



April 2025 Parents' Newsletter

School finishes on Friday 11th April and returns on Monday 28th April 2025.

Nursery Enrolment 2025/26

Parents will be able to access whether they have been accepted into Ballysillan Nursery on Wednesday 9th April, via the email given at application.

Primary One Enrolment 2025/26

Parents will be able to access whether they have been accepted into Ballysillan Primary on Wednesday 9th April, via the email given at application.

We look forward to welcoming these pupils next year.

Spring Musical – Aladdin

Aladdin will be performed on **Wednesday 9th April** during the day and the evening.

Day time performance will be from **10.30am-11.30am** and parents can pay **£3 at the door.**

Evening performance will be from **5.30pm-6.30pm** and tickets are on sale via our School Comms App. Once parents pay their money on the app we will send home tickets with your child. Tickets are priced at **£5.**

The App lists the order of payment so staff will configure seating based on a first come, first served basis. Ticket sale will close on **Tuesday 8th April at 2pm.**

*Please note: All children from P4-P7 who are not acting in the Spring Musical will be singing in the choir on Wednesday 9th April 2025. Please ensure your child practises the songs from the movie Aladdin at home in addition to our practices in school. The children in the choir will be required to wear a **black t-shirt and black trousers/leggings with black shoes.***

P4-7 Early Finishing Time = Wednesday 9th April

There will be a 'Grab 'N Go' lunch for all pupils in P4-7 who are free school meals or have paid for a school dinner.

All children in **P4-7** will be dismissed on **Wednesday 9th April at 12:30pm.** This is so they can get home to get some rest before returning to school that evening. Please see times for return to school below: -

- CAST, DANCERS & STAGE CREW = 4:30pm
- CHOIR = 5pm

P1-3 Shared Education Trips - W5

P1 and P2's Share Education trip to W5 with St. Columban's will be Wednesday 2nd April.

P3's Share Education trip to W5 with St. Columban's will be Wednesday 9th April.

Dinner Money Payment

Reminder - Payment and booking of a school dinner, whether you are paying for a school dinner for your child, or your child is entitled to a Free School Meal, **MUST** be booked on the School Comms App. Bookings for dinner on the first day back after Easter, Monday 28th April, is now open. Dinners can be booked up until midnight the night before. Breakfast Club can be booked in advance or each morning, but spaces are limited and therefore if your booking doesn't go through, it means our Breakfast Club is booked up for that day.

P7 Residential

Our P7 Residential returns to Ardaluin House this year! Our P6/7 pupils will be leaving school the morning of Monday 28th April and spending two nights in Ardaluin and will return to school on Wednesday 30th April. Final payments must be paid **Friday 4th April 2025**. If you have any queries about the school residential, please speak to Mrs Chambers via Seesaw.

Easter Holidays

School finishes on **Friday 11th April** at **11:30am** for all classes; Nursery to P7. This is a non-uniform day, and pupils may bring in

a treat to have with their classmates. Please provide water bottles as normal.

School resumes on **Monday 28th April** at 8:50am. Breakfast Club will also resume from 8:10am.

Contact

Just a reminder that if parents have any questions or queries, please call the school secretary, message via Seesaw or email the school info account. Alternatively, if you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me directly: cdavidson197@c2kni.net

