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Head Teacher's Message



Dear Parents,

We are looking forward to welcoming our new Primary 1 pupils this week for the first of our four transition stay and play days at the school. Primary 6 will have the very important role of being their buddies. Dates for our P1 transition events are as follows:

26th April, 3rd May, 24th May, 7th June

For the first three visits, the children have been allocated either to the morning (9.30am) or afternoon (1.30pm). The 7th June will be a longer session with all of the children. Mrs Crichton will be leading the transition programme.

Staff have completed the children's annual report cards and these will be issued soon. Please note that Parent/Teacher Consultations are scheduled for 23rd May.

We had a tremendous response to our recent Movie Night last week and I would like to thank parents and staff for helping to supervise this event.

A school improvement questionnaire will be with you shortly to support our self-evaluation. Your contribution to this process is extremely important and necessary to support our school's improvement.

Your sincerely

Mr Daniel Murray

Head Teacher

After School Clubs

This term, after school clubs will be running on the following days:

Club	Primary	Dates
Fit Start Club	Primary 3 & 4	Monday, Tuesday 7.55am
Fit Start Club	Primary 5, 6 & 7	Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 7.55am
Athletics	Primary 2	Monday's until 21 st May
Football	Primary 5, 6 & 7	Tuesday's until 19 th June
Cross Country	Primary 6	Tuesday (lunchtimes)
Netball	Primary 5, 6 & 7	Friday's until 22 nd June
Dance	Primary 3, 4 & 5	Wednesday's until 20 th June



World of Work Week Beginning 30th April 2018 - Developing the Young Workforce

We will be kicking off our World of Work week on the 30th April. Thank you to those of you that have volunteered to come along and speak to the children about your job. Miss Scholes and Miss Shields are leading this event and have organized visits for each class to local businesses. The children will also be learning about the World of Work with their classroom teacher as they reflect on different careers and the skills, qualifications and qualities required to fulfil the role. Keep an eye on Twitter for updates.



Family Learning – Big Cooks, Little Cooks Helen How, Community Learning and Development Worker has rescheduled the cooking event which will run Tuesday 24th April, Thursday 26th April, Tuesday 1st May and Thursday 3rd of May. There are two groups each day, one at 3pm to 4pm then 6pm to 7pm. This is a good opportunity to have some family fun. Please contact us at the school if you want some more information and to take part.



Primary 1 and Primary 1/2 Teddy Bear Picnic

We would like to everyone who came along to support the children's Teddy Bear's Picnic. The event was very successful and allowed the children the opportunity to showcase their learning. We raised £162.85 for St Andrew's hospice.

Easter Assembly

Primary 4 did a fantastic job leading our Easter Assembly recently. More pictures from the performance can be found on our Twitter page. Well done to our Choir and soloists for their fantastic contribution also.



Term 3 House Winners – Loch Morar

Well done to Loch Morar for winning Term 3's House Treat. The Captains have chosen an Art and Craft activity as their special event. Details to follow.



Parent Council News

We recently advised you of our intention to host a Psychic Night on 1st June. We have been taken aback by the response to this event and the tickets have already been sold out by advance order.

To avoid disappointment we have organised a second date for Friday the 8th June in the Lithuanian Club at 7.00pm. Tickets cost £7.00 and are available from the members of the Parent Council.

Relationships, Sexual Health and Wellbeing Info Event 30th April 2018

As part of the Health and Wellbeing Curricular area within Curriculum for Excellence your child will be learning about relationships, sexual health and parenthood.

Learning will be based on the following areas which are taught at second level (P.5-P.7)

- Friendships and relationships
- Puberty
- Menstruation and hygiene
- How does a baby start
- How a baby is born
- Families

Teaching and learning will include the Living and Growing video series and associated lessons. As in previous years this will be taught in gender specific groups.

You are invited to the school at 2.00pm on Monday 30th April to view the resources staff will be using in school (note: for parents who attended in previous years this is a repeat of the workshop).

Dates for Your Diary

Wednesday 25 th April	-	P3/4 visit to Barons Haugh
Monday 30 th April	-	RSHP Parent's workshop 2.00pm
Monday 30 th April	-	World of Work Week
Monday 14 th May	-	RSHP Week
Friday 1 st June	-	Parent Council Psychic Night
Friday 8 th June	-	Parent Council Psychic Night