

**School Information for Parents/Guardians**

**Monday 11 March 2019**

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* Guitar tutor in
* NI Cancer Focus – workshops 9.30 am – 2.30 pm
* Parent Governor Election 8.30am – 4.00pm
* After School Drama 3-4 pm
* Netball Club in OLOL 3.15-4.15 pm

**Tuesday 12 March**

* Year 4 Shared Education in Leaney PS 9.30-11.30 am
* Traditional Music Club 3-4pm
* Swimming Year 6 & CB

**Wednesday 13 March**

* Musical Pathways Programme 1-2 pm (Yr1 & Yr4)
* Netball (Yr 4 & 5) 3-4pm
* After School Hockey Club 3-4pm
* Yr 3 - First Confession Parents’ Meeting 7.00 pm in school

**Thursday 14 March**

* Dance Club 3-4 pm
* Rugby Club Y6/7 2-3pm (Ulster Rugby Coach)

**Friday 15 March**

* Green Day – St Patrick’s Day Celebrations (£1 donation to Trocaire)
* 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.**
* **Book Fair: The annual book fair will be here from Wednesday 20 to Tuesday 26 March**
* **Term 2 Holidays:**

**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**

**First Confession Parents’ Meeting**

**Year 3**

Wednesday 13th March @ 7.00 pm

In St Brigid’s PS

**Service of Commitment and Light**

**Year 7**

Wednesday 20th March @ 7.00 pm

In Our Lady and St Patrick’s Church

**Speed in the Chapel Car Park**

**Please be mindful of your speed in the chapel car park when dropping off and picking up the children. The car park is busy with children moving to and from cars. All drivers must be careful. Speed limit is 10 miles per hour.**



All of the classes have a Trócaire box and the collection of small change is promoted, given that ‘pennies make pounds’!

**Milk Carton Challenge**

This year each child will again receive an empty milk carton to collect change.

We will also have a designated Fund Raising Day for Trocaire later on in April. More details to follow!

The annual **Green Day** will be held on **Friday 15 March** in conjunction with our St Patrick’s Day Céilí and Concert. Each child will dress in green and donate £1 to Trócaire.

During the Lenten season, the classes will attend mass and confessions in preparation for Easter.

**Maths Eyes Challenge**

Email your pictures to

**info@stbrigidspsballymoney.ni.sch.uk**

or print and bring them in

A great selection so far well done!

**Sacrament Dates 2019**

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

 11.00am

 Our Lady and St Patrick’s Chapel

Year 7 **Confirmation**  Monday 1st April

 11.00am

Our Lady and St Patrick’s Chapel

**School Closure Advance Notice**

The school will be closed on **Thursday 2 May**

Polling Station for Local Council Elections

**Confirmation Monday 1st April 2019 – Advance Notice for Parents in Year 5 & 6**

As a school we are looking forward to celebrating Confirmation with the Year 7 pupils, their families and Bishop Treanor on Monday 1st April 2019 at 11.00am.

After Confirmation, light refreshments will be served in our school canteen. We would greatly appreciate your assistance by donating £2 to cover the cost of refreshments for the Year 7 children and their families. This is done by the Year 5 and 6 classes in the knowledge that this gesture will be offered to you and your families in the coming years.

Help with serving in the hall at approximately 12.30pm would be greatly appreciated. A letter to express your availability will be sent out within the next two weeks.