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**Newsletter February/March 2024**

**Confirmation Ceremony**

March 7th @ 3pm in Kilskyre. There will be no school for 5th class on this day.

**Photographer**

Memory Lane photographer will be with us on Monday 11th March.

**Sport**

* We will be taking part in a chess tournament on 22nd February in Clonmellon.
* Hurling coaching will also commence in March.
* Swimming is organised for 2nd-6th Class after Easter. Details will follow after mid-term break.

**Student Teacher**

Eimear McDonnell will complete her placement for teacher training in 5th & 6th Class in Feb/Mar. We also have a TY student on work experience every Friday.

**Staff Meeting**

Takes place on March 6th. All students will finish @ 12.30 on this day to facilitate a staff meeting.

**Deposit Return Scheme**

We would be grateful if you could send in any clean undamaged bottles/cans with the re-turn logo. We can return these to the supermarket and get the deposit back for school funds.

**First Communion**

* First Confession will take place in school in April.
* First Communion takes place on Saturday 18th May @ 12.30

**Important Dates**

* Mid-term break school closed next week Mon 12th-16th  February
* Feb 22nd nurses will call to our school for Junior Infant hearing and vision screening they will also screen new pupils in senior infants.
* 12th -19th March Bookfair. The school will get a percentage of money raised from book sales
* Friday 15th March wear green clothes to school
* 8th March school closed as we will be a polling station for the upcoming referendums
* 18th March school closed for St Patricks Day Bank Holiday
* 22nd March Easter Holidays @ 12noon reopen 8th April.
* School Hot Meals begin at the end of April. We will be in touch nearer the time with details.

Have an enjoyable mid-term break