



## BALLYCLARE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

School finishes tomorrow, Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June at 12:00 noon for all pupils.

School recommences on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> August at 8:55am - finishing at 12:00 noon.

EA has directed that all school meals this year will start on 2<sup>nd</sup> September.

As we will have no kitchen facilities available on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> and Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August, I would ask that you note the following:

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> August

- No breakfast available but supervision will commence at 8:00am.
- No toast for breacktime so please provide a snack.
- Lunch at home due to 12:00 finish.

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August

- No breakfast available but supervision will commence at 8:00am.
- No toast for breacktime so please provide a snack.
- Packed lunch to be sent to school as no school dinner/lunch will be available.

Should any parent, with children on the Free Meals Register, have a difficulty providing a packed lunch on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> August - please contact Mrs Mulligan before the end of June. Thank you.

### TEACHING STAFF NEWS

We are delighted to have Miss Miller join us in P3 this year. She is new to our staff and I know everyone will make her very welcome. Mrs Hyde returns from Maternity Leave in June and rejoins our P1 Team. Mrs McKeown (P5) will go on Maternity Leave in the summer and Miss Moorhead will be covering P5 in her absence. We are delighted for all of these staff members.

Our P7 Learning Support Staff for SEN also end their current contracts with us for now, as their children are moving on. Thank you Natasha Gault and Elaine Smyth for all you have done for these children and us in school over these years.

Mrs Louise Montgomery is also leaving us for Maternity Leave and to look after her family. We wish her every blessing in this.

Any further staff news will be sent to you in August with a full staff list for classes.

### A HUGE THANK YOU!

Our Silly Sock Walk has raised £5622 so far! Thank you every one for all your efforts in this. The money has been used to order new group iPads for all classes next year. We will send you photos in September.

### WELL DONE

Mrs Irwin and Mrs Scott attended the ICT Excellence Awards in Belfast last Monday. Our school was shortlisted again for the great ICT innovation and work being done. Well done Mrs Irwin and the staff/pupil/parent/Governor team involved.

## CONGRATULATIONS!

To Miss Moorhead and Miss Drury who will be married in the Summer.  
Every blessing to you both.

## HOUSE COMPETITION

Congratulations to Cunningham House as winner of this year's House Competition. Congratulations also to the following boys and girls as individual winners and runners-up for gaining most House points. Well done to all!

	<u>Winners</u>	<u>Runners up</u>
P4	Betty Jean Woodside & Daniel Treacy	Esther-Grace McLean & Reuben Patrick
P5	Rebecca Holmes & William Shiels	Aimee Fulton & Callum Kirk
P6	Shannon Murray & Noah Wright	Kailey Simpson & Benjamin Marshall

## THANK YOU

Thank you to all parents who attended all our school events this year, who encouraged our pupils at homework and test times and who maintained our standards of uniform, punctuality and behaviour with their children. This does not go unnoticed. Your positive spirit rubs off on your children and they are happy and motivated in school. Keep up the good work everyone - we know parenting is not always easy and it takes many hours of hard work to invest in our children, but you won't regret it in the future.

Have a great summer everyone - see you in August.

Mrs Mulligan and all Staff.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### BALLYCLARE LIBRARY – Summer Activities

Wednesday	3 <sup>rd</sup> July	2:00 – 3:00pm	Activity Afternoon
Thursday	25 <sup>th</sup> July	2:00 – 2:45pm	Lego Club
Thursday	1 <sup>st</sup> August	2:00 – 3:00pm	Craft Session
Thursday	8 <sup>th</sup> August	2:00 – 2:45pm	Lego Club
Thursday	22 <sup>nd</sup> August	2:00 – 3:00pm	Activity Afternoon

These activities are for Primary school children - who must be accompanied by a parent/carer.  
Booking advisable: 02893352269, [ballyclare.library@librariesni.org.uk](mailto:ballyclare.library@librariesni.org.uk)

### SUMMER FOOTBALL CAMP for boys and girls ages 5-12

This Camp, delivered by UEFA A and B Licence coaches, will be held at Dixon Park, Ballyclare from 17<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup> July, 10:00am - 1:00pm. Cost is £30 per child (£25 for second child attending). Register by contacting Johnny McClurg on 07850157960, [mcclurgj1988@icloud.com](mailto:mcclurgj1988@icloud.com)

### SPANISH SUMMER CLUB – age 8 and up

Have fun and learn Spanish! Five mornings of games, arts and crafts, singing songs and learning Spanish in 1<sup>st</sup> Donegore Church Hall, Main Street, Parkgate, from 22<sup>nd</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> July, 10:30am - 12:00pm. Cost is £10 per morning. Limited places available - to book your place please contact Rebekah: 07803329428.

