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May Newsletter

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Testing

During this week 5th -8th May the children have been completing all standardised tests. Therefore we would ask that all children are present in school during this week where possible. These tests provide the teacher with the information needed for the end of year reports in Literacy and Numeracy.

Study Club

The primary 6 children will continue with study club on a Tuesday afternoon from 3-4pm. They are all working very hard.

After School Clubs

After School Club continues with Coach Enda on a Wednesday evening from 2-3pm for P1, 2 and 3 and from 3-4pm for P4,5,6 and 7. Children are asked to bring £2 per week. Everyone welcome!

Cycling Proficiency

The Primary 6 and 7 children have started their Cycling Proficiency with Mrs Ward. The children must have a bike suitable for them and a helmet. They will be taught a variety of manoeuvres to ensure safety when cycling on the road. The children will leave their bikes in school in preparation for the cycling test.

Book Fair

The Book Fair will be in school from Monday 11th May and will remain in the Hall all week. The Children will be brought by their teacher to have a look at what's on offer and can purchase there and then or if you would prefer to help them choose, it will be open after School from 2pm onwards.

This is an excellent opportunity to instil a love of reading in the children as everyone loves to open a brand new and develop their imagination.

Magic Show

All Children in KS2 (primary 5- 7) will travel to St Marys School in Carland on Thursday 14th May, to participate in a Magic Show; the show is fantastic and the children should have great fun. Children are asked to bring in £1 for this trip.

First Holy Communion

Our Primary 4 class will celebrate their First Holy Communion on Saturday 16th May at 11am in St. Brigid's Church, Brocagh. All choir members should be in their seats at 10.50am. The choir children should be collected outside the church at 12.10pm. The Communion children, their parents and families are invited back to the school for a cup of tea and a bun! We look forward to seeing you then.

Farm Safety

Donna McCullagh from the Health and Safety Executive for Northern Ireland will be visiting the school on Tuesday 19th May to give a presentation and show a DVD to promote their "Be aware kids" Child Safety on Farms Campaign.

Post Primary Letters

P7 children and their parents will be notified by letter on Saturday 23rd May as to which post primary school they will be attending in September. We sincerely hope every child gets in to their choice of school.

Bee Safe

The P6 and P7 children will attend the Bee Safe Event in Killyman Hall on Friday 29th May. Bee Safe is a multi-agency community safety initiative specially aimed at the primary 6/7 age group. This event aims to promote safety and develop community awareness, preparing pupils for the transition to secondary level education. The Bee Safe event is a great success; enjoyed by both teachers and pupils. This event is held annually for Primary School Children across the district; helping to reinforce important messages and improve the overall safety of children in our community.

Children are asked to bring in £1 for this event.

Active Schools Vouchers

We are collecting the Active Schools Vouchers which are issued by Sainsburys. Please send any vouchers which you collect in to school and don't forget to ask friends and neighbours.

Non Uniform Day:

On Thursday 21 May we will be having a Non Uniform Day. All proceeds will be going directly to support the [Leap for Luke charity](#) and [Naomh Colum Cille -Tour the Lough Cycle](#). We value your generosity and hope that you can donate to these causes.

Holidays:

The school will be closed on Friday 22nd May for Staff Training, Monday 25th and Tuesday 26th May.

Keep the Date!

- **Corpus Christi Procession in St. Patrick's Church, Clonoe on Sunday 14th June at 7pm for all First Holy Communion children.**
- **Our Primary 7 Leavers Mass will take place on Monday 22nd June at 11am. Fr McCallion will celebrate this important celebration.**

Kind regards,

Eileen Ward

Principal