



# GARRYDUFF NEWS

20<sup>th</sup> October 2017

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## AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

**MON 23<sup>rd</sup>:** Grafters (P7)

Uni hoc (P3-5 non footballers - **no charge**)

**TUES 24<sup>th</sup>:** Football (P4-7 \*\*£1.50/wk)

Craft Club (P3)

**WED 25<sup>th</sup>:** SU (P4-P7)

**THURS 26<sup>th</sup>:** Grafters (P7)

Craft Club (P4-7)

## **\*\*HALF TERM HOLIDAYS\*\***

**Remember school will close on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> Oct at 1.50pm for all pupils and will re-open on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> Nov.**

## **\*PARENT/TEACHER MEETINGS - only Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Nov\***

Following the unexpected closure of school this week, which was directed by the Department of Education, **teachers have decided that we will only close early for parent/teacher meetings on Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Nov. School will run as normal on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November with children finishing at their normal home times. After school clubs and grafters will operate that day**

## **HARVEST ASSEMBLY - Friday 27/10/17**

Parents and friends are invited to our **Harvest Assembly in school on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October at 1pm.** Mr Ivan McClean will be speaking at the assembly and all children will be performing. **Children will go home after assembly (1.50pm)**  
Thank you so much to all who have already contributed to our donation for the food bank. Any other donations can be made until Friday.

## **TOAST FOR SALE**

Toast will be available at break time for children next week. [20p/slice] All money raised goes to PTA funds.

## **DATES FOR DIARY**

- 23/10 School Nurse in school-Flu Vaccines(P1-7)
- 27/10 Harvest Assembly @1pm.  
ALL welcome. Home @ 1.50pm
- 30/10-3/11 ~ HALF TERM HOLIDAYS**
- 6/11 Parent/Teacher Meetings.  
Home@1.15pm
- 14/11 Football Match 2
- 16/11 Craft Fair - school closes @ 1.50pm for all
- 22/11 P1/2 + P4/5 Trip to Ulster Museum
- 28/11-5/12 HALF PRICE Book Fair in school.

## **CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EVENING IN McAULEY'S**

### **☺ RAISE MONEY FOR SCHOOL TOO!! ☺**

McAuley's bookshop in Ballymoney are running a private Christmas Shopping evening for school and our invited friends and family with a generous **donation of up to 20% of sales on the evening going to school funds.** To secure an evening **I need to get in touch with them on Monday at the latest. We need at least 30 people to come along so if you would be interested in attending please complete and return the attached reply slip on Monday. I would suggest an evening week beg. 20<sup>th</sup> Nov..**

**Dinner** - Please complete to show which days you want dinner - **£2.60/day**

**P.T.O**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*CHEQUES SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO EDUCATION AUTHORITY\*\***

Day	Menu	names of child/children
MONDAY	Chicken bake(crunchy stuffing topping), mashed potatoes, broccoli and gravy Banana muffin and custard	
TUESDAY "choice day"	Chicken curry, rice, naan bread and sweetcorn Chocolate flavoured cookie and Angel Delight Coddies, peas, potatoe and tomato sauce	
WEDNESDAY	Pasta Bolognese, tossed salad and crusty bread Flapjack and custard	
THURSDAY	Hotdog, coleslaw, chips or potatoes Fruit and toffee yoghurt	
FRIDAY	Roast chicken, carrots, peas, mashed and roast potatoes, Vanilla ice cream tub and fruit [stuffing and gravy	

**Reply slip-Shopping Night in McAuley's Bookshop, Ballymoney Name: \_\_\_\_\_**

Which evening would suit you best?(Tick ✓)

How many are coming with you? \_\_\_\_\_

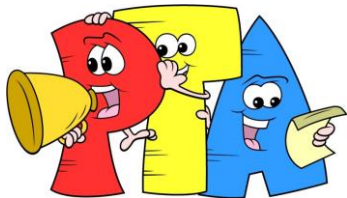
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# PTA NEWS

## PTA CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

**WHEN:** Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Nov - 6.30pm-10pm

**WHERE:** Ballymoney Town Hall

**COST:** Adults- £2; Primary School Pupils free (includes tea/coffee/juice& shortbread)

### **HOW CAN YOU HELP?**

- On the night we **need volunteers to help us man our tea and coffee stall** and also **to cover the door...** if you would be able to help out even for half an hour please complete the reply slip below and return to school on Monday.
- We would ask each family to **provide at least one item of home-made cakes, scones, traybakes, jam, turf, sticks etc etc for our home produce stall.** These should be left in school on Thursday morning so they can be priced and transported to the town hall ready for the fair.
- **Give out invitations** (sent out next week) to your family and friends.

**\*\*COMPLETE AND RETURN\*\*-PTA CRAFT FAIR - THURS 16<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER.**

I would like to help out at the Christmas Craft Fair from \_\_\_\_\_



NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ mobile number: \_\_\_\_\_