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Week beginning Monday 7th January 2019: Welcome back to everyone!

Mon 7 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No parent & toddlers (begins again Mon 14th Jan) Break money: £5.70 payable directly to canteen. Milk £4 for Jan – payable to office. Swimming begins for Y7 – remember £2, swim gear and goggles (& hat for girls) Friends of New Row EGM 6.30pm in Y5 room re Charitable Status Application
Tues 8 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assembly & Awards Y5 & 6 Hurling & Camogie (in school) Bring PE gear & track bottoms (may be outside)
Wed 9 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PE in hall with class teachers: Y2: 9.10am, Y1: 10am, Y3: 10.45am Violin lessons New Row PS & Castledawson PS joint staff planning meeting
Thur 10 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Treat Thursday. Children can bring a <i>small</i> packet of crisps/bar (no chewy sweets)
Fri 11 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assembly & Awards Flute & Clarinet lessons <i>Class of the half term party</i> (pm) Y1, 4 & 7
Mon 14 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parent & Toddler Group starts again 9.15-11am. Everyone welcome Y4 PE begins (in school) Remember to bring in PE gear – all items labelled!
Tues 15 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Open Afternoon for Sept 2019 enrolment 1.30-3pm: Online applications (See below)
Wed 16 th Jan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y5 Speedwell afterschool in CPS (7 of 7)

Important dates for Y6&7 pupils & their parents

All pupils in Y6 & 7 are strongly encouraged to visit the local post primary schools on their Open Days

St Pius X College	Saturday 12 th January 9.30 – 1.30pm
St Patrick's College	Tues 15 th & Wed 16 th Jan 16:30 – 18:30 St Mary's Building. Also Sat 19 th Jan 10am
Rainey ES	Thur 17 th Jan at 7pm (For pupils from NRPS)
St Mary's GS	Tuesday 22 nd & Wednesday 23 rd January 2019 at 19:00

- On behalf of all the staff I would like to offer our sincere thanks for the generosity of parents and families before Christmas. The very thoughtful gifts and donations to our charities (Road of Hope and SVP) were beyond all expectations and again we would like to express our gratitude. May 2019 be good to you all!
- PE:** Hurling & Camogie begins for 6 weeks for Y5 & 6 on Tues. Normal PE for Y1-3 on Wed. Y4 will alternate between PE in school on Monday and Fit for Life on Wed – watch out on the note for dates!
- Y7 prize-winners 2017/18.** Does your child have a cup or trophy? Please pass it on to the other recipient.
- CONGRATULATIONS** to our **Half-Term Class Winners** for Halloween-Xmas. Junior award goes to Y1 & Y4 (tie) and Senior to Y7. This award has been created in conjunction with the school and class councils and recognises positive behaviour and manners in all aspects of school life. Enjoy your well-deserved treat!
- A number of New Row PS 2019 **Calendars** still available to purchase in office: £6 each or 3 for £15
- Is your child's due to **start Primary 1 in Sept 2019?** A new online application system is in place for all schools. Online registration runs from 2nd - 31st January. Visit www.eani.org/admissions to apply. An OPEN AFTERNOON has been arranged for Tuesday 15th January 1.30-3pm to offer online application support and for a look around if you missed our open day in December.
- Y7 (Bellaghy) reminder: Confirmation Sat 9th Feb at 12 noon. Please send in *labelled* baptismal candles
- Friends of NR are in the final stages of **charity registration**. This will make our applications for grants etc. much easier. There is an emergency general meeting this evening (Monday) to finalise some necessary paperwork and everyone is welcome to attend. Thanks again to our very hard-working committee.

Many thanks for your continued support