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Upcoming Dates and Events

Letter Dated – 22nd March 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

Please take a few minutes to carefully read this letter, which will outline the upcoming dates and events happening in school during the end of Term 2 and the start of Term 3.

Easter Holidays

School will close at 12 noon on Wednesday 27th March for the Easter Holidays and will reopen on Wednesday 10th April 2024.

Wednesday 27th March

As pupils will be finishing at 12 noon on Wednesday 27th March, they may wear 'non-uniform' to school. Pupils in P4-P7 may bring an electronic device (age-appropriate games/apps) (no phones allowed), and pupils in P1-P3 may bring a game/toy to play with on their final day before Easter. 🎮🎁

Online Payments for Dinner

We are aiming to start online payments for school dinners for the week beginning 15th April. For the week before please pay in cash 'as normal'.

Online Payments for Fun Club

Thank you for everyone who has been booking and paying via the App for Fun Club. This will continue after Easter and **all** bookings and payments should be made via the App. If you are experiencing issues with the App please contact the school office or email ibayne452@c2kni.net

Cash for Clobber

The Eco Committee have organised a 'Cash for Clobber' collection to raise money for vegetables etc for the school garden. The final morning for returning bags to school is Tuesday 16th April.

Eco Committee

The Eco Committee will be visiting Homebase (Cookstown) on Thursday 11th April as part of their 'Little Fingers' programme. Consent forms will be sent via the online App prior to Thursday 11th April.

Parents Association

Thank you to the Parents Association who have kindly purchased Easter Eggs for all pupils in school. These will be given to pupils during the final few days before Easter.

Colin Tinsley

Colin from Hope For Youth Ministries will be in school for whole school assemblies from 11am – 12noon on Monday 25th, Tuesday 26th and Wednesday 27th March.

House Prize

The pupils will visit SPAR on Monday 25th or Tuesday 26th March for their House Prize for Term 2. Each pupil will be given a set amount of money based on where their 'House' finished at the end of Term 2. They will then have the opportunity to spend this in SPAR.

Parent Representatives on Board of Governors

All parents should have received nomination forms for Parents Reps on the Board of Governors. These should be returned to school by 3pm on Tuesday 16th April. There are two vacancies for Parent Representatives on the new Board of Governors which will 'serve' from 2024 – 2028. An election will be held on Wednesday 24th April at 7.30pm in the Assembly Hall.

Netball Tournament

The netball team will participate in the Tri County Netball Tournament on Tuesday 16th April at Cookstown Leisure Centre.

Football Tournament

The Tri County outdoor football tournament will take place on Friday 26th April at Coagh Utd's 3G Astro Turf Pitch. Coagh will be entering two football teams into the tournament.

Summer BBQ

A 'provisional date' has been set for Thursday 13th June. Further details will be sent once dates have been confirmed.

Parents Association (Office Bearers)

The Parents Association held an election at the start of Term 2 for Office Bearers to 'serve' from January 2024 to January 2025 when they will hold their next AGM and have elections. Thank you to the following parents who have been elected as Office Bearers for 2024-

Chairperson (Joint)- **Judith Friend**

Chairperson (Joint)- **Andie Brown**

Vice Chairperson- **Tracy Gillis**

Secretary- **Shirley-Anne Hutchinson**

Treasurer- **Tanya Glasgow**

A massive thank you to our outgoing Office Bearers who have worked extremely hard organising events for pupils and the community over the past few years.

Online App

The new online Payment App will also be used to send messages to parents, complete consent forms, pay for events as well as Fun Club, Homework Club and Dinners. We are asking that **all families** download the App to their phone and stay 'signed in' to receive messages. If you have not received the necessary downloading information, please contact the school office or email ibayne452@c2kni.net

Best wishes for a lovely Easter Holiday and we look forward to seeing everyone on Wednesday 10th April.

Yours sincerely,



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