



Newbuildings Primary School



Weekly Newsletter

7th June 2018

Dear Parents,

As we come to the end of another year I wanted to give you a few dates for your diary.

Sports day Wednesday 13th June (10.30 am weather permitting)

Open day for the Friday 15th June 1pm-2pm

New Nursery parents

Summer Fete Thursday 21st June (6.30pm-8.30pm)

Leavers Assembly Monday 25th June (10.00am)

and Prize-giving

Nursery Graduation Tuesday 26th June (10.30am)

School finishes Friday 29th June (12.00 noon)

The Governors have been very busy this year and have had at least one meeting every month. Staffing has been on the agenda at every meeting. The current teachers will be teaching the same year groups next year. With regard to the Principal's job the governors, in consultation with the EA, will be placing an advert for a temporary acting Principal from September. I will continue to be in school each week and act as a Principal's mentor. I look forward to continuing my relationship with Newbuildings PS and thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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Acting Principal

Pupils of the Week

P1 - Billy Caldwell

P2 - Preston McDermott

P3 - Caleb Holmes

P4 - Jay Curry

P5 - Lauren Browne

P6 - Travis Mercer

P7 - Amy Walker

Book Donations

We are looking to increase the number of class sets of novels. If you have any Roald Dahl, Michael Morpurgo or David Walliams books that have already been read and you are looking to give the books to a good home we would be very grateful for all donations received. Please send the books in to Mrs McCormick. Many thanks.

Shared Education Project

We have come to the end of our shared education project with St Columba's for this academic year. Following staff and pupil evaluations we have put together ideas for next year. Mrs Robb and Mrs Callen have put in a new application for the 2018/19 year. We hope to be successful and continue on with this partnership. My thanks to everyone for all the hard work that you have put into the last 6 months. Well done.

P6 Science Fair

Mrs McCormick and the P6's have been very busy working at science activities in school and have produced fantastic display boards showing all their experiments and results. They have been invited to St Mary's College here in the city and Ulster University Jordanstown to display and talk about their work. Well done all of you.

Swimming Gala

On Wednesday afternoon 10 of our pupils from P4 to P7 were competing in the local Swimming Gala for primary schools. The boys and girls were great ambassadors for our school and competed really well. We will be acknowledging their efforts at Prize giving. My thanks to all the children and Mrs Robb who accompanied them.