### CALAMITY CREEK HOLIDAY CLUB 2019

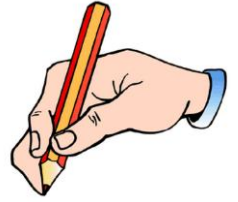
A Wild West Adventure for Primary School aged children will take place in St. Johns Halls, Ballyclare from Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> - Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 9:30am - 12:30pm. Four days of music, craft drama, talks, memory verses, messy games, BBQ and much more! Open to all primary school children as well as those starting school in September and those who have just left. Cost £5 per child or £10 per family (includes family BBQ).

Book online at <https://unitedparishholidayclubs.evetbrite.co.uk> or call 028 93354814



# CLASS AWARDS

## JUNE 2019



CLASS & TEACHER		MONTHLY STAR	BEST HANDWRITING
P1	Miss Campbell	THOMAS WATSON	AEDAN KILPATRICK
	Miss Moorhead	MAX AGNEW	GEORGE GOODMAN
	Mrs Sturgess & Mrs Farquhar	DAVID McCREA	LOTTIE MOORE
P2	Mrs Irwin & Mrs Farquhar	RUBY BROWN	CORA McDONALD
	Mrs Martin & Mrs Stewart	OLIVIA CARMICHAEL	DARRAH GIBSON
	Mrs Hall	KAITLYN BELL	LOLA McILHINNY
P3	Mr Heyburn	ZOE CAMPBELL	EMILY WEATHERUP
	Mrs McNeilly & Mrs McIntosh	SIENNA BARR	MAX ABRAHAM
	Miss Drury	POPPY KNOX	JACK CAULCUTT
P4	Mrs McDowell & Mrs Anderson	BETTY JEAN WOODSIDE	REUBEN PALMER
	Miss Kernohan	AIMEE ERVINE	CALVIN McCLAY GRACEY
	Mrs Scott	WILLIAM ROSS	OLIVER LOUGHLIN
P5	Miss McGoran	REBECCA HOLMES	KATELYN RAMSHAW
	Mrs McKeown	AIMEE FULTON	MORGAN WALLACE
	Mr Scott	MARCUS WHALEY	SOFIA FLEMING
P6	Mrs Arbuckle	GRACE CALDWELL	NATALIE McCONNAUGHIE
	Mrs Shannon	ALIX ARMSTRONG	KAILA LAVERY
	Mrs Watson	JOHNNY WATTS	BEN GILLESPIE
P7	Mr Gordon	SARAH AKANJI	CARTER McCONNELL
	Mr McAuley	ZUZANNA BEKSA	LUCY DICK
	Mrs Kennedy	MELISSA GAULT	HANNAH WINTER
L.S.	Mrs McCollum	AMBER FLEMING (P3RMLM)	—

## P7 PRIZE WINNERS 2019



1. <u>Beth Montgomery Cup</u> - for Mathematical Competence	Madison Wilson / Sam Mulholland
2. <u>Josh Montgomery Cup</u> - for Mathematical Competence	Daniel Caulcutt / Taylor Cowie / Matthew Spence
3. <u>Gilmour Cup</u> - Maths	Abigail Reid/ Anna Treacy
4. <u>Jackson Trophy</u> - Most improvement in Maths	Chloe Abraham / Mollie Thompson
5. <u>Finlay Shield</u> - Creative Writing	Hannah Winter / Jude Wilson
6. <u>Paula Reading Cup</u> - skills and comprehension	Euan O'Neill / Molly McGuigan
7. <u>The Principal's Cup</u> - I.C.T.	Joshua McFall
8. <u>McCullough Shield</u> - Art	Jessica Davidson / Rachel McIlhagger
9. <u>The Peoples' Shield</u> - award for Girls' Music	Madison Wilson
10. <u>Best Musician</u> - All Rounder	Charis Mercer
11. <u>Blair Shield</u> - Singing	Kirsty Irvine
12. <u>Dixon Cup</u> - Most Improved	Aaron Duncan / Bobby Quinn
13. <u>Kirk Cup</u> - Most Improved Pupil	Sophie Milligan / Jamie Davis
14. <u>Stewart Cup</u> - Best Effort	Holly Kernohan / Harry Murphy
15. <u>Ballyclare PS shield</u> for Endeavour	Holly Ferguson / Connor Coombs
16. <u>Future Potential Award</u>	Gareth Brown / Nathan Akanji
17. <u>Pollock Shield</u> - Personal Development	Harry Rea / Eden Bamber
18. <u>McWilliam Cup</u> - for Creativity & Character	Morgan McCaughey / Kody Cochrane
19. <u>McFall Shield</u> - for manners and respect	David Craig / Leland Sommerville
20. <u>Character Cup</u>	Sarah Akanji
21. <u>Crawford Creativity Cup</u>	Lucy Dick

