Dates to Remember

Wednesday 2nd January 2019: P1 Admissions "Go Live" date.

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Tuesday 8th January 2019: School resumes for all pupils.

Thursday 10th January: P6/7 Visit to Downpatrick Library.

Friday 18th January: Mini's Music for P1, P2 and Killough Community Playgroup.

Tuesday 22nd January: PTFA Meeting. 3:15pm

Wednesday 23rd January: Sustrans "Safe Routes to School "workshop.

Sunday 27th January to Saturday 2nd February: Catholic Schools Week.

Tuesday 29th January: P5, 6&7 Trip to China Exhibition, Ulster University.

Wednesday 30th January: Grandparents Day.

Thursday 31st January: P6/7 Visit to Downpatrick Library.

: Midnight deadline for P1 applications.

Tuesday 5th March: Service of Light. 6:30pm St Patrick's Church, Legamaddy.

Saturday 18th May: First Holy Communion. 11:00am St Joseph's Church.

Tuesday 9th April: First Confessions. 1:15pm St Joseph's Church

Friday 12th April: Confirmation. 11:00am St Patrick's Church, Legamaddy.



St. Joseph's Newsletter

December 2018

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Welcome Back!

After all of the excitement and exertions of last term, I'm sure everybody enjoyed their Christmas Break. Now it is back to school and back to work!

The children will be getting stuck in to their new topics which I'm sure they will enjoy telling you all about. P1/2/3 are looking at Pirates, P4/5 are studying Space and P6/7 are learning all about our Eco System! If any parents and families feel they have anything they could contribute to our topic work, we would love to hear from you! Wishing you all a very Happy New Year!

Mrs F. Macfarlane (Principal)



Happy Birthday

A very Happy Birthday to Darragh Gamble, Ryan Dunlop, Maci McIlhone, Amylee Leonard and Caitlin Kearney whose birthdays were in December.

After School Clubs

Monday: 2-3pm & 3-4pm Cookery

Tuesday 203pm & 3-4pm ActiSport

Wednesday 2-3pm and 3-4pm Arts and Crafts

Thursday 2-3 pm Music, 3-4pm Mindfulness

Bonus Ball

Please ensure your Bonus Ball money is paid to Laura Murphy or the school office before the last Saturday of each month. Any winning squares not paid for forfeit their prize to the school PTFA fund.



Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club operates every day from 8:15 to 8:45am at a cost of 60p per day

This is great value with a wide range of cereals, toast, pancakes, bagels, muffins yoghurt and fruit on offer every day, bacon on a Wednesday and sausages on a Friday.

If your child is in school at this time, they will be registered and charged for Breakfast. Normal school hours begin from 8:45 am.











Please Note

The school office is only staffed from 8:30 to 12:30 each day. Parents should please try, whenever possible, to make all payments and address all administrative issues during these hours only, including lunch and afterschool arrangements for your child. We appreciate that this is not always possible and we will of course try to be available at other times but hope that you understand that this is not always possible without disrupting valuable teaching time.

Could we please ask all parents/carers dropping their children to school by car to please use the main car park. We would ask you to please refrain from parking at the top of the school and on the footpath leading to the school.

We appreciate your co-operation in this matter.

Remember, if you have any concerns you would like to raise with us, please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher via the school office and we will get back to you as soon as possible.