

**School Information for Parents/Guardians**

**Monday 11 February 2019**

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* Guitar tutor in
* After School Drama 3-4 pm
* Netball Club in OLOL 3.15-4.15 pm

**Tuesday 12 February**

* Year 4 Shared Education with Leaney PS am in St Brigid’s PS
* Fashion Club 3-4 pm
* Swimming Year 6 & CB

**Wednesday 13 February**

* Year 5 Basketball – 11-12noon (£5 for 5 weeks)
* Musical Pathways Programme 1-2 pm (Yr1 & Yr4)
* Cooking Club 3-4 pm

**Thursday 14 February**

* Hockey 11-12noon (Teams only – Another Hockey Club will commence week be. 25/02/19)
* Violin tutor in
* Dance Club 3-4 pm

**Friday 15 February**

* Hurling Coaching - Year 5,6 & 7
* Principal Assembly

**Up and coming information & dates for your Diary**

* **Reminder: There is a child in the school with a Nut Allergy – Please do not send in Nuts or Nut Spreads to school.**
* **There are some places available for Term 2: Drama (Mondays 3-4pm Yr3 - 7) and Guitar (Monday during the school day Yr3 – 7) Please contact Susan if interested.**
* The Crossing Patrol at the Chapel Gates is back in place. We welcome Mr Stephen McCook to the position and wish him all the best.
* **Term 2 Holidays:**

**Half Term: Monday 18 – Fri 22 February 2019**

**St Patrick’s Day: Monday 18 March 2019**

**Easter: Friday 19 – Fri 26 April 2019**

 **School Closes 12noon Thursday 18 April (No Sunshine Club this day)**

Have a very enjoyable weekend and thanks for your continued support.

Mr K O’Neill Principal

**St Brigid’s Primary School – Castle Street – Ballymoney – BT53 6JX – 028 27662664**



**Parents’ Internet Safety Awareness**

Information, training and support programme.

**Tuesday 26 February from 7.00-8.00 pm in St Brigid’s PS**

A workshop for all parents who wish to know more about the online world that your young person is growing up in.

**Sacrament Dates 2019**

Year 3 **First Confession** Thursday 28th March

 11.00am

 Our Lady and St Patrick’s Chapel

Year 4 **Holy Communion** Saturday 18th May

 11.00am

 Our Lady and St Patrick’s Chapel

Year 7 **Confirmation**  Monday 1st April

 11.00am

Our Lady and St Patrick’s Chapel

Year 3 **Confession Parent Meeting** Wednesday 13th March

 7.00pm

 St Brigid’s PS

Year 4 **Communion Parent Meeting** Wednesday 8th May

 7.00 pm

 St Brigid’s PS

Year 7 **Service of Light** Date TBC

 **and Commitment** 7.00 pm

 Our Lady and St Patrick’s Chapel

School Uniform Update



Important Notice

Over the next few weeks we will be switching supplier to the **Heart and Home** store in Ballymoney. This is to make sure parents can get access to the school uniform all year round.

All uniform purchases for the school year 2019-20 will be from this outlet. The school will no longer be taking orders for uniform or holding stock of any items from September 2019 onwards.

We hope that will be of greater convenience to parents as under the present system we are required to place orders as early as May to ensure delivery for September. This gives parents the flexibility to call in during the Summer months to organise uniform.



Thanks to everyone who attended the Mental Health Awareness parents’ evening on Thursday night. There was a great turnout and there were some great tips to support our own mental health and that of others.

**Website link:**

[**https://northernareamhi.org.uk/**](https://northernareamhi.org.uk/)

**Directory of Supports link:**

[**https://northernareamhi.org.uk/site/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/Mental\_Health\_Z\_Card\_NorthernArea\_01\_2017.pdf**](https://northernareamhi.org.uk/site/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/Mental_Health_Z_Card_NorthernArea_01_2017.pdf)

[**https://www.mindingyourhead.info/services**](https://www.mindingyourhead.info/services)