

Principal: Mrs D Graffin B.Ed. M.Ed. PQH(NI)

We care We share

We learn

Week beginning Monday 16th January 2017

Mon 16 th Jan	Parent & Toddler group 9.15-11am
	Swimming for Y7 – remember £2, swim gear and goggles(& hat for girls)
	Irish Dancing in school 6pm – beginners always welcome
	St Malachy's GAC Adult Fitness Classes start 7.30pm
Tues 17 th Jan	Y7 St Pius X College Basketball tournament – leave 9.20am, return 1pm. Consent
	forms must be returned & bring a packed lunch. £2 FOR BUS
	• Y6 (not Y7) Hurling & Camogie (in school). Bring PE gear (& helmet/hurl if have one)
Wed 18 th Jan	INTO half-day of strike action. School closed until 12.30pm. Lunch at 12.45pm.
	St Patrick's College Maghera Open Night 7pm
	New Row Runners: Meet in Meadowbank 5.15pm sharp
Thur 19 th Jan	• Y4 & 5 Hurling & Camogie (during school). Bring PE gear (& helmet/hurl if have one)
	7.30pm: Piloxing continues in hall
Fri 20 th Jan	9.10am Assembly & Awards
	Y6 & 7 Athletics Event: Meadowbank. Details on consent forms circulated.
	St Malachy's GAC Adult Fitness Classes continue 7.30pm
Sat 21 st Jan	St Mary's GS M'felt Open Day. Principal's address 9am & 12 noon
	St Patrick's College Maghera Open Day 12 noon
Mon 23 rd Jan	Afterschool activities menu for Term 2 circulated
	Friends of New Row meeting <u>6.00pm</u>

Dates for your diary

Wed 25 th Jan	Afterschool Activities for Term 2: Registration from 8.50am
Fri 27 th Jan	Year 3 assembly 9.30am
Sat 28 th Jan	Results of Y7 GL transfer exam received by post
Sun 29 th Jan	Y4 Bridge mass 9.30am – Catholic Schools' Week begins
	Friends of New Row Big Breakfast in school hall
Mon 30 th Jan	Afterschool activities begin: Week 1 of 6
Wed 1 st Feb	Grandparents' Afternoon – 1.15pm
w/b 6 th Feb	Y7 transfer interviews – times will be sent to parents next week
	Mon 20 th -Wed 22 nd Feb: School closed (Mid Term 7 & teacher training day)
27 Feb- 1 Mar	Y1-6 Parent/Teacher interviews. School will close at 1.15pm.

Other important information

- Afterschools activities for Term 2: our menu of choices will be available next Monday.
- New Row Runners update: Brilliant start last week with over 40 taking part. There is still time to join as we have extended the programme to 10 weeks. See overleaf for information.
- Why not supplement our programme with St Malachy's GAC Adult Fitness Classes which kick off this evening (Monday). More information overleaf. Remember New Year, new you!

Many thanks for your continued support

Mrs Deirdre Graffin Principal

School Dinner Reminder							
1 day	2 days	3 days	4 days	5 days			
£2.55	£5.10	£7.65	£10.20	£12.75			

Parish of Magherafelt & Castledawson: Change of Sunday Mass time From 5th February, Sunday mass will be at the earlier time of 9am. Remember from this date, all First Communion Bridge masses will therefore be at 9am also.

Anti-bullying survey for Parents

We are currently surveying staff, pupils and parents about what we do to promote healthy friendships and prevent bullying. All parents will be invited to access and complete an online questionnaire via their phone or other device.

Apologies for the delay in forwarding information. The relevant internet link will be sent to you later this week by text.

New Row Runners

Led by a fully qualified
Athletics UK instructor
Still time to join as extended to 10 weeks

When? Every Wednesday meeting at Meadowbank, 5.15pm £15 per person covers 10 weeks (No cost for pupils of New Row). The programme will end

pupils of New Row). The programme will end with a reason to celebrate - everyone taking part in a running event together!



Friends of New Row
BIG BREAKFAST

Sunday 29th January 9am – 12.30pm £5 adult. £3 child Everyone very welcome Your support matters!

HEADLICE: Check the heads regularly!

Please check your child's head and thoroughly treat if necessary. Treatments are readily available from the pharmacist and on prescription. It is important that everyone does this so we prevent outbreaks. There's no shame in getting them but there is in not treating them.

Piloxing

In school hall
Thursday at 7.30pm
Offer: 5 weeks for £20
Phone Bernie 07751253921 to book a place

St Malachy's GAC Adult Fitness Classes

Suitable for all levels
Every Monday & Friday @7.30pm

Starting 16th Jan £2 per class (free for those with existing gym membership)



Friends of New Row: BIG BREAKFAST

Can you help?

We need over 30 volunteers who can help out on Sunday 29th January. We are preparing a rota so that all help will be directed to exactly where it will be needed on the morning! If you can give some time, it would be *greatly* appreciated. Please complete & return the slip below asap.

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I am available to help out at Friends of New Row PS Big Breakfast on Sunday 29 th January								
Name		Contact number						
PLEASE TICK ONE BOX BELOW:								
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9-11am only		11am-1pm only		Either 9-11am or 11am-1pm				