



BALLYCLARE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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TOTAL RAISED SO FAR IS: £1,539.54

SCHOOL FAIR – WELL DONE EVERYONE – despite a ‘damp’ start!

Everyone came along determined to have a good time and to support school. We are so grateful. It takes a lot of organisation to set up our Fair and we are always delighted at the turn out of friends and family. This year again required brollies, raincoats and a ‘Ballyclare Primary Spirit’ to enjoy the activities – and that was evident in all the faces we saw. We were delighted that the sun did come out and we enjoyed the dry evening.

Well done also to Mr McAuley, Margaret in our office and all staff/parent helpers and Governors, for making Friday night at our school fair so successful. We have a staff who go the extra mile to make the children happy and parent helpers who kindly send in donations for the Fair and, on the night, help at some of our stalls.

It was a real joy to watch all the fun activities and great chat going on as parents, children and friends supported this great event in our end of year calendar. We are most grateful to all the local businesses who supported us with prizes and vouchers (please see attached list).

Every year the generosity of the list of people giving prizes to support us is clear to see. A huge thank you to those who never need persuaded, they just donate and offer – and we appreciate this very much. Congratulations to all the winners.

The whole night would only have been a success however, if everyone came along and spent their money. The total raised for the evening was £3,000 which school will use for new equipment for the next academic year. We are delighted that all the hard work in preparation led to such a community spirited night and school funds raised. Thank you also for the additional generous donation of £600 given by two families.

We understand that parents/carers are keen to take photographs of their children at school events, but please be mindful that not all parents would wish their children’s photos being posted on social networking sites. As such, please note that the school does not give permission for photos of pupils/staff taken at school events or on school property being posted on any social networking site. We appreciate your understanding in this matter. Should you wish to share a photograph of a school event – please ensure you seek the permission of the parents of any child featuring in it. Thank you.

P1 PARENTS

Please note that all P1 pupils will leave school on Wednesday 12th and Thursday 13th June at 12:00 as we are hosting our new P1 pupils for their start in 2019/20. It is hard to believe we are a year on and all your little ones were attending this day last year! Normal exit doors apply. Thank you.

P7 PARENTS

Leavers’ Assembly on Thursday 20th June will commence at 9:15am. This will be to celebrate the achievements of our P7 pupils and to distribute the cups and prizes for this academic year.

The Leavers’ Evening will take place on Tuesday 25th June at 7:30pm. All P7 pupils will officially leave us on this day. Tickets will be issued soon.

WELL DONE MELISSA

Melissa Webster (P6) has recently returned from representing Northern Ireland at the British Gymnastic Acrobatics Finals in Stoke- on Trent. She was placed in the top ten with her partner in all of the UK. Well done Melissa!

LOST PEN DRIVE

At our Summer Fair on Friday evening, one of our parents lost a blue Sandisk pen drive. anyone happens to find it could they please leave it in to the school office. Thank you.

MOVING ON

On Wednesday morning, 26th June, our pupils 'move on' to meet their new class teachers and see where they will sit in September. All children will have a note home with their new class teacher's name on it and their classroom location, for your information, on this day. Any child who is not in school during the last week will have this information in their report envelope.

WEDNESDAY 26th JUNE - INFORMATION FOR P3 & P5 PARENTS.

On Wednesday 26th June, all pupils will move to their new class teacher and classroom to meet and get familiar with their new arrangements. All will receive a note about this for parent information. Parents in P3 and P5 should note that these year groups are mixed into new classes for P4 and P6.

The usual criteria is applied each year:

1. Academic progress
2. Friendships
3. Gender mix
4. Special needs/talents
5. Behaviour records

We have always found the children to mix really well with their 'new' peers in the classroom and their social skills are enhanced. Previous friendships are still encouraged at break, lunch and during extended school times. The year group also meets for various activities throughout the academic year. Parents should encourage the new friendships to be made and the benefits of this new mix.

YORK & WOODHALL P7 TRIPS 2020

Applications for places close on 10th June. Confirmation of attaining a place on a trip will then be sent home shortly after that date. Deposits of £50 will be required by Wednesday 19th June. Please do not send any deposits unless you have received confirmation of your child being allocated a place on the trip.

COMMUNITY NEWS

BIBLE FUN WEEK with Colin Tinsley (Hope for Youth Ministries) will take place in Tildarg Primary School, 7:00 - 8:00pm from 10th - 14th June. Bible Stories, Games, Singing, Activities, Quizzes, Prizes. For further information, contact 07515444334 / 07880542885 / 07849737820.

