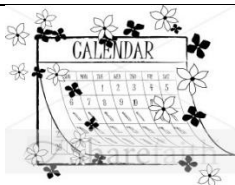




Saint Brigid's School Newsletter May 2019

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Dates for your Diary

- Monday 6th May: School closed for Bank Holiday.
- Tuesday 7th May: School closed for extended break.
- Wednesday 9th May: School reopens at 9.00am.
- Saturday 18th May at 11.00am: First Holy Communion
- Tuesday 21st of May: Green Flag Presentation Ceremony
- Wednesday the 29th of May: Junior - 2nd school tour.

First Holy Communion.

First Holy Communion will take place on Saturday 18th May at 11.00am. Best wishes Leah, Chloe, Sarah, Dylan, Bobby, Caleb, Cillian, Paul, Mason, Jake D, Jake M and Jamie.

Gaelic Football.

Congratulations the U10 team who participated in their first blitz on Tuesday the 30th of April. The senior team will play their next game against Broadford on Wednesday 8th of May at home in Ticknevin at 1.45pm. All support of welcome!

Old Clothes Collection.

Many Thanks to all those who supported the Old Clothes Collection. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Primary Science and Maths Award.

All children worked extremely hard to complete our entry for the Primary Science and Maths award. Well done to all the children who presented their experiments at our Science Showcase.

Book Rental.

We will be running our usual book rental scheme again this year for the children who will be in 3rd - 6th class in September. The cost will be €35 and this will cover the costs of all books required. Further details will be distributed soon.

Standardised Testing.

Standardised testing in English and Maths will take place the week beginning the 20th of May. Please ensure your child is present as much as possible to allow these tests to go ahead. Where possible, please make appointments for outside of school hours or let the class teacher know as soon as possible if your child will be absent.

GAA Coaching

GAA coaching with Kildare GAA has been rescheduled to next Friday 10th May and will continue for a five-week block with all classes from junior infants to 6th class.

Green Schools

We are delighted to announce that we have been successful in our application for our Green Flag in Global Citizenship and the Marine Environment. Huge congratulations to all the children for their hard work and enthusiasm and a special thank you to the Green Schools Committee and Ms. McCabe for their dedication. The award ceremony will take place on the 21st May in Dublin. Ms. McCabe and some members of our Green Schools Committee will attend.

Sponsored Walk

The Parents Association held a very successful fundraising walk for our school. Approximately €1342 euro was raised. Thanks to all those who took part and supported the event.

Church Gate Collection

The Parents Association have organised a church gate collection for the weekend of 8 & 9th of June and will require volunteers. Please contact the Parents Association if available.

Family Fun Day 5th May 2019

Gathering at 1.30pm at Scallywags for all taking part in the event. A fun day is planned which will include many activities; mini vehicle run, vintage vehicle run, 5km run, free play zone, live music, games, raffle, wheel of fortune, tea tent, bric a brac, book stall and lots more! Ensure all children cycling are wearing a helmet. All are welcome and your support is greatly appreciated!

Board of Management News

The Board of Management would like to inform all parents that the annual review of the Anti-Bullying Policy has taken place. Parents as Partners in Education and The Parental Grievance Procedure Policies have also been reviewed. Updated policies will be published on the school website.