

23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Congratulations and well done to our P4 pupils who made their First Holy Communion on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May. They all looked beautiful and performed excellently during the Mass. Thank-you to Mrs Hughes who prepared the children for the sacrament and to all the staff who assisted with getting the church and school ready for the special day.

Also, thank-you to Fr. Thomas and Fr. Hughes for their support during the preparation with their regular visits to the P4 children.

Thank-you to the school choir who provided the beautiful music and singing which made it a very special Mass!

Finally, thank-you to the P.S.G. for organising the light refreshments in the school!

## **REMINDER – SCHOOL CLOSURE**

The school will be closed on Monday 29th May and Tuesday 30th May.

#### DONAGHMORE TOURNAMENT.

Congratulations to both our footballers and netball players who brought home all the silverware after winning both finals in the Donaghmore Tournament which was held on Monday. They all played brilliantly beating some fantastic opposition. A special mention to Donal Devlin who was presented with 'Player of the Tournament!' (*pictures on the website*)

### SHARED EDUCATION - FUN DAY (P5 & P7 classes)

To celebrate their participation in Shared Education with Moy Regional children throughout the school year, a shared fun day for the P5 & P7 classes will take place tomorrow, **Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May.** Several sporting activities have been organised and will take place between both school sites.

#### P7 – END OF YEAR ARRANGEMENTS

The P7 children will finish school on <u>Friday 23rd June</u>. The school will celebrate the Leavers' Mass for the P7 children and their families on the same day <u>at 10.00am in St. John's</u> Church.

At home time the P4 - P6 children and staff plan to form a guard of honour to send the children off. This will take place from around 2.45pm.

# PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

## **NON-UNIFORM DAY**

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May is a P.S.G. non-uniform day. Children are asked to bring in £1.00 as a contribution to school funds. Thank-you!

### **FUN DAY**

The Parent Support Group Fun Day for all pupils takes place in school on <u>Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June</u>. Lots of indoor and outdoor activities have been organised and we hope this day is as enjoyable for the children as it was last year!

# **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	P6 - Taster 'Fun Day' – St. Joseph's Donaghnore – lunch
	provided
Mon 29 <sup>th</sup> May	School Closed
Tues 30 <sup>th</sup> May	School Closed
Fri 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	P5 – Derrytresk – Football - challenge match
Mon 5 <sup>th</sup> June	P.S.G. Fun Day for all pupils (in school)
Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> June	P1 (Sept 2023) Induction Morning
Fri 9 <sup>th</sup> June	P7 trip to Stormont
Tues 13 <sup>th</sup> June	Cabragh – Football and Netball Tournament
Fri 16 <sup>th</sup> June	St. Patrick's Academy Blitz
Thurs 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	P4, P5 & P6 trip to Lagan Valley Leisureplex
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> Jun	P7 Leavers' Mass @10am
Thurs 29 <sup>th</sup> June	P1, P2 & P3 trip to Peter Pan
Fri 30 <sup>th</sup> June	School closes @11am for the summer break

Details of end of year trips will be sent out nearer the time!