**St. Brigid’s – Thank you for the memories**

One opportunity I am most thankful for and one I was very pleased to have was the opportunity in p4 is to be on the football team and represent the school. I played at the Coleraine showgrounds and I was really proud.

I have met a lot of lovely people at school but one of the best has to be my friend Jack he is very funny and a fun person to play with. He joined in P5, and I could relate to this as I joined the class in P3, he was a great addition to our class. I hope we will keep in touch.

I am thankful for the great teaching and for all the hard work the teachers do, I have learnt so much at St. Brigid’s, some was really hard like the transfer test but I was really glad I tried. I was the only boy who did it.

One of the best places I went to with St Brigid’s was my P6 trip to Carrowmena I loved trying the leap of faith and climbing the wall. It was great team building and working together. I also loved the trip to The fun factory in P3 and getting the McDonalds ice cream at the park.

I have learnt a lot from all my teachers but I really loved learning about WW2 with Mrs Diamond, I still have a keen interest in the war and enjoy watching films about it and learning more. I am thankful Mrs Diamond made this learning fun.

I am thankful for all the different sports we tried, I loved the tag rugby, the football and really enjoyed the hockey although I will never forget how disappointed I felt when I never got on the team.

The best events where the Christmas plays, they were like no other I loved getting involved each year but my favourite was the P7 one.

My personal achievements in St Brigid’s include getting pupil of the month a few times & achieving my AR targets, I have read over half a million words.

One of my special memories is meeting everyone for the first time in P3, walking into the class. I also remember Cara’s kindness helping me in P4 when I was on crutches.

I have been influenced by all my class friends some good some not so good and I hope I have influenced my class friends in a good way. I loved being a buddy to Yvan and hope I was a good role model to him. I hope he enjoys the rest of his time at St Brigids and look forward to seeing him progress.

I have loved my time at St. Brigid’s and will cherish it always as I leave my cousin Molly-Rose is starting and I feel happy knowing that she is going to a good scholl, a caring school and a school who will look after her.

It is not the ending we deserved and I'm sad to end the year without the nice things like prize day, leavers mass and trips.

Thank you to everyone at St Brigid’s and keep up the good work for Charlie and Molly-Rose.

From Tommy O’Brien