

The Wee Friday Note Friday 15th December 2023



"For it is good to be children sometimes, and never better than at Christmas, when its mighty founder was a child Himself." ~ A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens

1. CAROL SERVICE

On Wednesday evening 13th December, the P4 to P7 children treated us to wonderful singing, acting and reading at our annual Carol Service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The children were marvellous and a real credit to the teachers and other staff who had worked extremely hard to prepare the children. Well done to all who took part. Thanks to all who came. Special thanks to the good folk of St. Andrew's for the use of their facilities and for the lovely supper they provided after our carols. A YouTube link to a recording of the 2023 Carol Service will be shared with CregaghPS families as soon as it becomes available.

2. TWO-TO-THREE CLUB, BREAKFAST CLUB FINISHING & NEW TERM DATES

- Last day of Two-to-Three Club for this term Tuesday afternoon 19th December
- Serial Breakfast Club continues right up to and including Wednesday 20th December and will restart on the first day back after the Christmas Holidays, Thursday 4th January 2024.
- Two-to-Three Club restarts on Monday 8th January
- After-school activities will restart on Monday 15th January

3. CHRISTMAS STAMPS

- Monday 18th December will be the last day for these to be on sale.
- Cregagh PS has sold stamps for the Cedar Foundation (people with learning difficulties) for over 30 years.
- These stamps can be put onto Christmas card envelopes and posted into our school post box (internal mail only). The cards then get delivered to the addressee by our P3 postmen and postwomen.
- Please help your children when writing on the front of the envelope so we know the name and classroom of the child where the card must be delivered to!
- Seach sheet of 35 stamps cost £1; half-sheets can also be purchased for 50p.
- All proceeds go to the Cedar Foundation; a local charity that helps young people with learning difficulties.

4. SPARE SCHOOL UNIFORM (available at no cost)

Thanks to parents of previous CPS pupils, we have a quantity of pre-loved Cregagh uniform which is available free-of-charge to any family who needs any available items. Contact Miss Murphy or text Lois (07526915747) and we'll arrange a time for you to pick it up.

Item	Label description / To suit age	Quantity
Boys Grey Trousers	10/11	1
Navy Jumper with School Crest	5/6	3
Navy Jumper with School Crest	11/12	3
Plain Blue under shirt	6/7	5
Plain Blue under shirt	10/11	1
Blue t-shirt with school logo	30 inches	1
Blue t-shirt with school logo	5/6	1
Plain blue t-shirt	5/6	1
Plain blue t-shirt	6/7	3
Plain blue t-shirt	9/10	3
Girls Black Shoes	Size 11	2
Girls Black Leggings	6-7	4
Blue Summer Dress	5/6	2
Blue Summer Dress	12/13	1
Grey Skirt	8/9	1
Navy gym shorts	5/6	1

Navy gym shorts	7/8	2

*** IMPORTANT FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY ***

Monday 18th December P1-P3 Christmas Cinema Trip to Strand Cinema

Tuesday 19th December P4-P7 Pantomime Trip to Waterfront Hall

ALDO the Magician in the afternoon for all classes

Wednesday 20th December School closes for Christmas holidays at 12 noon.

Please make sure children are picked-up from school on time.

Thankyou.

Happy New Year 2024 Happy New Year 2024

Thursday 4th January 2024 School reopens

Breakfast Club running as normal.

Monday 8th **January** Two-to-Three Club restarts.

Monday 15th January After-school activities restart.

