St. Mary's Primary School

IS YOUR CHILD DUE TO START SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2018?



ST.MARY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL CARLAND

FRIDAY 1ST DECEMBER @ 1PM

THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR VISITORS TO TAKE A TOUR OF THE SCHOOL, TO SEE THE SCHOOL IN ACTION, TO REVIEW THE FACILITIES AND RESOURCES AND TO TALK TO THE STAFF, GOVERNORS AND PUPILS ABOUT LIFE IN THE SCHOOL

ALL PROSPECTIVE PARENTS AND THEIR CHILDREN ARE INVITED TO ATTEND

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Our <u>School Open Day</u> will take place on **Friday 1st December** to showcase everything the school has to offer. All prospective parents and their children are invited to attend.

Refreshments will be provided and everyone is most welcome.

The event will begin at 1.00pm and will give visitors a chance to see the school in action, to review the facilities and resources, and to talk to the staff, governors and pupils about life in the school.

Please encourage any new parents/families that you know - who have children of school age - and that are not familiar with the school, to consider coming along to our Open Day. A Prospectus is available on request.

Thank you for your continuing support.

Remember to check out our website and Facebook Page!!



Family Fun Bingo Night

on Thursday 23rd November

At 7.00pm in the School Sports Hall.

Everyone welcome!



SAVE THE DATE!



Adverse Weather Conditions



Due to the possibility of adverse weather over the next few months we have a policy in place to deal with this. If the school is unable to open due to these conditions, parents will be notified in the following ways

- Text Messaging Service (Please notify the school if your mobile number changes)
- Website/Facebook
- BBC NI Digital Text Service & NI news website: http://www.bbc.co.uk/ninews

Remember the Clothes Bank is still available for use in the school grounds.



The Giving Machine

Please remember to use the Giving Machine, if you are purchasing items <u>online</u>. Every time you buy online you will generate free cash donations for St. Mary's Many thanks in advance!



Important DATE!

Mr McKinless' P5-6 Class will present an Assembly on Friday 24th November 2017 at 1.30pm. All parents, family members and friends are welcome to attend.

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This year we have decided to support the Dungannon branch of St. Vincent de Paul, by donating hampers for those in need in our local community.

This is a very worthwhile cause as we get to give something to those who are not in as privileged a position as ourselves. We are asking that donations of non-perishable foods, household items and toiletries be left into school on or before Wednesday 7th December.

Best Wishes

We send our Best Wishes to Mrs Girvan as she begins her Maternity Leave this week. We wish her well for the arrival of Baby Girvan next



month.

We welcome Mr Shane Donnelly who will teach P7 in Mrs Girvan's absence.

Pupils may save with the Torrent Credit Union every Wednesday.

Contact school for further details





Some P3-4 pupils with their Pumpkins they made for homework!



P5-7 pupils participated in the Childline Assembly and workshop delivered by NSPCC. This was a very worthwhile and educational activity for the children.

Thank you to all the parents who attended the Parent Workshop in Newmills PS.



P1-2 pupils thoroughly enjoyed their trip to Ranfurly House, Dungannon especially the bus journey!!

School Events During November/Decemeber

- ◆ P6-7 pupils will attend an Indoor Football Tournament on Wednesday 22nd November in the Torrent Complex, Donaghmore
- ♦ There will be a Family Fun Bingo Night on Thursday 23rd November at 7.00pm. Everyone Welcome
- ♦ Our Sensory Movement Groups continue weekly in school
- ◆ P7 pupils will attend Holy Trinity College's Musical 'Sister Act' on Friday 24th November. £3 each
- ◆ P5-6 pupils will present their Assembly on Friday 24th November at 1.30pm.
- ◆ P3-4 pupils will visit The Palace Stables, Armagh for an Ecology/Winter Weather workshop, linked to their World Around Us topic, on Wednesday 29th November. £5 each
- ♦ OPEN DAY on Friday 1st December at 1.00pm for all prospective pupils and parents
- Our Annual Pantomime trip to the Grand Opera House, Belfast, will take place on Friday 8th December. More details to follow.
- ◆ Fr McAleer will hear P5-6 confessions on Tuesday 12th December at 11.00am
- ♦ Christmas Dinner will be served in school on Tuesday 12th December. Please order by Monday 11th December.
- Our annual Christmas Show will be held on Thursday 14th December at 7,00pm sharp.