











St. Joseph's Primary School
42 Castle Street
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# 'Being the best that we can be'

## **Friday Note**

### Friday 27th September 2019

No.5

# **Reporting to Parents**

P2 – P6 teachers will be reporting to parents during the week beginning Monday 21st October. School will close at 2pm every day to facilitate these meetings. There will be NO AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES that week. Homework club and Cool Kids club will remain unaffected. In order to ensure the safe pick up of pupils from the school during that week we will implement the following arrangements:

- All P1 P3 children with no siblings in P4- P6 must be picked up at 1.45pm at their normal pick up point
- P4 P7 pupils with siblings must be picked up at 2pm at their normal pick up points

# Charlie's Fundraiser for the Children's Cancer Unit Charity

Fintan and Cliodhna are running a charity fundraiser for the Children's Cancer unit on Saturday 16th November in St. Patrick's Parish Centre and would love your support. If you would like to run a stall or a craft workshop, please contact Maura 07879 867733 (stalls will cost £20). If you would like to donate any prizes for tombola or the ballot, please leave them into the school or the parish centre. This will be a lovely day for friends and family to get together for a great cause.

### **Mathletics**

Mathletics is now open and ready for use for all children P2 - P7. P1 children are currently being registered and teachers will be in touch when this is up and running. Children have been given their passwords and their courses have been set. As detailed at curriculum meetings, recommended time for children using Mathletics is 40 minutes per week. Please ensure that the children complete the practice questions (gold bars) before completing the test in each area. Reminder - children are only awarded certificates for completing the curriculum areas, not Live Mathletics. Gold certificates will be presented monthly at assembly as well as Mathlete of the month from each class.

## Class Assemblies 2019 - 2020

Please note there has been one change to the assemblies for the year. Mrs Kitt's P5 assembly will now take place on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October whilst Mrs Gorman's P5 class moves to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

The week ahead: Week beginning Monday 30th September.

Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 1st	Wednesday 2nd	Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Friday 4 <sup>th</sup>
After school activity	Clarinet tuition (8.30 –	Violin tuition	Flute tuition (8.30 –	P7 parent meetings
clubs continue – week 4	10.45am)		10.30am)	
		P7 parent meetings		Awards assembly with
P4 classes attending the	P1 curriculum meeting		Violin tuition	Mr Murray
Linen Museum 10.00 -	at 8.45am	P3 (Miss Clarke) and P6		
12noon		(Mrs Fleming)	P7 parent meetings	P7 badminton coaching
	P7 parent meetings	attending pottery		(10.30 – 11.30am &
		lessons in the Island	Awards assembly with	11.30 – 12.30pm)
	P5 and P6 basketball	Arts Centre.	Mr Murray	
	coaching			P5 swimming lessons
		P4 tennis coaching		
				GAA Fundmentals
		P5 tin whistle at 2.15pm		coaching (P2 1.00 –
		-		2.00 & P4 2.00 -
				3.00pm)









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