



Cool News

November 2024

Diary Dates

Harvest Assembly

Thank you to everyone who attended and supported our Harvest Assembly which all of the Year 1-7 pupils participated in. We would like to also say 'thank you' to Rev. Lecky who gave a word at the end.

We would also like to say 'thank you' for the contributions that were received for Omagh Food Bank. Once again your generosity was much appreciated.

Charity of the Year

Following presentations from our school council, our Yr 1-7 pupils voted and have selected Grovehill Animal Trust as our school charity of the year.

Drop-in Day

On Friday 29th November we are planning to hold a Drop-in Day. On this day, anybody interested in visiting and learning more about our school is invited to drop in to pay us a visit. Visitors may be prospective parents, current parents, governors or friends of our school.



To help with organisation current parents will be asked to book a time slot in advance of the day. This information will be shared at a later date on our online learning platforms—SeeSaw (Yr 1-4) and Class DoJo (Yr 5-7).

Open Days

Our Primary School Open Day will be held as part of our Drop-in Day on Friday 29th November while our Nursery Open Morning will be held on Friday 13th December, 10.45 a.m.—12.45 p.m.

Please help spread the word and invite prospective parents to visit our school.

5th Nov: School Photographer (No PE lessons)

11th Nov: Remembrance Assembly

12th Nov: Odd Socks Day

14th Nov: Cooley Caterpillars

11th - 14th Nov: Anti-Bullying Week

15th Nov: Yr 5 & 6 Shared Education Trip

29th Nov: Drop-in & Open Day

13th Dec: Nursery Open Morning

5th Dec: Nursery Christmas Performance

12th Dec: Cooley Caterpillars

16th Dec: Yr1-7 Trip to Pantomime

18th Dec: School Carol Service

20th Dec: School closes at 12 noon: No school dinners

23rd Dec - 3rd Jan: (inclusive): School Closed: Christmas holidays

9th Jan: Cooley Caterpillars

4th & 6th Feb: Parent Teacher Meetings: School closes @ 12.45

12th—14th Feb: (inclusive) School Closed: half-term

28th Feb: Anniversary Assembly

5th Mar: Anniversary Concert

All dates are subject to change.

ETi School Inspection

An ETi School Inspection team began a three day inspection of our school on Monday 30th September. This has proved to be a positive experience for our school and a written report will be published approximately 6 weeks from the date of the Inspection.

Contact Details

On occasions some information is shared with parents via email. Please keep school informed of any change in any contact details, including email addresses and please monitor your junk inbox in case any emails accidentally arrive in this folder instead of your inbox.

Shared Education

Our Year 7 pupils had a Shared Education trip with pupils from St. Oliver Plunkett's primary school on Friday 18th October. This trip was funded by Fermanagh and Omagh District Council and was to the Ulster American folk Park.

Parent/Teacher Meetings

If you were unable to attend for a parent teacher meeting on either 22nd or 24th October, please get in touch with school to arrange an alternative, more suitable time. This can be via a phone call if it proves difficult to arrange a face-to-face meeting.

Parent and Teacher Association

Many thanks to all who attended our recent PTA AGM and meeting. Elections were held and the following are the officer bearers for this year:

- Chairperson: Mrs Leigh Lyons
- Vice-Chair: Mrs Sarah Gibson
- Secretary: Mrs Bronwen McCausland
- Treasurer: Mrs Elaine Black
- Grants Officer: Mrs Julie Anderson

During the meeting that followed, the PTA agreed some ideas and dates for events to be held throughout the year. These include:

- Christmas Quiz Night: Wednesday 11th December at 7 p.m.
- Easter Egg-travaganza: Saturday 5th April: 10 a.m.—12 noon
- Summer Fête: Friday 13th June

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