

TOREAGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Child Protection/Safeguarding Team

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Over the last few weeks we have had some fun. Even though the weather wasn't kind to us for our Platinum Jubilee celebrations, I know the children and staff enjoyed their chippy and ice-cream! Hopefully something they will remember for a long time.

We also had our visit from Wee Critters and Alan (the Explorer) was impressed with the knowledge the children had, and range of questions he was asked. I even got to hold an armadillo!

The P5, 6 and 7 enjoyed the concert by the Ulster Orchestra today.

Friday 17th June Sports Day

We are happy to say that Sports Day will be held on school grounds on the morning of Friday 17th June. The children should go home after sports, except P7 children doing cycling.

Parents may enter from 9.50am. Sports will commence at 10am – 11.30am. Children will come to school in their PE clothing, ready to participate. Remember to bring a water bottle.

Our day is a team sports day, where children from different classes P1-7 make up teams and take part in lots of fun activities. Our theme is the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

This year we will be making a few changes:

- Parents may come along and watch. We ask that 2 adults maximum attend please.
- No seating will be available. You are welcome to bring your own seat.
- A goody bag will be given to the children on their way home.
- The prize giving will take place during our final full assembly.

Please remember, dogs are not permitted on school grounds. There should be no smoking/vaping on school grounds.

We look forward to you joining us again for this fun filled morning. Fingers crossed for good weather!

On that note, if Friday 17th June is a wash out and Sports Day cannot go ahead as planned, a second date will not be arranged for parents to attend. We will go ahead with Sports Day, in school, on a day that is dry and when the field is not too wet.

If it is necessary to cancel on 17th June, a text will be sent out before 8.30am and school will continue as normal on that day (no early finish, break and lunch required.) Therefore, cycling will be 2pm-4pm.

Thursday 16th June

The Larne Times have a Special Primary 7 Photo Feature printed in the paper on this date.

P7 Cycling on 17th June

After sports, cycling will take place 1pm – 3pm. Please note change of time for this day only. Those children in P7 who receive a free school meal will be provided with a packed lunch on this day. Should Sports Day be cancelled, cycling will be the normal time 2.00 – 4.00pm

Wednesday 22nd June

P7 Puberty Talk

Thursday 23rd June

P7 assembly and last day. This will take place in the morning 10.00am and last a maximum of 1 hour in total. P7 children can go home after the assembly. Only 2 adults should attend this event. Unfortunately, this event can only take place if the weather is kind to us.

Friday 24th June

P1 Intake September 2022 - individual visits to school, times have been issued. Arrangements have also been made for Mrs Wells to visit the children in the Pre-School setting.

Other Information

Sun Hat

Children should bring a sun hat to school to wear on very bright days.

Sun Cream

Put on liberally before coming to school. Please remember NO 'nut' based creams, eg. coconut.

Free School Meal/School Uniform Allowance 2022 – 23

Parents are able to apply online from week commencing 6th June 2022 via the EA website www.eani.org.uk

The Helpdesk is operated by staff across the EA Free School Meals/Uniform Allowance service.

It is available to assist parents and guardians who may have any queries. The Helpdesk operates Monday – Friday from 9.00am to 4.30pm and can be contacted via email: mealsanduniform@eani.org.uk The telephone number which should be used for all enquiries is 028 9041 8044.

C L Morrow
Principal

10th June 2022