



St. Anne's Primary School

Thursday

14th April 2016

Extra Holiday Date: The school will be closed on the following dates for Staff Development:

28th April
27th May
6th & 7th June

- P3—P7. As Mrs Bell our music tutor needs to know numbers for next year could we please ask that if you would like your child to have/continue to have **violin lesson** (beginning September 2016) to please fill in the reply slip sent out last week and return it to your child's class teacher tomorrow, Friday 15th April.
- **The Book Fair** will be coming to St Anne's on *Tuesday* 19th April. Parents may view the books from 2.00pm —3.30pm. As the school receives commission on all books sold we would encourage all parents to come in and have a look.
- **Milk money** for the months of May and June is now due. Please see attached note for more information.

Before/After Schools Clubs Information

- **St Anne's Breakfast Club continues next week.** The club will run from 8.00am until 8.50am every morning until the end of the year. If you wish your child/children to attend the breakfast club please send £2 per day in an envelope with your child's name and days they wish to take breakfast. As we need to know numbers for Monday can we ask that this is sent to school on the Friday before. A fantastic total of 32 children attended the Breakfast club on its 1st week. Thanks to everyone for your support. ***Parents please note that supervision for children who are not attending the Breakfast club begins at 8.50am; children will not be permitted to enter the school building before this time.***
- **Golf** continues on *Wednesday* for P2—P7 children.
- **Drama club** by 'Lights, Camera, Confidence' continues on *Thursdays* and will culminate in a show. More details about the show will follow.



Remember

- The **Thursday Note** and **Dinner Menu** are available on the school website:
www.stannespscorkey.com
Lots of other news and information is also available to view

Allergies

- Please remember that St Anne's has a **NUT FREE ETHOS**

Collection of Children

- Class Teachers should be informed of any changes to arrangements for collecting children.

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- **P7 Cycling Proficiency** classes will begin on *Tuesday 19th April* from 3 to 4pm for 8 weeks . **NB; THERE WILL BE NO CHARGE FOR THIS AFTERSCHOOLS CLUB.** Please complete the reply slip sent out last week and return it to the school if you wish your child to stay for this activity.
- **P7 Brain Gym** will begin on *Tuesday 19th April* for 8 weeks.
- **P4—P7 After Schools Hurling & Camogie** continues on *Mondays* with a charge of £2 per week per child.
- Pupils who have signed up to an after schools club will NOT be permitted to go home early without written or verbal permission given to the class teacher from the child's parent.
- Anyone who wishes to open a **Credit Union** account should ask their child's class teacher for an application form on or before *Tuesday 26th April*.
- **First Communion** for the Parish of Loughgiel (St. Anne's PS & St. Patrick's PS) has been arranged by Father Butler for *Saturday 4th June 2016*.
- **Confirmation** will be held on *Wednesday 18th May* at 11 am.
P4—P6 Pupils are asked to take part in the school choir. Please support.
- **Eoghan Gribbin from Ulster Council GAA** continues with PE support in Fundamental skills for P1, P2, P4 and P5 on *Mondays*.
- **All Set tin whistle lessons** through Shared Education with Knockahollet P.S. have begun and will run for the next 5 weeks, culminating in a show. More details about the show will follow.
- PTA are running a "**Copper Chase**" in May. If you have any 1p and/or 2p coins please gather them up and keep them for this event in May. Each classroom will have a bucket to collect their coppers and at the end of May there will be a reward for the classroom with the most coppers in their bucket!



School Dinners

- The price of a **school dinner** is £2.50 per day and £12.50 per week. Dinners for the week (paid and free) should be ordered on a Monday morning by returning the correct money and slip attached.

Swimming

- The last week of **P6/7 Swimming** was *Wednesday 13th April* but some P7s will continue to work towards their gold in the coming weeks.
- **P3 Swimming** will commence on *Wednesday 20th April*. The cost will be £3.00 per child per week. P7 children will go to swimming with the P3s to help them change. P3 parents are reminded to return their child's permission slip if they have not done so already.