



# Gorran News

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### Menu - 20/12/21

Chicken bites and chips.

### **Christmas Nativity/Concert**

Our wonderful Christmas Production will be released via YouTube on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> December. Not to be watched on your phone, this deserves the big screen. So get a cup of tea (or something stronger) share with family and friends and let the talented pupils of Gorran get you into the 'Christmas mood.'

### Stars of the Week

<u>P1/2</u> All of Primary 1 and 3 for their wonderful nativity performance.

<u>P3/4</u> All of Primary 3 and 4 for a brilliant poem, Mrs Murphy is very proud!

<u>P5/6</u> Dylan, for being very thoughtful and Lyla for an excellent book cover.

**P7** Rules  $\mathcal{D}$  for being extremely helpful and kind.

### **End of term**

We understand that some of you may be anxious about the new COVID variant and how it may impact Christmas plans. Therefore, if you wish to keep children at home for the last few days of term, you are welcome to do so.

School will close for the Christmas holidays at 12pm on Tuesday 21st December. To ease traffic congestion, children can be collected from 11.30am. The bus will run at 12pm.

Term 2 begins on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022.

### **Choir outings**

Our fabulous school choir were spreading Christmas cheer to the residents of the Kathleen Thompson Fold and Trinity House this week. Thank you to both homes for their hospitality! A huge thank you to the choir and to their leader, Mrs Doey.



### **Football**

Well done to everyone who played in the tournament on Monday. We lost out in three close matches. However, they all represented the school well and, as always, we are extremely proud of them.

# Garvagh Little Vets Competition

Congratulations to Lauren who won the colouring competition. Thank you to Garvagh Veterinary Clinic for the prizes and reindeer food.

### Milk and break payments

Milk and break for next term will be available to pay using the payments section of the school app from next week.

The price covers the full term up until Easter.

### S'mores Boxes

Today is the last day to order a S'Mores box for collection on Monday.

# P7 Leavers' Hoodies

Last date for ordering P7 leavers' hoodies is tomorrow, Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December. They are available to buy in the payments section of the school app.



#### **Swimming**

P6 and 7 will go swimming next term. The first session will be on our first day back Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January. Payment will be made using the payment section of the school app.

The price covers all sessions up until Easter.

## Diary Dates

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> December – school closes at 12pm for Christmas holidays.

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2022 – First day of new term.

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> January – swimming for Primary 6 and 7.

Piano lessons