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GORRAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dinner –
Week 2

PTA – Spring Clean

We would be delighted if you could join us at 6pm on Wednesday 24th May to help complete a few jobs in the school grounds. Jobs include –

- Varnishing wooden floor.
- Painting/wood stain.
- Putting up guttering.
- Installing water butts.
- 'Converting' a bug hotel.
- Mending a raised bed.



We aim to have all the hardware ready to go. If you were able to bring a drill, screw drivers, wood saw, large paint brush that would be great. Children can stay and help/play in the grounds.

What's on Next Week....

Monday 22nd May –
Music Club – P1-P7
Kids Club 2-5pm
Transfer info afternoon (P6)
3:30-4pm.

Tuesday 23rd May –
Swimming P5&7
Piano

Cricket P6-7 3:15-4pm
Kids Club 2-5pm

Wednesday 24th May –
P4/5 football tournament @
Coleraine Showgrounds.

Kids Club – 2-5pm

Thursday 25th May –
Kids Club – 2-5pm

Girls Football P4-7 3:15 – 4pm.

PAPA – Gets the Job Done

Our P1s and 2s have been given a lovely gift today – a free book called Papa Gets a Job. They are going to explore these as a class and will be sent home next week. The book was written during lockdown by retired GP, Finlay Linton. This book is a gift for you to enjoy, however, the author would be delighted if you donated to the Northern Ireland Children's Hospice.

Spring Concert

We had a super morning at our spring concert. It was great to see so many parents and grandparents in the audience. Thanks again to Mrs McAleese, PTA, teachers and Main Street Garvagh Presbyterian. We hope that this can become an annual event to celebrate the end of the festival.



Cash For Clobber-Kit

Starts next Friday 19th May to Wednesday morning, 31st May.

Families/children will put into four coloured teams. The bags will get a coloured label when they come into the school and the team with the most 'clobber' collected will get a prize. We are aiming to raise enough money for new socks and shorts for our sports kit.



Sports Fixtures

- Harpers Shield – 10th May ✓
- Football Festival – 11th May ✓
- P4/5 Football tournament – 24th May
- Girls' Football 31st May
- Boys' Cricket 1st June
- Volleyball (P7 Girls) 1st June
- Girl's Cricket 2nd June
- Tag Rugby – 7th June
- Sports Day – 16th June



Time to Flee the Nest

Our chicks have outgrown the classroom and moved house. We are very grateful to Sam S and family for providing a great home for them. Fingers crossed you will get plenty of eggs.

Volleyball

We were very lucky to have international volleyballer, Rebecca, come into school this week to coach the P7s. They really enjoyed the sessions and learnt lots of new skills. It was great for the girls who will be taking part in a volleyball tournament in June.

Thank you, Rebecca!