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Seaview Primary School

December Newsletter 2019

Dear Parents,

December is that time of the year when we celebrate, share and reflect on what we have achieved and what awaits us in the future.

Pupils, parents, staff and the community have been very generous with their time, thoughts and contributions made to Seaview PS and to others in the local community and beyond who need that wee bit of additional help.

On reflection this year has been truly transformative from where we were last year. Within the next few months we hope that our endeavours are realised and Seaview PS, Glenarm will be a fully Integrated Primary School; the pride of The Glens.

On behalf of the Board of Governors and staff I want to wish you a very happy Christmas and a fantastic 2020.

All the best,

Mr Barry Corr.

Principal.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2019

December

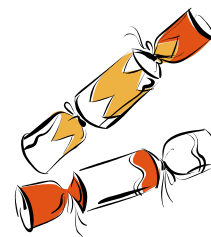
Monday 2 nd	Glenarm Christmas Tree light switch on
Tuesday 3 rd	A.S.C. Drama P1-7
Wednesday 4 th	Literacy & Numeracy Club P6&7
Wednesday 4 th	Open day for New P1's (10-11.30AM & 6-7.30PM)
Thursday 5 th	Art A.S.C. P3-7 3.15pm-4.15PM
Thursday 5 th	Luncheon Club Xmas dinner @ 1.30PM
Monday 9 th	Christmas Show Morning performance 10-11.30AM
Tuesday 10 th	Christmas Show Matinee Performance @1.30PM
Wednesday 11 th	Christmas Show Evening performance 6.00PM
Wednesday 11 th	Christmas Dinner @
Thursday 12 th	School Closed /Polling station
Saturday 14 th	Choir singing at SSE Arena, Belfast -1.30PM
Monday 16 th	P3-7 Singing at Broadway, Larne
Wednesday 18 th	Pop-up Cinema PTA event at 6pm in school
Saturday 21 st	Whist Drive @8PM School Hall
Monday 23 rd	Panto @ Grand Opera House, Belfast

Jan 2020

Monday 6 th	School re-opens -Term 2
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Transformation to Integration

Our Development Proposal has been through several drafts and we are almost ready to present it to the relevant authorities for consideration. We already have pupils enrolled for 2024/2025.



Projected Enrolment

In 2020/21 it looks like we are going to surpass our threshold of 17 primary 1 pupils. This is an excellent testimony to the demand for Integrated Education in Glenarm and a positive reinforcement of the reputation and respect we have as providers of a 21st century education for all pupils.



Open day for New P1's and other potential new pupils

Wednesday 4th Dec (10-11.30AM & 6-7.30PM)

We welcome all potential new pupils to Seaview for this Open Morning. Mr Corr will address parents while pupils will be involved in fun learning activities with Mrs Moran.

Principals Address: 10:15AM and 6.15PM.

Child Safety Awareness Guide Booklets

Safety Guide Foundation supplied us with Child Safety Awareness Guide Booklets which were kindly donated to Seaview Primary School on behalf of The Coast Road Inn. Many Thanks to Coast Road Inn we really appreciate the continued support.

Glenarm Christmas Tree Light Switch on Monday 2nd December 2019 @6.30PM

Glenarm Village Committee invite everyone to their annual Christmas Tree Light switch on Monday 2nd December @ 6.30PM followed by carol singing. Santa will arrive with presents for all the children. Warm traditional mince pies will be served!

Choir singing at SSE Arena, Belfast Saturday 14th @1.30PM

We have secured funding from an anonymous doner who very generously has agreed to fund a bus for this performance.

We will depart from Seaview PS at 12.30PM and return at approximately 9PM.

Teachers & Staff Christmas presents

We will be operating the same policy as last year of NO Christmas presents for any staff at Seaview.

Christmas Show Dates & Time

9th Dec - Monday 10AM - Morning Show

10th Dec - Tuesday 1.30PM - Matinee

11th Dec - Wednesday 6PM - Evening Show



Christmas Dinner for all pupils at Seaview will be served on 11th December at 12 Noon. All pupils will go home at 1PM. Buses will be available.

Christmas Raffle

If anyone would like to donate a raffle prize for our Christmas Raffle contact any PTA member or the school office or Mrs Moran.

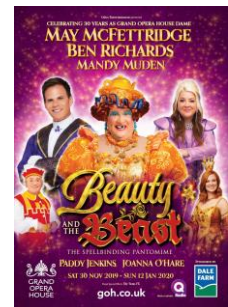
You can also contribute to our School Hamper in the Day-ToDay shop, or leave items in the school office.

This is one of our biggest fundraisers that requires support from our parents and wider community. Any help is much appreciated. Tickets will be on sale at £1 each or £5 per book from all our children, staff and the Day-Today shop.

Panto @ Grand Opera House, Belfast Monday 23rd December

Please return all outstanding monies when you can. We are so excited about this trip!

More details will follow later.



Scholastic Book Fair – Last Day Monday 2nd December

Scholastic Book Fair is currently in our school. All books are half price. It ends on Monday 2nd December.

After School Clubs

All after school clubs will finish at the end of first week in December.

Late Class for P1/2

P1/2 Mon - Friday 2.15-3.15PM Late Club £2.00 per Child or £3.00 per family. Will continue as normal until school finishes for Christmas.

Expression of Interest Forms

Please take note we have provided a new Expression of Interest Form. Make sure you have returned your form!