## BE MY VALENTINE!

## KNOCKLOUGHRIM SCHOOL NEWS



Welcome to our **St. Valentine's Day** edition we have had a busy week with the majority of our Parent Teacher interviews taking place. Today was also a very special day, apart from being the day before St. Valentine's Day, we also had a **Fairy Tale Dress Up Day** in P1. Some photographs are included here but lots more have been uploaded to our website. We hope and pray you all have an enjoyable long weekend together and see you all again on Wednesday with all clubs as normal.



## Safer Internet Day:

Safer Internet Day took place in our school on Tuesday. We had a number of activities to help our children explore the issues surrounding staying safe and being responsible online. This is an extremely important issue and a shared responsibility and we recommend the

**ThinkUKnow** website if you wish to explore the topic further with your child at home. The website address is <u>https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk</u>

**Tutoring in Schools:** Over the next few weeks several students from the University of Ulster will be in school supporting our pupils with Literacy, Numeracy & PE.

Half Term: School will be closed on Monday & Tuesday for Half Term. Normal Breakfast, Windmill & After School Clubs will resume on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> as normal.

**PTA Social:** Our PTA are planning a social evening for our children in the school on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April. Volunteers are required to come and help with the event. Please check your diaries and see if it's possible for an adult from your family to come along and help at the event that is planned for all our children. Please give names after half term to the school office or Mrs Carol McKee

**Monies for School Office:** The vast majority of parents are very good at sending monies into the school office on a Monday in an envelope with the details of your children and the contents on the envelope. As a dad of two young children, I know Monday morning can be a frantic time but please keep up this process as it allows the office admin. to be as smooth as possible.

**Panto Tickets:** Tickets for our evening performances of Aladdin on Wed. 25<sup>th</sup> & Thurs. 26<sup>th</sup> March will go on sale from Wednesday. Adults are £5 and primary children up to 11yrs are £3.50. All our P1, P2 & P3 children will be attending the matinee performance at a cost of £1. This is required to cover transport & an ice cream costs.

**Photographs:** Yesterday I was invited back to Magherafelt High School for a catch up afternoon with past pupils. I had a lovely opportunity to visit the school and meet with our children who continue to thrive after leaving us. Here are also a few of the photographs that are now on our school websites of our P1s in full Fairy Tale costume as part of their current topic and also to celebrate National Story Telling Week.



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Dinner Menu Week 3 from Wednesday

Windmill Club Extended Child Care For Week Commencing: Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> February- (Costs: 1hr = £2 or Longer than 1 hr up to 6pm = £7)					
Names of Child/ren:	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
Days Required:			Wednesday 🗖	Thursday 🗖	Friday 🗖
Pick Up Time:			pm.	pm.	pm.