

St. Francis'
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September Newsletter

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Principal
Mr. J.P Magee

September
2019

Happy Birthday

Lilly	P.4	2nd
Fionnuala	P.6	15th
Barney	P.3	22nd
Shauna	P.2	24th
Ellie May	P.3	30th

Breakfast Club

£2 per day From 8.15am

Afterschool Club

2pm-3pm

£1.50 per day P. 1 & 2

Special Points of

Interest

- Swimming every Monday this term starting on Monday 9th September for P.4 & P.6. Costing £2:50 each.
- School Dinners cost £2.60.**
- PLEASE PAY ONLY ON A MONDAY IN AN ENVELOPE.
- PLEASE ENSURE PUPILS' NAMES ARE ON ALL SCHOOL WEAR AND PERSONAL ITEMS.
- Healthy Break every day for ALL pupils. (Fruit only)**
- Plus water or milk to drink**

Dear Parents & Friends of the school,

It's hard to believe that the summer is over and it is September again. It was great to see so many smiling faces in the playground this morning ready to embark on another exciting year at school. I would like to welcome everybody back for the school year and extend a special welcome to our new primary ones who begin their school life today. I am sure that they will be very happy here and create many lifelong friends and memories.

Save these Dates

Parents are invited to curriculum meetings for the year ahead.

Monday 9th Sept :	9.15am P. 1 Mrs. McIvor.
Tuesday 10th Sept :	3.00pm P. 2/3 Mrs. Leitch
Wednesday 11th Sept:	3.00pm P. 4/5 Mrs. Magorrian
Thursday 12th Sept:	3.00pm P. 6/7 Mr. Magee.
Friday 13th Sept	Roald Dahl Celebration Day—Non Uniform Dress in something Yellow
Monday 16th & 17th	Mrs. O'Neill & Mrs. Keenan will be out on a First Aid course.
Thursday 26th Sept :	Miss Wilson out on Grow in Love training.
Friday 27th Sept :	Friends of St Francis' Bingo evening in St Johns GAC @7pm
Monday 30th Sept :	Art Week — Artist Study for the children
Tuesday 1st Oct:	Tempest Photographer @ 9am
Thursday 10th Oct :	Cormac Venney: Growth Mindset Workshop @7pm



After school clubs

Starting Monday 9th September Netball club with Mrs. Mooney P.4-P.7
3-4pm

Tuesday 10th September ICT Club with Mrs. Magorrian P.6 3-4pm

Wednesday 11th September Seamus Heath football coaching P.2 2-3pm
P.3-P.7 3-4pm

Every Thursday Down GAA coaching with
Benny Coulter beginning Thursday 19th September 1pm-3pm. P. 4—7.

Booster Club

Starting Tuesday 3rd— P.7 Class with Mr. Magee from 8.00am-9.00am

Cillian Lavery, Orlaith Magorrian,
Aoibheann Morgan-Marks Saorfhlaith Stuart,
Declan O'Connor.

Cormac Neill, Fionn Cunningham, Darragh Quinn, Thomas McCann, Owen Byrne, Cillian Kelly.



Our New
Primary
One Class!

Friends of St Francis'

Dublin Trip - Saturday 7th December

Bus leaves Ballynahinch @ 7.00am, Druma-
road @ 7.20am, Clonvaraghan @ 7.25am
and Castlewellan @ 7.40am

Cost £20 per
seat

Contact:

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SCHOOL UNIFORM

BLACK FOOTWEAR ONLY
TO BE WORN WITH FULL
SCHOOL UNIFORM EVERY
DAY.

**ON P.E. DAYS ALL
PUPILS MUST WEAR
THE SCHOOL
TRAINING BOTTOMS
OR PLAIN BLACK
BOTTOMS ONLY.**

PLEASE REMEMBER TO
HAVE ALL HAIR TIED
BACK.

PLEASE ENSURE NAMES
ARE ON ALL PERSONAL
ITEMS AND UNIFORMS.

Bingo

Friday 27th Sept.
Friends of St Francis'
Bingo Evening @
7pm In St. Johns



Theatre Trip

For this years Christmas
trip we will be attending
The Mac in Belfast on
Tuesday 10th December.

We will be watching
Scrooge—A Christmas
Carol.

Our school day starts at 9.15am; children who arrive after this time
will be marked late on the register.

Supervision in the school yard does not begin until 9.00am.



Swimming News

From September 9th until 5th February. P.4 & P.6 will be
going swimming every Monday.

£2:50 each.

It is of great importance that all pupils take
part in this activity and learn this vital life
saving skill.

**Please ensure names are on all items of
clothing. Pupils may wear their PE
tracksuit bottoms.**



Save the Date

Cormac Venney
Growth Mind-set
Workshop on 10th
October @7—
8.30pm in St.
Francis Primary
School.