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Dear Parents,

It is hard to believe we are now into the last 3 weeks of school for this academic year. Once again the school year has flown in. At this point teachers are now finishing the last aspects of topics and teaching for the year and soon you will be getting home the various books and activities children have completed. I hope you will enjoy perusing through these and gain an overview into some of the work they have covered this year.

End of Year Reports, together with information on classes for 22-23, will be issued on Monday 20th June, 2022.



Congratulations to all the children in P4 who celebrated First Holy Communion on Saturday 21st May. It was a beautiful ceremony and we were very proud of all the children.

Jubilee Celebration Day

We had a truly wonderful Jubilee Celebration day on 31st May. I hope the children enjoyed all the different activities and fun treats and that they will have great memories of the day.

There was an immense amount of organising and timetabling involved in the day and we would like to thank all those who helped and contributed. The local businesses ~<u>Glens of Antrim Crisps, Kenny's Spar Grove Rd, Irons Bakery, Dale Farm,</u> <u>Co-op Ballymena, Lidl NI and Tesco ~ thank you for your donations and support.</u> <u>Thank you to Fitness Freddy, King of Castles, Kidz Farm, Glitterbug and Leona</u> <u>Backus for the Boogie Bounce trampolines.</u>

A huge thank you to all the Braidside staff for their hard work, effort and participation prior to the event and on the day, to ensure all the children had a super day.



Lost Property

We have some lost property this year. A cupboard with a small number of items, is maintained in the Hygiene Room, as cloakrooms and classrooms are tidied over the next few weeks, please encourage your children to check the cupboard for any missing items. Dates for your Diary: 13th~16th June: P1 Induction sessions

15th June: KS2 Sports' day (10am)

20th June: Annual Pupil Reports issued, together with information on classes for 22/23

20th-24th June: Nursery induction sessions

21st June: KS1 Sports' day (10am)

24th June: Leavers' Day and Assembly (10am) P7 pupils will finish school after their assembly.

28th June: Bump Up Morning! Classes will meet and spend the morning with their new teacher for September 2022.

30th June: Last day of School, close for summer holidays at 12:15pm

As we approach the end of term may I take the opportunity to wish you all a healthy, relaxing and fun summer holiday. Thank you all for your continued support and cooperation throughout this school year. As a school community it is so important that we all work in partnership together, to achieve the best possible outcomes for the children. There has been much achieved throughout this school year and I hope we can look forward to the next year and continue to build on this progress.

Take care and stay safe!

Yours faithfully,

J McAuley