

Knocknagor Primary School



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Sport: Congratulations to Emmett McFarland who will play at half time during the Tyrone V Derry Ulster SFC match in May. Our girls' team have been busy attending blitzes over the last number of weeks and they represented the school very well. We are currently busy preparing for the Gaelic tournaments which are taking place in May. The Hogan Cup is coming to the school at 9:30am on Wednesday with Mr Dom Corrigan from St Michaels coming out along with Josh + Jack Largo Ellis and some star players.

SUSTRANS Walk to School: Well done to everybody who participated in our 'Walk to School Challenge'. It was great to see such a good turnout from our parents and indeed the family pets.



PTA: All children have received a packet of Smarties each as part of our Smartie Challenge. Please return all Smartie tubes and money after the Easter break. Our fantastic PTA continue to provide excellent resources, transport and equipment for the school. We had a brilliant Quiz Night in Molly's at the start of March and it was very well supported by everyone.

Pupil Achievements: Good luck to Aine McCann, Eimear Sweeney and Collette McNulty who are competing in the World Dancing Championships in Killarney this week. Well done to Tori Mc Govern who performed very well at a Hip Hop dancing competition in Dublin over the weekend along with Darren Woods, Ryan and Rory Aiken who competed in a swimming competition in Kilkeel, Co Down. Sean McAleer was presented with a special award from Fermanagh and Omagh District Council on Friday night at an awards ceremony,



to recognise his fantastic ability in music. We are very proud of you all.

St Mary's Irvinestown: A Cyber safety presentation for the P7s will take place on Friday 3rd of May at 9:30am. Our P6 and P7 children took part in a STEM Challenge and Numeracy activities in St Mary's at the start of the month. We thank Mrs Flanagan for providing the children from Knocknagor with additional learning experiences throughout the year.

School Council: Our Mad Hair Day / Superhero Day photographs are all available on our website. Our school council members and ECO committee spoke to everyone in the school about recycling / switching lights off. We raised £170 from our last Cash for clobber Collection. Thank you everyone.

Lough Derg: Our P7 children are attending Lough Derg tomorrow for a special retreat as they continue to prepare for their Confirmation.

Afterschool Activities: There will be no more after school activities now until after the Easter break.





P4 – P7 School Trip: To Jungle NI on Monday 10th of June. Please return forms and money to Geraldine by Friday 10th of May.

School Closures

Easter Holidays 18^h – 26th April (Wednesday 17th of April is a full day)

Confirmation 17th May

First Holy Communion 25th of May

Children are off 6th, 27th and 28th of May.

Summer Holidays Half Day on Thursday 27th of June. 12:30pm finish.

Information on Sports Day, Leavers Mass etc. will be out after Easter.

Remember to look at our website for regular updates on what is happening in Knocknagor