



# St. Anne's Primary School

Thursday  
19th May 2022

- **The school will close at 12 noon on Friday 27th May.** There will be no school dinner, however, the EA bus is available to take the children home.
- **Our P5-P7 hurling team** will be travelling to Cushendall on **Friday 20th May** to compete in a Cumann na mBunscol tournament. We wish them the very best of luck!
- **P6 & P7** pupils will be going to **St Louis' Grammar School, Ballymena on Tuesday 24th May** for a fun morning. They will leave school at 9.15am and return for 12pm. Children need to bring a snack with them and wear trainers and full school uniform.

## Dates for the Diary—

**First Holy Communion** is on **Saturday 11th June** at 11am.

**Sports Day** will be on **Tuesday 14th June** (weather permitting).

- **The Cross and Passion Entrance Assessment** for P7 pupils has been arranged for **Monday 6th June**. Please ensure no appointments for children hoping to attend CPC in September 2022 are arranged for this date.
- **St Anne's PTA "Split the Pot" has its next winner!** Betty McKeown won an amazing £88.50 in this week's draw. Congratulations Anne! A huge thanks to everyone for their support. We have sent home two envelopes to each family but feel free to return as many as you like! Envelopes are also available to complete in all the usual outlets.
- **School Dinner**—An online menu order for next week is available to complete on the school website. After completion, please send the fee in an envelope with your child's name on it by **9am on Monday morning**. As the dinners are prepared in St Patrick's kitchen, the cooks need to know the numbers in advance.
- **The Chronicle P7 Souvenir Issue**—Order forms have been sent home with P7 pupils today. If you would like to place an order, please complete the form and send the money into school by **Monday 23rd May**.
- **After School Multi Sports for P1-P4 Pupils** continues every Tuesday until 24th May.
- **After School Hurling & Camogie for P5-P7 Pupils** with Rory McCloskey will continue on Wednesday from 3-4pm.
- **Guitar Lessons**—continue every Wednesday.



## Remember:

- The **Thursday Note and Dinner Menu** are available on the school website: [www.stannespscorkey.com](http://www.stannespscorkey.com)
- **Register your email address on the school website to receive email notifications.**
- Lots of other news and information is also available to view

## School Dinners

- The price of a **school meal** is £2.60 per day or £13.00 per week. Dinners for the week (paid and free) should be ordered on a Monday morning by returning the correct money and ordering online from the school website.

## Collection of Children

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

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- **Best Attendance**—Congratulations to P3 & P4 who had the best attendance in April.
- **School absences** must be reported in writing to your child's teacher as soon as possible, usually on your child's return to school. This ensures the correct absence code can be entered to the official attendance register. Please ensure all details are included in any absence notes.
- **Parents must inform the school of any changes to home travel arrangements as soon as possible.** Please take steps to ensure any messages sent to staff within 24 hours of a change to collection arrangements have been received.
- **Swimming**—for P4 and P7 pupils will continue every Wednesday. The cost is £3 per child per week.
- **Ulster GAA Football** coaching sessions continues for all pupils with Marty every Thursday. Please see the school website for photos and videos of the lessons.
- **Brain Gym** for P6 pupils will continue on Tuesday from 3-4pm.
- **Cycling Proficiency** for P7 pupils will continue on Tuesday from 3-4pm.
- **COVID-19**—Letters from the PHA have been posted to our Home Learning webpages. We remind parents to remain vigilant for COVID-19 symptoms and encourage good hand washing and sanitizing practices. A guidance flowchart for close contacts of a positive case in a school setting is available to view on the school website. **If your child tests positive for COVID-19, please inform the school as soon as possible, so that we can relay this information to the PHA.**
- **Loughguile Credit Union**—School savings will continue every Wednesday (max £5 per week). Anyone who would like to become a member can obtain an application form from the school office. There will be no savings collected on Wednesday 13th April.
- **Dunloy Comhaltas** are offering free classes to anyone interested in learning to play traditional music, including fiddle, tin whistle, guitar and bodhran. All ages are welcome and there is no need to book. Classes take place **every Tuesday from 7.30-8.30pm** in St Joseph's Parish Hall, Dunloy.
- **Healthy Breaks:** Please send only fruit or a plain biscuit to school as a break-time snack. **ONLY water or milk may be taken at break-time.** One sweet or savoury treat is appropriate for lunchtime. No fizzy drinks should be brought to school at any time.
- **Creative Moves Dance Camp** will be in St Anne's Hall from **1st-3rd August** for P1-P7 children. The cost is £35 and places are limited and non-refundable. Contact Claire on 07845358393 to book.



•Please remember that St. Anne's Primary School is a "NUT FREE ZONE"

•When paying dinner and milk money cheques should be made payable to: **The Education Authority—NE Region.** Everything else (After Schools etc.) should be made payable to St Anne's PS.

•**Allergy Aware School:** As we have a number of children with nut and egg allergies, please send no nuts (including products containing nuts) or eggs to school as lunch items.