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| St Matthew’s Primary School  296 Drumsurn Limavady  http://www.stmatthewsprimaryschool.com/assets/images/header.jpgBT49 0PX  Telephone 028777 63887  Email: [akealey695@stmatthewsps.drumsurn.ni.sch.uk](mailto:akealey695@stmatthewsps.drumsurn.ni.sch.uk)  Principal : Mrs AM Kealey BA Hons (ED) PQH NI |

**WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 3rd February 2020 **

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| Tues 4th Feb. | * Morning Assembly * School Photographer P1 and P7 classes * **Shared Education P6/7 Roe Valley Leisure Centre** * A/S Gaelic Club P3-4 |
| Weds 5th Feb | * Morning Assembly * Gaelic coaching with Michaela P5-P7 (Morning) * Swimming lessons P6/7 1-2:30pm * A/S Traditional Music Club P4-7 (3-4:15pm) |
| Thurs 6th Feb | * Morning Assembly * Gaelic/Fundamental movement skills with Gavin (P1-4) * A/S Dance Club 2:30-3:30pm-P1-3   3:30-4:30pm-P4-7 |
| Friday 7th Feb | * Morning Awards Assembly * Spanish/French lessons with Christina P1-P7 * A/S Choir Practice P5-7 |

**SACRAMENTAL DATES**

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| Service Of Commitment P7 | St. Patrick’s Church, Dungiven  Tues.11th Feb. @ 7:30pm |
| Confirmation  P7 | St. Patrick’s Church, Dungiven  Sat. 29th Feb. @ 11am |
| First Confessions | St. Matthew’s Church, Drumsurn  Tuesday 31st March @ 7pm |
| First Holy Communion  P4 | St. Matthew’s Church, Drumsurn  Sat. 16th May @ 11am |

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| **Dates for your Diary** | |
| P7 Confirmation Retreat | Mon 10th Feb-9:30-2:30pm |
| School Choir of the Year Competition, Belfast | Weds 12th Feb- 11am-5pm |
| Coleraine Music Festival  (School Choir) | Thursday 27th Feb (morning) |
| Break the Rules Day | Friday 14th Feb |
| Midterm Break | Mon 17th Feb-Frid 21st Feb |
| St. Patrick’s Day | Mon 16th and 17th March |

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| **Parent Interviews**  Parent interviews for children from **P2 to P6** will be held the week beginning **10th February.** Details of times will follow in due course. School will close at **1pm on Thursday 13th Feb and Friday 14th Feb** that week for all pupils in order to facilitate parent interviews. |

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| Congratulations to all our pupils who sat the AQE transfer test and received their results. We are very proud of each and every one of you and all our pupils here at St. Matthew’s P.S. It was great to chat to all our parents last week at the P7 transfer/parent meetings. If you were unable to attend please contact us at school to rearrange another suitable appointment. |

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| Our PTA ‘Friends of St. Matthew’s’ have decided to hold a ‘Break the Rules’ day on **Friday 14th February.** Our school council got together and have chosen the following rules to break:   * No uniform * Extra break time * Bring in toys/games to play with (no electronics/mobile phones ) * Unhealthy breaks * Sit beside whoever you want in class   It costs **50p per rule** and you can break all **5** rules!  Our goal is to raise money to spend on outdoor equipment and storage boxes |

*Reminder: If your child is absent, arrives late to school or leaves early for an appointment, please return the absence or temporary absence form to school office.*

Thank you for your continued support

Mrs AM Kealey

Principal