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We care We share We learn

Week beginning Monday 14th May 2018

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Mon 14 th May	Parent & toddlers
	 Swimming with Y5 and Camogie & Hurling Y6 & 7
Tues 15 th May	No Y5 Sport for life
	 Y6 St Mary's Grammar School Magherafelt taster day (all day)
	 Hurling championship. Remember consent forms & £2.50 for bus.
	 Y6 Literacy & Numeracy afterschools 3-4pm (this week only)
Wed 16 th May	• Fundamentals with Eoin Ulster GAA 9.15am: Y2; 9.50am: Y1; 10.45am: Y3
	• Violin lessons
Thur 17 th May	• South Derry track & field event (Y7) Remember consent forms & £2.50 for bus.
Fri 18 th May	Flute, Clarinet and Guitar lessons
Sat 19 th May	First communion 11am, St Patrick's Church
	• Y7 receive Post primary placement letters: Info from Education Authority overleaf
Min 21st May	 Y3 & 4 trip to zoo – make sure consent forms and £10 are returned asap!
	 Y6 Literacy & Numeracy afterschools 3-4pm
Wed 23 rd May	School closes at 1pm for all pupils
Thur 24 th May	Staff day – school closed for all pupils
Fri 25 th May & Mon 28 th May • School closed (May bank holiday)	

- Y2 assembly: Congratulations to all our Y2s, Mrs Diamond, Una and Nicola on lovely assembly with lots to learn about Mary and how special mothers are to us.
- **First communion**: We need your help! There have been lots of generous offers of buns etc and now we are looking for a few more volunteers to help out on the day from 11.30-1pm. Return the slip below. We are also very keen to have more singers, so we appreciate the efforts of Y5-6-7 pupils to join us.
- **Policy update**: Many thanks to those who returned comments on our revised *Promoting Positive Behaviour and Discipline Policy* (newrowps.com>parent area>school policies). I have included another slip below and would encourage any more responses. We value your input.

Many thanks for your continued support

Mrs Deirdre Graffin	Principal
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Promoti	ng positive behaviour and discipline policy consultation May 2018
	FEEDBACK FROM PARENT/CARER
	(Continue on a separate sheet if necessary)
	Signed
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Name:

I can supply buns/sweet fancies on Fri afternoon between 2 and 4pm

I can supply sandwiches on Sat morning between 9.30 and 10.30am

Filling:

I can help on Sat morning from 11.30am-1pm

First Communion Choir & Musicians 2018: Year 5, 6 & 7

We need good support for our First Communion choir. I know the families of NR will come out in great numbers to help our Y4s on their very special day. Please drop off singers/musicians at 10.45am and they will be ready for collection at 12 noon. Please return the slip sent home last Friday if you have not already done so to confirm your child's availability.

Message from Education Authority for parents of Y7 pupils

Transfer Procedure 2018 – Placement Letters

The Education Authority, North Eastern Region will issue letters on Friday 18th May 2018 advising parents of the post primary school to which their child has been accepted.

Contingency arrangement

If a parent has not received a letter by 3.30pm on Saturday 19th May they may contact the Education Authority between 3.30pm and 5pm on telephone number 028 2566 1379. Staff will be available to confirm placement details only. Other Transfer related queries will be dealt with on Monday 21 May.



We're collecting! Please give your tokens to Year 7

Education City Update

We have recently renewed our subscription to Education City and are monitoring usage.

Reminders: homework is set for a one/two-week period and can be completed at any time within this. This includes weekends or at times when the internet is more accessible.

If your child has any issues logging in, please make sure to let me and I will contact Education City directly. DG

Read Right Run a Marathon

Congratulations to our Year 5, 6 and 7 pupils who are in the final stages of completing their Read, Right Run a marathon programme

- Reading 26 books
- Doing 26 good deeds (or Rights)
- Running 26 miles

Orders for t-shirts and £3 should be returned to the class teacher asap. This is subsidised and will be a lovely way to recognise their achievements.

Promoting Positive Behaviour & Discipline Policy

Please complete reply slip overleaf (continue on separate sheet if desired)

Helpers & donations for First Communion

Please complete and return