



KNOCKLOUGHRIM SCHOOL NEWS



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2016

Welcome to this week's newsletter and our first newsletter of our Summer Term! Please keep our school in your thoughts this term.

Clubs: After school clubs will recommence on Monday 18th April. A timetable is attached to this newsletter so please return the booking form with payment, if required, on Monday or before Friday 15th.

2016-2017 Holidays: Are now on the calendar of our school website.

Sports Day 2016: Before Easter I informed you all that we will be organizing Sports Day as a pilot on a fixed day Friday 27th May at 9.30am. If it is dry the event will be held in school and if it is wet it will be held undercover at the Termonkeeney Centre. We hope this encourages as many of our parents to attend as you know this date is now fixed and no longer dependent on the weather.

PTA Bag Pack: Before Easter our PTA covered the costs of our children participating in an Easter Egg Hunt where the Easter bunny made a pre-Easter visit. We are very appreciative of the support of our PTA for all our children. They are organising a supermarket bag pack on Saturday 16th April in Iceland supermarket, Magherafelt from 11am to 3pm. If you are able to support the event for an hour during that time please contact the office on Monday or return the Parentmail form sent out over Easter.

Bank Holiday/Election Week: Before Easter we let you know that we will be closed on Thursday 5th May for the Assembly elections. This will mean that we are closed on Monday 2nd & 3rd May for our planned Bank Holidays and staff development and also on 5th. On Wednesday 4th & Friday 6th we will be open as normal although we plan to focus on Eco Schools, UNICEF and ICT on these two days.

Jiving & Line Dancing Lessons: We have been asked to let you know that The Lurach Centre are holding Line Dancing and Jiving lessons throughout April on Monday evenings. 9-18 yrs £2 per week from 7.30-8.30pm and Adults are £5 per week from 8.30-9.30pm.

Dinner Monies: Please send orders for dinners into school on a Monday morning to help facilitate office admin and kitchen orders.

Dinner Menu Week 3 from Monday

<http://www.knockloughrim.org>
or follow us on Twitter: @knockloughrim

Magherafelt Foodbank : We were delighted by the response of our Chocolate Swap event in support of Magherafelt Foodbank before Easter. A large basket of groceries is being prepared in school for distribution through the foodbank. Can I thank everyone who contributed and remind you that our school is a permanent drop off point for items for the foodbank and that it is only as a result of the generosity of the foodbank and JC Stewarts that we are able to offer our Breakfast Club free of charge until the end of June.

Class Trips Before Easter: Just before Easter a view events took place. Photos have been uploaded to our school website and Facebook Accounts.

Parent Support Workshops: Following our School Development Plan consultation last month we have put in place, at the suggestion of our parents, a programme of Parent Support Workshops for this summer term and next school year. A Parentmail form was sent home for ideas and the course below is being offered as a result of the consultation so I would encourage as many of you as possible to come along and learn how we as parents can keep our children safe online.

Would you like to learn more about e-safety with your child?



Come to our internet safety workshop

Delivered by BT in partnership with Unicef UK's Rights Respecting Schools

Wednesday 20th April

From 4pm to 5pm

Mr. Montgomery's Room



Windmill Club Extended Child Care For Week Commencing: Monday 11th April. - (Costs: Up to 1hr = £2.50 or Longer than 1 hr up to 6pm = £8)

Names of Child/ren:	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
Days Required:	Monday <input type="checkbox"/>	Tuesday <input type="checkbox"/>	Wednesday <input type="checkbox"/>	Thursday <input type="checkbox"/>	Friday <input type="checkbox"/>
Pick Up Time:	_____pm.	_____pm.	_____pm.	_____pm.	_____pm.

Clubs: Complete as many child slots as required for clubs starting on Monday 18th April:

1 My child _____ (P_) will be attending the following clubs.

_____ (Mon) _____ (Tues) _____ (Wed) _____ (Thurs)

2 My child _____ (P_) will be attending the following clubs.

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I enclose £_____ to cover the cost of clubs that require a contribution for the term (please refer to timetable). To ensure your child has a place, and that we have the correct amount of materials for each child, this must be returned and paid by Friday 15th April. School bus available at 2.50pm only.