St. Jarlath's Journal

"Finding success in every child"

<u>MAY</u>

- Dinner money for May: £54.60
- Snack/fruit money, P1 to P3: £4 per pupil
- Milk Money for Term 3: £15.00 per pupil

Outstanding dinner money

Any family who currently has an outstanding dinner/milk/fruit bill should arrange to have it paid by this **Friday 3rd May**. Any unpaid dinner bills by this date may result in children not being able to take school dinner next Monday. The school does not have credit facilities to pay unpaid bills.

May Altar

A May altar is in school. Feel free to send in some flowers to honour Our Lady.

FUNdamentals Sports Day

Our FUNdamentals Sports Day takes place on 23rd May (weather permitting). Each pupil is asked to wear a t-shirt in the colour of their House Team.



Traditional Sport Day

We plan to hold our Traditional Sports Day on Thursday 30th May. (weather permitting)

School Uniform

May we remind all parents that pupils are expected to remain in full school uniform during this term; this applies to the wearing of plain black shoes as well.

O'Neill's GFC

We are very grateful to O'Neill's GFC for supplying a coach for P1 and P2, free of charge, during this term.

5 Mile Mor

We are delighted to support O'Neill's GFC 5 Mile Mor which takes place on Saturday 25th May. Funds raised will benefit Stroke Association, O'Neill's GFC and our school. All families are encouraged to support these worthwhile causes and come out on the day and enjoy some fun time with family and friends.

Meeting to organise refreshments for First Holy Communion

A short meeting will take place on Thursday 2nd May at 6pm for P3 parents re First Holy Communion refreshments.

Sacrament of First Holy Communion

The Sacrament of First Holy Communion takes place in St. Jarlath's Church at 11am on Saturday 18th May. We wish our P4 pupils and their families a very special day.

Swimming Gala

The Orchard Swimming Gala will take place on Friday 10th May. Parents are responsible for ensuring their children attend and are collected on time.

WAU trip

P5 will visit the Argory on Wednesday 9^{th} May as part of their World Around Us topic.

Annual Blitz

Mr Loughran will host his annual Primary School blitz on Thursday 9th May. If anyone is available to help out on the day we would be very grateful. Please contact Mr Loughran at school.

Shared Education Trip

P2 will visit Cope P5 on Wednesday 15th May while P6 host P6/7 class from Cope P5 here. There is NO CHARGE for these trips as they are funded by Peace IV. P2 pupils will require a packed lunch.

Free School Meals

If your child is entitled to a Free School Meal the school canteen can provide a packed lunch on days of school trips. This lunch will consist of bread/bread and jam, a piece of fruit and some milk. It is parents' responsibility to inform the school at least 3 days in advance if a lunch is needed.

After School Programme, term 3

MON	WED	THURS
Burns Hip Hop	Gaelic (P4 and P5) Burns Soccer	Gaelic (P6 and P7)

Special thanks go to those teachers who have volunteered to host an After School Club.

Annual Summer Trips

CLASSES	DATE	PLACE
P1	14 th June	Funky Moneys, Dungannon
P2 (Shared Education)	3 rd June	Teddy Bears' Picnic at Loughgall Park
P3, P4 and P5	18 th June	Peter Pan and People's Park
		Portadown
P6 (Shared Education)	11 th June	Laser tag and Bowling, Sheepsbridge
		Newry
P7	19 th June	Adventure & Activity Day at
		Cookstown Sports Complex

Reminder: Remaining Staff days: no school for pupils

Tuesday 28th May and Monday 10th June

School closures

Monday 6th and 27th May and Tuesday 28th May

Non Uniform day for April: 3rd May £2 per pupil please