



8<sup>th</sup> February 2023

## **P7 – APPLYING FOR A YEAR 8 POST PRIMARY PLACE – SEPTEMBER 2023**

Reminder - Parents **must** apply for a post primary school place online via EA Connect. The portal **closes on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February @ 4pm.**

Visit the EA website/admissions - <https://www.eani.org.uk/> to create an EA Connect account.

## **SCHOOL CLOSURE – MID TERM BREAK**

The school will be closed the week, **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> February** for Midterm Break. We will reopen on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> February.**

## **STRIKE ACTION**

Due to planned Strike Action by the teaching unions, the school will be closed on **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> February** until 12.00 noon. Dinners will still be available but must be ordered and paid for on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup>** as normal. Children who cannot attend school on this day will be marked in the register using an appropriate code that will mean it is not counted as an unauthorised absence.

## **ROAD SAFETY QUIZ -WINNERS!**

A huge congratulations to Ashling, Charlie, Kate and Rory (P7) who represented the school and won the Mid Ulster section of the RoadSafeNI Quiz held in Cookstown. The heat was sponsored by Mid Ulster Approved Driving Instructors Association and the children received the Seamus Higgins Memorial Cup. They will now represent Mid Ulster in the NI final on 6<sup>th</sup> March! Good luck!



## CUMANN NA MBUNSCOL – INDOOR 5 A-SIDE

Our Primary 7 boys represented the school in the Cumann na mBunscol indoor Gaelic tournament heats in Dungannon. They lost by a point in the semi-final and played fantastically throughout the morning!



## P7 - SHARED EDUCATION TRIP

The P7 classes from St. John's and Moy Regional will visit Parkanaur Forest on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February to participate in a 'Woodland Wellbeing Workshop.'

**School uniform, a warm coat, a packed lunch/snack is required for the trip.**



## PARENT SUPPORT GROUP - PANCAKE RACE

The P.S.G. are running the traditional 'St. John's Pancake Race' on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February. This year all funds raised from sponsorship will be used to support the purchase of IPADS. Sponsorship forms were sent home today. As always your support is greatly appreciated!

