



ST PATRICK'S NEWS

Friday 27th May 2016

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SAFEGUARDING

If you have any concerns about any child's safety or child protection, please see Mr Cranitch - Headteacher ASAP.
If he is not available please see Miss McDaid - Deputy

ON YOUR MARKS, GET SET...

The sun shone, the PE kits were on, and so our annual Sports Day began.

The morning saw all of the children take part in a carousel of events which included some very enthusiastic beanbag throwing into the hoop, steady hands in the potato and spoon race and lots of patience in the obstacle race! During the afternoon the KS2 children took to the field for track and field events.

As always, the children joined in with maximum effort and their usual wonderful sense of fair play.

A big thank you to Mr Farrimond for organising the teams and events, Coach Luke, Miss Caton and the kitchen staff for preparing the packed lunches and of course, parents for their continued support and encouragement.



Please take time this week to pray for the children of our parish and other parishes who will be receiving the Sacrament of First Communion on Sunday.

"Holy Communion is a gift of Christ, who makes himself present and gathers us around him to nourish us with his Word and with his life."
Pope Francis



Our beautiful shrine to Mary, surrounded by the children's flowers.



CLUBS AND ASSEMBLIES

MONDAY

Homework Club ends 4.45pm
Girls Sports Club Yrs 5 & 6 ends 4.45pm
Mandarin Club Yrs 1-3 - ends 4.40pm

TUESDAY

Mass - Year 3
Chess Club 12.45-1.20pm
Andy's Football ends 4.45 pm

WEDNESDAY

Sports Club Yrs 1 & 2 ends 4.45pm
Homework Club ends 4.45pm
Mandarin Club Yrs 4-6 ends 4.40pm

THURSDAY

Dance Club 3.30-4.30—**NO SPACES AVAILABLE**

FRIDAY

Assembly - Poetry
Parents Prayer Group 9am
Sports Club - Years 3 & 4 ends 4.45pm
Homework Club ends 4.45pm
Walking Club until 6pm

Awards

	Academic Excellence	Community	Attendance
N	Hayden	Annaliese	86.32%
Rec	Lily Summerhayes	TJ	92.58%
Yr 1	Eclesio	Azaeil	99.03%
Yr 2	Nebeyat	Mistre	98.57%
Yr 3	Gordon	Eugenie	95.77%
Yr 4	Maria	Jennifer	100%
Yr 5	Luna	Riley	91.43%
Yr 6	Cleona	Bobbie	96.30%



From Monday 6th June there will be a £15 charge for the signing of passport applications.

School closes for Half Term on Fri. 27th May and reopens at 8.50am Monday 6th June.

FRIENDS OF ST. PATRICK'S

ARE YOU ABLE TO DISPLAY AN ESTATE AGENTS BOARD ADVERTISING OUR INTERNATIONAL EVENING / MINI SUMMER FAIR?

IF SO, PLEASE SEE THE SCHOOL OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Dear Parent/Guardian,

We are delighted to announce that the St. Patrick's is holding a textile collection for the **Happy School Bag Fundraising Scheme**.

This scheme is designed to help schools to raise funds and to help the environment by diverting discarded but reusable textiles away from landfill. In the UK alone we consume and discard over 1.4 million tonnes of textiles a year which goes directly into landfill despite the fact that there is spare capacity in textile recycling plants. By taking part in this scheme you help to reduce this amount by giving textiles a new lease of life.

To take part you simply need to fill the Happy School bag (*being sent home with your child today*) with unwanted but clean clothing. We accept both children's and adult clothes including paired shoes, accessories (hats, belts, handbags, etc...), soft toys and bed linen.

Remember that the more you fill up the bag the more the school can raise; we receive a competitive rate of up to 65p per kilo; you can also use additional black bin bags if required.



This is a fantastic opportunity to raise eco-friendly awareness amongst children. Everyone can take part so spread the word and let's get fundraising! The Happy School Bag van will be collecting from our school on June 10th. **Please bring all your bags to the school office any time before 9th June and help us have an amazing collection.**

Many thanks for taking part!



Science Week will take place week beginning **Monday 13th June**. The theme is Space. **Our annual Egg Mobile race will take place on Friday 17th June**. This is where pupils compete to see who can come up with the best egg mobile. There will be two winners in each class: one for Best Design and one for Greatest Distance Travelled.

Here are the rules:

1. The egg mobile must carry a chicken's egg
2. The egg must be hard boiled. This is very important!
3. The egg-mobile is to made outside of school
4. Each egg mobile gets one run on the course
5. No power sources - batteries, mains power etc, can be used
6. The egg mobile will be released from the top of a slope: you cannot push it, pull it or restart it in any way.
7. Each class will have their own race.

The judge's decision is final !