

St. Bride's Primary School & Nursery Class **NEWSLETTER ~ MARCH 2025**



SHANARRI Responsible

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Children's education should help them fully develop their personalities, talents and abilities. It should teach them to understand their own rights, and respect other people's rights, cultures and differences. It should help them live peacefully and protect the environment.



School Value Faith & Responsible

A-Z of Attachment Strategy	
Т	Talents and Interests
U	Understanding early childhood experiences
V	Value Contributions

Please refer to the Leaflet for more information about WHY these are important? and WHAT you can do? A copy of the full leaflet can be found on the School Website.

Nursery News

We continue to have weekly Literacy & Numeracy learning focuses within the Playroom. This week in Literacy the children are focusing on mark making using different materials to record their ideas, thoughts and feelings. In Numeracy the children will be working on following instructions. I'm sure that is something which can be practised at home too!



Whole School Teaching & Learning Focus

The children continue to learn all about 'Sustainability' through a Topic called 'Jacob's Butterfly Effect'. Their learning will include themes on; Water, Biodiversity, Carbon, Food, Plastic, Waste, Jobs for the Future and Human Rights and Lives. Please ask your child about it!



Staffing Update

We say a very fond farewell to Mrs Goodge who is retiring from teaching. Mrs Goodge has taught in St. Bride's for over 20 years. We want to thank her for all her hard work and service to the school and wish her a very happy and healthy retirement!



Sacrament of

Reconciliation

will be celebrated in

St. Bride's Church on Monday 10th March @

6.30pm. Please keep the

children in your prayers.



Season of Lent

The Season of Lent is a very special time for us in St. Bride's Primary School where we focus on our faith and FAST, PRAY & GIVE. We have lots of activities going on across the school and there will be a particular focus on Lent in Assembly and in class teaching and learning in RE lessons. All Charity events will raise money for SCIAF & Missio. All children can take part in activities with donations gratefully appreciated. Please only give if you can.

Details of events below:

Monday 2nd ~ March SCIAF Assembly

Tuesday 3rd March ~ 8.30am Pancake Breakfast & 9am Prayer Service All families welcome

Wednesday 4th March ~ 9.15am ASH WEDNESDAY Service in School All families welcome

Charity Fun Fridays

7th March - Bring a toy to school day!

14th March - Colourful Clothes

21st March - Crazy Hair Day

28th March - Silly Socks Day

Thursday 3rd April - Easter Enterprise Day

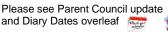
Friday 4th April - Non-Uniform Day(no donations)











Parking

Please park considerately around the school being mindful of our neighbours and keeping our children safe!

Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club is free and open to all school children from 8.15am - 8.40am every day. Please do not drop children off early!



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Parent Council News ~ PC update - March 2025

We have made it to March! Lighter days are on their way!

With February just behind us, we just wanted to take the opportunity to extend our thanks to the children who came along to our recent mid-term disco and also thank you to our volunteers who supported the event. Special thanks to all parents and carers who continue to support our events.



Expenditure:

We have recently purchased additional items for the nursery – 5 additional cameras and an external hard drive.

Further to the above, we are also discussing with the HT if we can help replenish any netball or athletics kits.

Support:

We are keen maximise opportunities to fund raise for the school and Nursery and to offer our children events. However, to continuously do this we need your help with volunteers. We appreciate you may not be able to commit to joining the Parent Council but, if you can offer any help, please speak to any of the Parent Council members, school office or email stbridespc@gmail.com

Upcoming Events:

Helping our Reconciliation and Holy Communion children mark the receiving of their sacraments with some goodies to celebrate

Bucket Shake at Morrison's - Saturday 29thMarch

End of term disco on Wednesday 4 June

Our next monthly meeting is on Wednesday 7th May which you are warmly invited to. We will as usual share the Microsoft Teams link on our Facebook and X platforms nearer the time to join from home or if you wish to come along to school with us you are very welcome. We are always keen for parents to join us – any input is appreciated!

Parent Council members:

Paula Frederick/Nicola Ewing Joint Chairpersons ~ Laura Robertson/Paula Jackson Joint Secretaries John Hylands ~ Treasurer

Geraldine McCadam, Bryan Lynch, Michelle Lynch, Claire Muldoon,

Joanna Clark, Nicola MacFadden, Ciaran Lang

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MARCH 2025		APRIL 2025		
Date	Event	Date	Event	
Mon 3 rd	New Home Learning Issued	Wed 2 nd	9am Brew & a Blether - all welcome	
Tues 4 th	Pancake Tuesday Prayer Breakfast		6.30pm Parent Council Meeting	
	Breakfast 8.30am Prayers 9am – 9.30am		Easter Enterprise Day	
Wed 5 th 9am Brew & a Blether - all welcome 9.15am In School Ash Wednesday Service		Fri 4 th	First Friday mass in school 10am – P2/3	
			Non-Uniform Day	
	6.30pm Parent Council Meeting		SCHOOL & NURSERY CLOSE 2.30pm	
Thurs 6 th World Book Day – no dressing up		Mon 7 th - Mon 21 st APRIL EASTER BREAK		
Athletics ~ Cross Country Event	Athletics ~ Cross Country Event	SCHOOL & NURSERY CLOSED		
		Tues 22 nd	School & Nursery re-open at 9am	
Fri 7 th First Friday mass in school 9.	First Friday mass in school 9.15am		New Home Learning Issued (2 Weeks)	
Primary 2/3(P3 only) & Primary 3		Thurs 24th	Cabaal 9 Normany Dhatagramba	
	CHARITY FUN FRIDAY	Fri 25 th	School & Nursery Photographs	
Mon 10 th	Sacrament of Reconciliation 6.30pm	Wed 30 th	Family Learning Afternoon	
Tues 11 th	Primary 7 Half day visit Trinity HS	MAY 2025		
Thurs 13th	P1 & P7 dental Inspections	Thurs 1st	IN-SET Day (Pupils day off)	
Fri 14 th World Maths Day	World Maths Day	Fri 2 nd	First Friday mass in school 10am - P4/5	
	CHARITY FUN FRIDAY	Mon 5 th	May Day HOLIDAY	
Thurs 20th	Euro Quiz – 4xP6 Students			
Fri 21st	CHARITY FUN FRIDAY	Diems Detect		
Wed 26 th	Cross Country Final (if we qualify! ♦)	Diary Dates		
Fri 28 th	CHARITY FUN FRIDAY			