

Annalong Primary Matters

April-June 2025

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

As we move towards the end of the Spring Term, I would like to inform you about some key events that will take place in the Summer Term. I hope you have an enjoyable Easter break.

P Chambers

Term Dates

Return to school - Monday 28th April
Bank Holidays and School Development Days
- Monday 5th May
- Monday 26th May-Tuesday 27th May
Term Ends on Friday 27th June at 12 noon

This year's full holiday list for 2024-2025 can be found on The Annalong PS App (Parent Area) and on the School Website.

The **2025-2026 Holiday List** is now also on the School Website and on the School App.

After-school Clubs

2-3 club will resume on Monday 28th April and will be available for all Primary 1, 2 and 3 pupils from Monday-Thursday each week at a cost of £2.50 per day.

Kickon Soccer will provide sessions for **Primary 3** pupils from 2pm-3pm. This will be at a cost of £2.50 per week or £10 for 4 weeks starting on Tuesday 29th April until Tuesday 20th May. This can be paid for as a Random Payment on the School App. Please add Kickon Soccer in Payment details.

Kickon Soccer sessions for **P4-7** pupils will also start from 3pm-4pm from Tuesday 29th April and finish on Tuesday 20th May. This will cost £2.50 per session or £10 for all 4 weeks. This can be paid for as a Random Payment on the School App. Please add Kickon Soccer in Payment details.

Table Tennis

An afterschool club will start on Wednesday 30th April and will continue each Wednesday until 21st May. This is open for **P4-7** pupils but is only available for 14 pupils. If you are interested in a place, I will take the first 14 people who email me on pchambers413@c2kni.net. If you have a place confirmed, then you can pay the £14 for the 4 sessions on the Random Payment Form. Add Table Tennis in the payment details.

Homework

Homework will resume on Monday 28th April for all classes.

Dates for the Summer Term

We have decided on quite a few dates for the Summer term as early as possible. These are provisional dates, and further information will be available closer to the time.

30th April – P6 Swimming commences

1st May – Cycling Proficiency Starts

5th May – School Closed

6th May – Family Group photos and P7 Leavers Photos

7th May – Computerised Assessments to start (P3-7)

19th May -23rd May – Last week of HW

23rd May – P4-7 Trip to Cultra

28th-30th May - P7 Greenhill Residential

29th May – P1 Trip to Fort Evergreen

6th June - Love for Life at St Colman's (am)

6th June - Sportsday 1.30pm

11th June – Dairy Council (P5)

13th June – P2 Trip Mount Panther

18th June – P3 Trip Seaforde Butterfly

20th June – Hockey Tournament 10am-12noon

24th June – Primary 7 Leavers Assembly – 10am

25th June Final Assembly – 1.30pm

27th June – School Finishes at 12 noon

All these dates are on the school calendar on the school website. If you click subscribe on your smart phone, these dates will be added to the

calendar on your phone. Further information will be given by the class teacher.

Please remember that we are a nut aware school. Products containing nuts or traces of nuts must not be brought to school.

Attendance

Please continue to provide a reason why your child is off using the Absence Form on the school app in the Parent Area.

If your child suffers from diarrhoea or vomiting, they should remain at home for 48 hours after their last bout of sickness.

Social Media

The school has a **Facebook page** to further promote the school in the local community. Messages on the Facebook page are not monitored. We are regularly updating our School Website so please look out for information and pictures of activities in your child's class at www.annalongps.com

The **Annalong Primary School App** is used to book activities, pay for school meals, communicate with parents and notify us of absences. **The App is our main form of communication with parents.**

Download the App from the App Store and use access code 11111 to log on for the first time. If you continue to have difficulties, then please contact the school. Please ensure you have notifications switched on for your child's class.

Queries/Concerns

Just to remind you that most day-to-day queries/concerns can be answered by the class teachers. If you need to see a teacher about a more serious issue, please make an appointment to see the teacher or Mr Chambers at an appropriate time.

Mr Chambers will be available after school on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and during school on Monday - Wednesday.

School Contact Details

Email: pchambers413@c2kni.net

Phone – 02843768336 or use the **Communication Form on the School App.**