



## Weekly Parent Newsletter: 37

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### REMINDERS

- ✓ **Prep Prize Day will be Wednesday 27 June**  
2-3pm.

All children finish at 12noon (no lunch) and return to the Senior School for 2pm start. Children should be left off at the side gate where the swimming pool is for transferral to 6<sup>th</sup> Form Study Hall near the Canteen.

*Winter uniform (long sleeved white shirts) for this event, please. Please note that grey winter socks should now be worn by all children in an attempt to save parents time looking for white ankle socks!*

Afterschool Club finishes at 5.30pm and children staying will require a packed lunch.

- ✓ **Prep 7 Leavers' Concert and their last day** will be Thursday 28 June 2-3pm.

All children finish at 12noon (no lunch) and **P7s only** return at 2pm.

Afterschool Club finishes at usual time of 5.30pm. (No packed lunch required)

- ✓ **Last day of term for P1-P6** classes will be Friday 29 June.

All children finish at 12noon (no lunch). Afterschool Club finishes at the earlier end of term time of **4.30pm for lock up procedures** and children staying will require a packed lunch.

**Prep 6** had a great time on their annual residential to the Folk Museum. Everyone enjoyed exploring the outdoor museum on Thursday morning, followed by some Victorian craft making in the afternoon. Of course we all thoroughly enjoyed our visit to the sweetie shop! After dinner Eva and Patrick were on trial in the courtroom in front of Judge Wilson. Everyone involved rose to the occasion and responded well to the Courtroom Drama.



On Friday there were a few tired children spotted as they walked around the Transport Museum! Thanks go to Mrs Galway, Ms O' Connor, Miss Dennison and all the parents for coming along and helping out. Prep 6 have made special memories with their classmates, laughed lots and learnt a few new things. All in all, a fantastic couple of days.



## PE REMINDERS

**Football:** Well done to the P7 girls' football team who travelled to St Malachy's PS on Tuesday afternoon. The girls played well in the first match which finished in a draw against St Malachy's. We were then beaten 2-0 by Crawfordsburn and finished the afternoon with a 1-0 defeat to a mixed team from both of the other schools. A brilliant afternoon was had by all, despite the rain! Players of the day were Ellen, P7, playing as striker and Eden, P7, who saved some excellent shots in goals.

All children P1-7 should now be in whites for ALL PE and Games lessons. P7 girls may continue to wear skorts.

P5-7 should continue to bring tennis rackets to school each day next week to enable us to use the tennis courts when available for PE.

**Cycling Proficiency:** Well done to all those P7s who have achieved their Cycling Proficiency Award. The standard of cycling and awareness was very high this year. Certificates will be awarded before Prize Day.

**Rookie Lifesaving:** Well done to all those P6/7s who have worked hard at Lifesaving Club to achieve their Bronze Level 1 Award in Rookie Lifesaving. Certificates will be awarded before Prize Day and P6 will have the opportunity to continue on with the Level 2 Award next year should they wish to.

Well done to all of our many Irish Dancers who have been competing this week! Whilst we applaud and appreciate the talents and skills they gain through this activity, we would also wish at this time of year to express to parents a desire to limit their absences from school to as few as possible occasions in the school year. Work missed is difficult to catch up with and can bring some level of anxiety to the children. Thank you for thinking about that!  
(EASmith)



**Prep 5** really enjoyed their final trip of the year, with an unforgettable visit to Clondeboye House. We are very thankful to Freyja's granny, Mrs Armstrong, for arranging us to have this unique opportunity.

My highlight was the Bear Garden - Felix

We loved seeing the antique Parliamentary Debate books - Erin J and Niamh

I liked picking up the pieces of the 3D jigsaw with GOLD on the top! - Olivia T and Joshua P

I was amazed to see the golden umbrella - John

I liked the weapons - Matthew

Thanks also to Mrs Armstrong for providing a lovely break too - the biscuits were extremely popular!



New recipients for the Prep 5 Pen Licence - well done to all!

