

TOREAGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Child Protection/Safeguarding Team

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Thank you to everyone who attended parent interviews this week. We really appreciate you taking the time to come and see us.

Unfortunately, the handover of our new hall has been slightly delayed. We are hoping this will take place next Friday. Fingers crossed.

URGENT

Can you help us? At the minute we only have 2 volunteers to help us with our first Shared Education visit for P1-4 on Thursday 26th March. We need at least 4 more. Please let Mrs Wilson or Miss Morrow if you can help.

After School Activities (4 weeks)

Please bring in £4 to book your place. Places are limited to 18 children.

Those attending circuits should bring trainers and tracksuit bottoms.

Circuits P5 P6/7 with Miss Morrow	Board Games P4/5 & P6/7 with Mrs Ellison
Monday 9th March Monday 16th March	Thursday 12th March Thursday 19th March
Monday 20th April Monday 27th April	Thursday 23rd April Thursday 30th April

Tuesday 17th March 2026

There will be no free school meals available on this date, therefore children should bring a packed lunch to school.

Diary Dates

Friday 13th March

Mother's Day Sale

Monday 16th –

Friday 20th March

Look After Yourself Week

Tuesday 17th March

The Lyric Theatre will be visiting school.

Wednesday 18th March

PSNI Internet Safety P6 and 7

Thursday 19th March

Firemen will be visiting P5

Swimming Gala in Larne Leisure Centre, children involved have been given details.

Tuesday 24 th March	Max Coding will be visiting school.
Wednesday 25 th March	Sponsor Day – Sponsored Dance-A-Thon (please note change of date).
Thursday 26 th March	P1 – P4 Shared Education trip to HoneyBees, Ballymena – further details will follow. We need some parents to help out on this trip. Access NI must be completed. Please let Mrs Wilson know if you can help.
Monday 1 st April	School will close at 12 noon for Easter Holiday
Tuesday 2 nd April – Tuesday 14 th April	Easter Holidays (inclusive)
Friday 24 th April	P1 – P4 Shared Education. Children will be travelling to St John’s Primary School, Carnlough. Details will follow.

Administration

From time to time, people’s contact details change, including mobile telephone numbers and address. Please inform the school office in writing or by email of any changes that might affect our correspondence with you.

Entrance Gate & Parking

The safety of all our children is important to us. Take care when dropping off and picking up your child. **Please make anyone, who is leaving off or picking up your child, aware that they should not turn at the school gate.**

Please do not block the entrance by parking at the gate, this entrance should be clear at all times. None of us want an accident to happen.

Also, make the children aware as they walk along the pavement that they should **stop and look before walking past the school gate** as cars may be entering or leaving the school grounds.



Friends of Toreagh

Thank you to all those who attended the meeting on Wednesday. We have some exciting plans in the pipeline!

Friday 13th March will be our annual **Mothers' Day Sale** where the children can bring in money and buy a present. In order for this sale to go ahead, we need donations of unwanted gifts which are new and suitable for resale and gift wrap or bags. Please send in all donations by Thursday 12th March.

We also need volunteers to run the stall on the Friday morning and set up the stall on Thursday afternoon. Please let Mrs Ellison know if you can help.

This was always a popular event in the past. The children bring in £1, £2 or £3 and are then able to go to the 'shop' and pick a present for their mum or special person.

We would love to have a **school disco** for the children in our lovely new hall! For this to be a possibility we desperately need more parents to complete their Access NI. Enhanced Check. Please see Mrs Wilson if you are able to help or regarding your Access NI.

AccessNI Enhanced Check Applicant Guidance – Volunteers

Please note, your application cannot be processed until all the following have been completed:

Step 1: Completion of the Enhanced Disclosure Check (Access NI) application through NIDirect: [Apply online for an enhanced check through a registered body | nidirect](#) (Pin Code: 424645)

Step 2: Completion of the EA Access NI Pin Notification and Right to Work Application Form: [ACCESS NI PIN NOTIFICATION FORM \(Volunteer\)](#)

Please contact the EA AccessNI team at accessni@eani.org.uk / 028 9047 0555 (option 2) with any queries regarding your application.

Tesco's Stronger Starts fund

Please remember to keep voting for Toreagh as you shop.

You can vote for our project at Tesco Express in Larne or in the main store in Carrickfergus until 31st March 2026.

C L Morrow
Principal

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