents to keep a good eye on the school app and website for information about upcoming events.

First Holy Communion will take place Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 11.00am in St Brigid's Church Glassdrummond.

Newry Swimming Pool will be closed for the remainder of the year and as such our scheduled swimming lessons will not be taking place. We will reimburse those children who have already paid for the lessons.

Primary 5 have been taking part in bush craft activities up in Glassdrummond Woods, this is an excellent opportunity for the boys and girls to make use of the woods and learn about the great outdoors.

We will run the school sport's day when we have a spell of good weather during the month of May or early June. More information to follow.

Please see attached copy of next year's school closures.

## **Important Dates:**

School closed for pupils 6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> May May Bank Holiday 27<sup>th</sup> May Last day for Primary 7- 21<sup>st</sup> June Last day of term 28<sup>th</sup> June, school finishes at 11.00am

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