

Friday 29th April 2022

**School Dates**

Reminder that school is closed on Monday for Bank Holiday and will reopen on Tuesday 3rd May.

**Daily Mile Challenge**

Children have started completing the Daily Mile challenge which is a free and simple initiative which improves the physical and mental health of children. It's a social activity where the children run or jog, at their own pace, for 15 minutes every day and it improves focus in the classroom.



**Swimming Lessons Year 6**

Due to Covid Year 6 did not complete their national curriculum swimming lessons in Year 4. However we have managed to book them another term of lessons. These will start on Friday 20th May 2022 and will take place every Friday afternoon. Kits to be brought into school on Friday am.

Year 4 lessons will continue as normal.



**Gardening Club**

A gardening club has opened for children in Years 5 & 6 - If your child is interested please complete the form on parentapp in the consent section. There are very limited places available.

**Trip Payments**

Year 6 -Robinwood - Full payment of £120.00 to be made by **1st June**.

Nursery & Reception Smithills Farm - Payment of £15.00 due by **2nd May**

**Afterschool Clubs**

Afterschool clubs restart Tuesday 3rd May 2022. Clubs remain the same as they were last term and pick up is **4.00pm PROMPT**

**Art Day**

**Wednesday 4th May** is Art Day for children in **Year 3**. Please send them to school in old clothes that you don't mind them getting messy.



**Mass**

Mass is at St Malachy's every Saturday at 6.30pm.

It would be lovely to see you there.



**Early Birds**

Please note that children attending the Earlybird lessons should enter the building through their normal gates at 8.15am. Siblings can then enter school through the admin entrance once the older children have gone through.

**Whole School Attendance: 93.8%**

School Attendance target is set at 96% or above.

**Well done to all classes we have achieved this.**

Key:

**ABOVE** school target of 96%

**BELOW** school target of 96%

<b>Nursery - 99.1%</b>	<b>Reception - 90.5%</b>	<b>Year 1 - 80.4%</b>	<b>Year 2 - 97.0%</b>
<b>Year 3 - 95.5%</b>	<b>Year 4 - 96.4%</b>	<b>Year 5 - 98.2%</b>	<b>Year 6 - 93.5%</b>