22. <u>Special Character Award</u>	Joshua Winter & Hannah Winter
23. <u>McLaughlin Shield</u> - School and Sports Enthusiasm	Edee Rankin
24. Most Awesome Male Hockey Player	Matthew Spence
25. <u>McKinstry Shield</u> - Hockey	Caitlin Hill
26. <u>McGookin Shield</u> - Most Improved Hockey player	Katie Agnew/ Ella McIntyre
27. <u>Reid Trophy (Netball)</u>	Chloe Nelson-Carmichael
28. <u>Beggs Trophy</u> - Football	Reece Duff
29. Most Legendary Female Footballer	Melissa Gault
30. <u>Snoddy Trophy</u> - Sports All Rounder	Emma Charlton
31. <u>P7 Boys' Sports Day Cup</u>	Joshua Gilchrist
32. <u>P7 Girls' Sports Day Cup</u>	Anna Treacy
33. <u>McKeown Shield</u> - Cycling	Patrick Sheeran / Sarah Mahood
34. <u>Stewart Swimming Shield</u> for progress in swimming	Corey Brennan
35. <u>School Councillor Cup</u>	Eden Bamber
36. * Extended schools participation (*pupil keeps)	Madison Wilson
37. * House Plaques (*pupils keep)	Winners: Joel Whaley                  Emma Charlton Runners up: Joshua Gilchrist        Morgan McCaughey
38. * <u>Gawn Cup</u> for House Competition	'Cunningham' House Captains: Joel Whaley and Ella McIntyre
39. <i>7 years full attendance award</i>	Emma Charlton

**Trophies must be cleaned and engraved before returning.**

**If two sharing, please ensure these are passed on by 22nd Nov. 2019.**

**Please return trophies to school by 20<sup>th</sup> April 2020.**

**Thank you.**

# P7 LEAVERS

## GROUP AWARDS 2019



1	P7NG	Keeley Agnew	Super enthusiasm and creativity during P7 Apprentices work!
	P7NG	Zarah Currie	Super enthusiasm and creativity during P7 Apprentices work!
2	P7NG	Jack Best	Fantastic enthusiasm and programming skills in ICT.
	P7NG	Jay Greenfield	Fantastic enthusiasm and programming skills in ICT.
	P7NG	Eve Lynn	Fantastic enthusiasm and programming skills in ICT.
	P7NG	Zach Turkington	Fantastic enthusiasm and programming skills in ICT.
	P7NG	Rhys McFarland	Fantastic enthusiasm and programming skills in ICT.
	P7RK	Sam Taylor	Fantastic enthusiasm and programming skills in ICT.
3	P7NG	Ruby McFall	A super neat and precise worker in Numeracy.
	P7NG	Carter McConnell	A super neat and precise worker in Numeracy.
4	P7NG	Kasey Gowdy	A fantastic pupil who <u>always</u> gives their best effort!
	P7NG	Tony Whitehouse	A fantastic pupil who <u>always</u> gives their best effort!
5	P7CM	Skye Agnew	Super assistance to teachers.
6	P7CM	Zuzanna Beksa	Excellent creativity and art.
	P7RK	Josh McClure	Excellent creativity and art.
7	P7CM	Karmen Davey	Super classroom buddy.
	P7CM	Ella Murphy	Super classroom buddy.
	P7CM	Bradley Shannon	Super classroom buddy.
	P7RK	Lucy Hamilton	Super Classroom buddy.
	P7RK	Chloe Hutchinson	Super Classroom buddy.
8	P7CM	Nash-Lee McArthur	Always gives best presentation.
	P7CM	Aaron Bamber	Always gives best presentation.
9	P7CM	Paul Mullen	Super WAU participation.
10	P7RK	Aaron Weatherup	WAU and Geography knowledge.
11	P7CM	Jamie O'Hara	'Thinking outside the box'.
12	P7CM	Kyla Smyth	Great project work.
	P7CM	Aidan Vennard	Great project work.
13	P7RK	Rhys Baird	Super enthusiasm for reading!
14	P7RK	Ethan McAllister	Mental Maths ability and 24 challenge winner.
15	P7RK	Josh Milliken	Helpful playground buddy.
	P7RK	Daniel Nesbitt	Helpful playground buddy.
16	P7RK	Jersey Surgenor	Super Buddy for trolley deliveries and helping the office.
	P7RK	Katie McFarland	Super Buddy for trolley deliveries and helping the office.