SUMMER FAIR 2019 - COMPETITION WINNERS

★ COMPETITION PRIZES	★ PRIZE	★ DONATED BY	★ WINNER
Penalty Kick	Pizza Voucher	DOMINO'S PIZZA	Ollie McKillen P4MCDA
Target Golf	Pizza Voucher	DOMINO'S PIZZA	Kyle McGarry (Parent)
Basketball Shoot	Pizza Voucher	DOMINO'S PIZZA	Josh Ritchie (Past pupil)
Clown Shoot	Pizza Voucher	DOMINO'S PIZZA	Jessica White P2IF
Hook a Duck (up to P4)	Pizza Voucher	DOMINO'S PIZZA	Priya Kidd P1HC
Hook a Duck (P5-7)	10 Scoop Tub Ice Cream	THE PAPER SHOP	Susanna Porter
Minion Game (up to P4)	Toy Minion	SCHOOL	Imogen Arnold P2LMNS
Minion Game (P5-7)	£5 voucher	JOHNNY WHITES	Joshua Strange P5KMG
Number of balloons in car	£20 Voucher	SPORT N' SOUND	Edee Rankin P7CM
Number of Sweets in Jar	Jar of Sweets	SCHOOL	Joshua Winter P7RK
Number of Lego Blocks	Box of Lego	SCHOOL	Emma Weatherup P6RW
Bear's House Number	Cuddly Teddy Bear	SCHOOL	Macie Simms P3RH

SUMMER FAIR 2019 - GRAND DRAW WINNERS

★ PRIZE	★ DONATED BY	★ WINNER	
£10 Voucher	BALLYCLARE JEWELLERS	Bethany Houston	P5KMG
Gelish Voucher	BEAUTY & BEYOND	Max & Sofia Agnew	P1TM
Set of Screwdrivers	BENNY CRAIG'S	Lily McCrory	P4SK
Outdoor Planter	BLOOMS - BALLYCLARE	Charlotte Hunter	P3JD
Outdoor Planter	BLOOMS - BALLYCLARE	Sam Taylor	P7RK
Outdoor Planter	BLOOMS - BALLYCLARE	Jessica Davidson	P7RK
£5 Voucher	BLOOMS TEA ROOMS	Gabbi Laird	P4SS
£5 Voucher	BLOOMS TEA ROOMS	Gabbi Laird	P4SS
Soap & Glory Gift Set	BOOTS, MAIN STREET	Kizzie Karaikos	P5JS
£10 Voucher	BROWN'S COFFEE CO.	Max Cowden	P6RW
£10 Voucher	FALSTAFFS	Zach Leckey	P2IF
Selection of Toiletries	FLEMING'S CHEMIST	Hunter Ross	P1TM
£15 Voucher	GREY'S RESTAURANT	Katie Robinson	P3RH
Tie	HALL'S MENSWEAR	AJ Pratt	P5KMG
£20 Voucher	JACKSONS BUTCHERS	Daniel McKinstry	P2IF
£10 Voucher	JENKINS BUTCHERS	Brooke Knox	P5SJM
£5 Voucher	JOHNNY WHITES	Beau Patrick	P1TM
£5 Voucher	JOHNNY WHITES	Wilma Gardiner	
£10 Voucher	JOLI DESIGNER CLOTHING	William Shiels	P5SJM
Wash, Cut & Blow Dry Voucher	KARMA	Hannah Winter	P7RK
Wash & Blow Dry Voucher	LA CHIC HAIR SALON	Melissa Houston	
£10 Voucher	MUNDELL'S FOOTWEAR	Ethan Vennard	P5KMG
£20 Voucher	POTS OF PLEASURE	Sarah-Ann Pollock	P3RH
Dog Accessories	SCOOBY HAIR DOO	Faith Mawhinney	P4MCDA
£10 Voucher	THE CEDAR TREE	Macie Mae Gray	P2SH
£10 Voucher	THE SPAR, DOAGH ROAD	Noah Wright	P6TS
£10 Voucher	THE SPAR, DOAGH ROAD	Grace McGuigan	P4SS
£30 Voucher	THE WARDROBE	Joel Whaley	P7CM
Wall Clock	TIME COFFEE HOUSE	Rupert Gray	
STAR PRIZE ★★★ Short Break at Causeway Holiday Park	HAGAN'S HOLIDAY PARK	Bethany Porter	P5KMG



CONGRATULATIONS to all our winners



and a special THANK YOU

to our local businesses for their generous donations.