



MONDAY NOTE

LONG TOWER PRIMARY SCHOOL

** SCHOOL CLOSURES **

The school will be closed on **Thursday 23rd May for European elections and will be closed on Monday 27th May, for the Bank Holiday**. School will be open, as usual, on Friday 24th May. School will finish at 12 noon on Friday 28th June for the summer holidays.

NON- UNIFORM DAY

Primary 7 children are doing a project on Homelessness. As part of their project, they would like to hold a non-uniform day for all children, to raise money for homeless people. On Friday 24th May, all children are asked to take part in a non-uniform day and pay 50p per child. Monies raised will go to the First Housing Aid & Support Services.

AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS

All afterschool clubs will end on **Wednesday 29th May**.

FIRST COMMUNION

The Primary 4 pupils will receive the Sacrament of Eucharist this Saturday 25th May at 11.30am in St Columba's Church, Long Tower. The children are asked to gather in the Assembly Hall in the lower school, at 11am to prepare for their procession to the church. We are looking forward to this great day of celebration.

Children are asked to wear their First Communion outfits to school on Tuesday 28th May for a school photograph.

BUN SALE

Primary 7 will have a bun sale on Wednesday 29th May. All proceeds will go towards funding their Primary Seven trip.

NOTICES

Miss Guy's class will have their assembly at 9.30am in the school canteen. All are welcome.

On Wednesday, P4 will have a Shared Education Lesson with Fountain PS students.

P3 and 4 End of Year Trip will take place on Wednesday 22nd May to Millennium Forum and Supermacs. Children should wear full school uniform and bring their normal healthy break-time snack to school.

The transition programme for P7 will continue this week. This programme is run by Pilots Row and helps to prepare the children for the move to secondary school in September.

Nursery children will finish early, at 12.30 on Friday 24th May to facilitate the Nursery Open day for new nursery children.

Nursery children are going to Barrontop Farm on Tuesday 28th May.

On Wednesday 29th May at 2.30pm, there will be a meeting in the Nursery classroom for parents of children coming to Nursery in Sept 2019.

On Wednesday 29th May at 6pm, there will be a meeting in Miss Guy's room for parents of children coming to P1 in Sept 2019.

Monday 20th May P4 Shared Education Musical Pathways/Art project

As part of our P7 Shared Education Programme, drumming classes will take place on Friday 24th May and Tuesday 28th May.

ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to Ms Bradley's and Miss Doherty's class, who are top of the attendance league for this week. Good luck to all for next week.

SPELLING WIZARD

Congratulations to all our spelling finalists. Our winners are Aldara Infante Mc Donald P3; Oisin Boyd P4 and Rua Fox P7. They gave a brilliant performance. Well done to all our finalists for their fantastic effort. Remember to get started on June's spellings. Good luck!

RIGHT OF THE MONTH

The Right of the month for May is:

Article 42 from the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child:

"All adults, families and children must know about children's rights."

LONG TOWER PS FOOTBALL TEAM

Congratulations to our school Gaelic football team who took part in the Derry Tournament recently. The event took place at Celtic Park with 16 schools taking part. Despite the number of teams involved, Long Tower PS fought off stiff competition to secure a place in the semi-finals where they were narrowly beaten. Well done to all the players who took part. They can all feel very proud of their efforts.

NURSERY STARS OF THE WEEK

CHARLIE THOMPSON AND SOPHIE MC LAUGHLIN

Nursery Stars of the week are Charlie Thompson and Sophie Mc Laughlin for being for being very kind and helpful to others in the Nursery. Well done Sophie and Charlie.

PEANUT AND NUTFREE CLASSROOM

At present, we have children in the school who have nut allergies, therefore, it is vitally important that you do not send any food with your child to school that contains nuts. **Nuts, peanuts or any products containing nuts or peanuts are NOT allowed in school.**

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES OR REQUESTS, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO SEND THESE INTO SCHOOLS IN A LETTER WITH YOUR CHILD.

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