



## Christmas Events

### Tuesday 10th December

**Celebrating 60 Years Concert** (P4-P7) at 7.30pm. Tickets available from the Strule Arts Centre Box Office

**SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 12.30pm Tuesday 10th December for this performance**

### Tuesday 17th and Wednesday 18th December

Junior Christmas Performance (P1-P3) Tuesday at 1.45pm and Wednesday at 10.00am **Admission at door £2.50**

### Friday 13th December

Nursery Christmas Celebration 11.00am-12.30pm

**School closes end of term at 12.30pm**

**(Friday 20th December)**

## Shoe Box Appeal

Many thanks to all who contributed to this worthy appeal. The shoeboxes left Northern Ireland on Saturday for Serbia.

## Christmas Craft Fair

Congratulations to the school's P.T.F.A. on their recent very successful Christmas Craft Fayre. Once again there was a wide range of wares on sale and Santa was as popular as ever with the children. All credit to the PTFA for their good works. Photographs taken on the night with Santa will be coming shortly.

## Christmas Dinner

The children's Christmas Dinner will take place on **Wednesday 11th December**. If your child wishes to take a school dinner please send in **£2.60** to your child's teacher, in a named envelope, by **Friday 6th December**. Thank you.

## Year 1-3 Christmas Performances

This year the Junior Christmas Performance (P1-P3) "Everyone Loves the Baby" takes place in the School Assembly Hall on **Tuesday 17th at 1.45pm and Wednesday 18th December at 10.00am**. **Admission £2.50 payable at the door**. There will also be a raffle. Tickets cost **£1.00 per strip or £5.00 for 6 strips**.

## Year 4-6 Christmas

At our **Celebrating 60 Years Concert on Tuesday 10th December** Year 4-7 and guests will host a variety performance. On Level 3 in the Gallery there will a display of photographs of Omagh County PS through the decades from 6.30pm-7.30pm. Light refreshments are available pre-concert for adults. **Tickets can be purchased from the Strule Arts Centre. Adults £7.50, Children £2.50** Family Tickets also available for **£15.00**.

## School Choir

This year the **Junior and Senior Choir and Room 8** will be singing at a number of venues over the festive period. These include:

- **Yr 6 Senior Choir**  
**Wednesday 4th December**  
the Coffee Stop at First Omagh Church Hall
- **Sunday 8th December at 7.30 pm** in Cappagh Parish Church for an Evening of Christmas Cheer
- **Tuesday 17th Room 8**  
Harold Macauley Nursing Home
- **Wednesday 18th Junior Choir**  
Harold Macauley Nursing Home
- **Thursday 19th Junior Choir**  
Granard Nursing Home



## December 2019

## Christmas Door Wreath Workshop

Our Christmas Door Wreath Workshop, with Mrs Patricia Smyth is on **Tuesday 3rd December at 7.00pm**. The cost is **£15.00**.

Enjoy a festive evening of mulled wine and mince pies.

**Proceeds in aid of Parkinson's Disease.**

## Rhyme Time

Parents and toddlers, don't forget Rhyme Time, **Thursday 19th December at 2.15pm**

This is our last Rhyme Time of 2019 and we would love to see you all there.



## PTFA Calendar and Fireside Quiz

The PTFA have produced a calendar to commemorate our sixtieth anniversary. More information will be going home shortly.

Can we please also remind parents that the Fireside Quiz sheets must be returned to school by **Friday 16th December**.

## School Closures

Please note that school will close early **Tuesday 10th December at 12.30pm**.

**School term finishes on Friday 20th December at 12.30pm.**

**Happy Christmas Everyone!**

The new term starts on **Monday 6th January 2020.**







Christmas is coming...  
Important dates for your diary

- 3 Dec. Little Artists
- 3 Dec. Be Fit for Fun 2pm
- 3 Dec. Christmas Wreath Workshop 7pm
- 4 Dec. Yr 2 Shared Education Trip
- 4 Dec. Yr 6 Choir Trip to Coffee Stop
- 5 Dec. Open Evening 4.30-6.30pm
- 5 Dec. Yr 7 Taster Day OHS
- 5 Dec. Yr 4 Shared Education Trip
- 8 Dec. Senior Choir Cappagh Parish Church
- 9 Dec. Nursery Christmas Dinner
- 10 Dec. **HALF DAY**  
Yr 4-7 Celebrating Sixty Years in Strule Arts Centre 7.30pm
- 11 Dec. School Christmas Dinner
- 11 Dec. EY1 Trip to An Creggan
- 12 Dec. **ELECTION SCHOOL CLOSED**
- 13 Dec. Nursery Christmas Celebration
- 13 Dec. EY2 Trip to An Creggan
- 13 Dec. Yr 7 Taster Day OHS
- 17 Dec. Junior Christmas Performance 1.45pm
- 17 Dec. Rm 8 Macauley House visit
- 18 Dec. Junior Christmas Performance 10.00am
- 18 Dec. Junior Choir Macauley House
- 19 Dec. Rm 2, 3 and 4 Ice Age Movie in Strule Arts Centre
- 19 Dec. Rhyme Time
- 19 Dec. Junior Choir Granard Nursing Home
- 19 Dec. Yr 4-7 Movie Morning

## Book Fair

The children were excited with the range of reading material available at the Book Fair. A big thank you to everyone who bought books because as a school we receive commission on every purchase. Funds raised this year amounted to £1179.00 which will go towards books for our classrooms and Library. Thank you all very much.



## Omagh County Primary School & Nursery OPEN EVENING

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup>  
December  
4.30 – 6.30pm

Principal's  
Address  
4.45pm

Breakfast Club and After-School  
Club Available  
8am – 5.30pm

Want to see us in action?  
Join us for...

**Rhyme Time**  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December  
1.30pm

Tour of the school followed by 'Festive Rhyme Time'



For children  
starting Nursery or  
Year 1 Sep 2020

## Nursery and Year 1 Applications

Nursery and Year 1 applications are going on-line this year. These can be accessed on the EA website on 7th January 2020 until noon 30th January 2020.

Admissions criteria will be published online from 19th December 2019. Paper copies of admissions criteria will be available from the school office. Any information from the EA will be made available on the school website. The school will be running an **Admissions Café on Thursday 16th January 2020**. Parents may use the computer suite to apply and print off their confirmation and avail of support from school staff who will be on hand.

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## Tickets Selling Fast

**Merry Christmas**  
& **HAPPY NEW YEAR**